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Personals

—F. V. Conrad returned Tuesday from a trip to Florida. Mr. Conrad made the trip from New York by plane.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Lang and daughter Janet were in Olean Tuesday to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Elberta Swartz.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Beil of Fillmore, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith of Canisteo and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coats were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coats.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Lynch left Saturday morning for Jacksonville, Fla., where they will visit their son, Dr. James P. Lynch.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Allen left Sunday morning on a vacation trip to Florida. They plan to be gone about three weeks.

—Lt. and Mrs. Ray Green of Cleveland and Miss Lavena Doherty of Buffalo spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George McAndrew. Mr. and Mrs. McAndrew and guests were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. McAndrew of Andover.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Wagner of Hornell is visiting at the home of her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Jackson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burgett were Wednesday evening callers at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Max Gilluly of Belmont.

—Arthur Temple left Wednesday on a business trip to New York City.

—Miss Margaret Grossman and Miss Carol Walton were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Keil of Alfred.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kemp were in Buffalo Sunday to visit his father, Archie Kemp of Eldred, Pa., who was taken to the Sisters hospital in that city last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coats and son and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coats were business visitors in Hornell Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barlow were Monday evening guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Harley Sutton and family of Alfred Station.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pease and family of Painted Post were Monday evening guests at the home of his mother, Mrs. W. E. Pease.

Cub Scout News

Announcement is made this week that Harold Rifenburg has completed his Tenderfoot requirements and been admitted to Boy Scout Troop 78 of Independence.

Round and Square DANCE

Saturday Night
March 11
at the
Andover
Grange Hall

Refreshments Available
35c a Person

News Briefs of Local Servicemen

TOKYO, Japan.—Corporal Donald K. Northrup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey M. Northup, fo Andover, has been selected to attend the First Cavalry Division's Noncommissioned Officers Leadership School at Camp McGill, Takeyama, Japan.

The course of instruction is designed to train junior noncommissioned officers in all phases of leadership and to equip them for advancements to higher grades.

Corporal Northup is assigned to the 13th Signal Company, stationed at Camp Drake, 12 miles from downtown Tokyo.

Always a good investment—U. S. Savings Bonds.

A new stocking

Berkshire's

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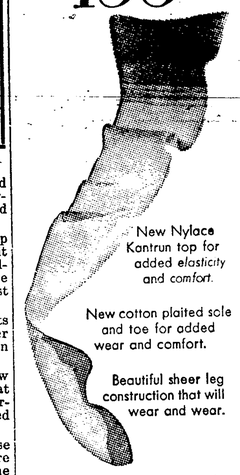

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Phone 132

Past Grands to Meet At Whitesville

The Past Noble Grands Association of Allegany county will hold their regular meeting Wednesday, March 15 at Whitesville. Luncheon at 12:30.

During World War II one steel company made enough nails to fill a freight train 687 miles long.

Erie Returns Trains

Erie trains No. 7 and 8, which were discontinued because of the coal situation are being restored this week, according to an announcement by R. C. Kandall, operating vice president.

Dates Claimed

Mar. 11—Grange dance.
Mar. 21: Rebekah supper.

ANDOVER THEATRE

Saturday and Sunday, March 11-12

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KATHERINE GRAYSON (Technicolor) MARIO LANZA

"A SOUTHERN YANKEE"

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R. & W. - Extra Rich PIE CRUST MIX 2 pkgs. 29c

TUNA FISH Red & White Fancy BITE SIZE can 37c

COFFEE Our Famous R. & W. VACUUM PACK Reg., Drip or Silex lb. tin 69c

R. & W. DAINTY SOAP FLAKES For Fine Laundering 2 pkgs. 39c

Red & White Complexion SOAP 4 bars . . . . . 29c (Face Cloth FREE)

OYSTERS – solid pack, fresh daily . . . . . pint 65c

FRESH FISH, boneless Perch or Cod . . . . . lb. 39c

PORK SHOULDER STEAK lb. 59c

LEAN - MEATY Pork ROAST lb. 45c

DOUBLE A BEEF ROAST Wilson's Top Quality lb. 59c

FRESH SIDE PORK Lean Streaked lb. 49c

WILSON'S PURE PORK SAUSAGE . . . . . lb. roll 35c

LARGE ASSORTMENT COLD CUTS . . . . . lb. 49c

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Latest Dope on The Andover Minstrel Show

The Exchange Club is happy to announce that during this last week we have completed the contract signing for the minstrel show. We have all of the end men and the circle tied up so tight in a contract that they can't even leave town without our permission. Of course their terms weren't quite as stiff as those of "Old Zip Cables", but nevertheless they made certain demands that had to be met.

We are pleased to announce that we are going to have Chuck and Bud again with us this year as well as Mike and Ding and the rest of the old gang plus a few new ones. Chuck and Bud said that they might not be there when the show started but that we can plan on them making an appearance. If we can get them there the night of the dress rehearsal we are going to tie them in their chairs and leave them there until the night of the show. That is going to be the only way that we can guarantee that they will be on the stage when the show starts.

As the weeks progress we will give you weekly accounts on the progress of the show and also tell you a little bit about who is in it and what they are going to do. We do know that we are not going to give away expensive prizes like we did last year. After all, we can't be spending all of the profits on eggs, chickens and popcorn, even if you people do expect it. Charlie Manno even sent us word that he wouldn't come this year if we didn't give him another chicken. At last report, that chicken we gave him last year has laid 864 eggs, so what more does he want? Our friend Pete Howland told us not to give him another bushel of popcorn this year because it reminds him too much of the falling snow, and he says he's seen enough of that this winter.

The committee has a few suggestions that they are still trying to find the answers to regarding the show. Perhaps some of you people can help us out. Such as:

1. Will the auditorium be large enough to handle the crowd that is anticipated?
2. Will we have to have a closing chorus for the show or won't the crowd hang around that long?
3. Will Ding Baker be able to get a pair of pants to fit him or will we have to cut up a tent?
4. Will Chuck Holt's false teeth bother him on his yodeling song?
5. Will Art Genung dare to come to the show?

If the answers to the above questions are not known, you will be able to get the answer by attending the show either or both nights.

THE COMMITTEE

P.S.—We have already received hundreds of mailed requests for tickets that we are unable to fill because the tickets haven't even been printed yet, so we are going to be forced to send these requests back. Please don't send in any more requests until notified. Mary Burns is beginning to think that the Christmas rush has started all over again.

State-Shared Taxes Distributed in County

Towns and villages in Allegany county are $43,160.44 richer because of the distribution from the office of State Comptroller Frank C. Moore of state-shared taxes of various kinds allotted to them and distributed directly from Albany to supervisors and village treasurers, as has been done for the past two years.

Andover township received $1,472.60 as its share of this money and Andover village $462.48.

Leon—Roeske

Miss Joyce Autumn Roeske, daughter of Arthur P. Roeske, Sr., of Shongo became the bride of Earl William Leon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leon of Independence, in a double ring ceremony performed by the Rev. Elmer Krentz at the Trinity Lutheran church in Wellsville, last Friday, March 10.

Mrs. Paul Fleischman sang "The Lord's Prayer" by Malotte and "Oh Perfect Love." She was accompanied at the organ by Peter Paul Luedig.

The bride wore a gray and blue sharkskin suit with navy blue accessories. Her corsage was of red roses and white sweet peas.

Miss Jean Roeske, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Edward Roeske was best man and the ushers were John Roeske of Buffalo and Richard D. Roeske of Wellsville. All are brothers of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a reception for 50 guests was held at the home of Miss Helen Paulmann.

Legion to Meet Elkland For Red Cross Benefit

The Andover Legion basketball team will finish its home season next Tuesday night, March 21st on the Andover Central School court and all the proceeds will go to the Red Cross drive.

In the preliminary game starting at 7:30 the Andover Grangers will meet the Legion preliminary team. The Grangers have been reinforced by "Bob" Baker and "Ron" Atwell, and this should be a nip and tuck ball game.

The Elkland team is one of the better teams in the surrounding area. They are entering a G.I. tournament in Philadelphia the last of this month and boast over 20 victories this season. Andover has only lost one game on the local court this year and will be out to try and close their season this way.

The Red Cross needs your help. They help millions of people every year and you can do your part by contributing to this worthy cause and attending the last home basketball game of the season.

The Legion preliminary team against Andover Grange at 7:30 and the Andover Legion vs. Elkland Tanners at 8:15, next Tuesday night, March 21st.

C. V. Howland Resigns Census Appointment

Announcement is made this week that Clifford Howland has resigned his appointment as Federal census crew leader to accept a job in private industry.

Herbert MacDonell of Bolivar has been re-elected as crew leader for the Bolivar zone to succeed Mr. Howland.

Past Noble Grands Club Elects Officers

The following officers for the coming year were elected at the regular meeting of the Past Noble Grands Club held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Hazel Burgett:

Mrs. Bessie Mulconery, pres.
Mrs. Marion Theetge, vice pres.
Mrs. Ora Gath, secreatry-treasurer.

During the past year the club has completed and sent to the Bath Veterans hospital two wool Afghans and have the third one nearly completed.

Hospital Notes

Raymond Short was a medical patient in Jones Memorial hospital over the week-end.

Carlyle Carmody underwent an appendectomy at Jones Memorial hospital Tuesday morning.

Conrad Church to Head Local Hospital Drive

Under the chairmanship of Conrad Church, Andover will have an active part in the area-wide community campaign to complete the $500,000 building fund of the new and modern Jones Memorial hospital.

Opening Thursday evening, March 30, at a dinner meeting at the Christian Temple, the over-all campaign will have for its chairman Richard J. Embser of Wellsville. In accepting the post, Mr. Embser said:

"When we speak of a community campaign, we have in mind the larger community of 20,000 residents in a dozen towns and villages, all of whom will be safer and more secure when there is a fine hospital, with the latest equipment, within easy traveling distance."

It is expected that the community campaign will open with a sizeable part of the half-million-dollar fund in hand - from larger companies, doctors and individuals who have subscribed memorial sections in the new hospital.

Local leaders pointed out that, to complete the fund, pledges are needed next month from many hundreds of families and small businesses throughout the area. The community campaign will continue until April 13.

The message volunteers will carry on their visits is that "the new hospital is an investment in your own family's health protection, not just a handout to another worthy cause."

Since more than people can afford to give in cash is needed, pledges payable in six installments, extending into three income tax years, will be sought.

Mr. Church says that four teams of eight workers each are being organized to carry on the drive here. The team captains and Lieutenants for Andover as announced by Mr. Church are:

Charles Lynch - Jack Regan.
Everett Clair - Lester York.
Mrs. R. O. Snyder - Mrs. Arthur Genung.
Mrs. R. E. Temple - Mrs. Evelyn Potter.

The list of workers for the teams has not been completed as yet.

New Telephone Directories Out

Andover telephone subscribers received their copies of the new telephone directory this week and are asked to please use them.

New operators are being instructed at the local office, who haven't all the numbers memorized and you will get your party much quicker if you look up your own number and not have to wait until the operator has time to look it up for you.

The name and number of the Leo Davis residence was inadvertently omitted in the new directory. His number is 709.

Home Bureau

Day Unit

An all day lesson on hooked mats III with Mrs. Emeretta Green leader, will be held March 23 at the home of Mrs. Ada Tracy. Members are asked to bring the following material: Three shades of one color and two shades of another color and color for background. Bring mat started in Lesson I completed to receive final instructions in binding edge.

Sack lunch will be served at noon. Mrs. Dorothy Burdick won the white elephant.

Mrs. Kenneth Vars and Mrs. James Lynch are in Wellsville today to receive instructions as leaders on the lesson in refreshments.

Always a good investment—U. S. Savings Bonds.

Notice to Voters

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those who signed the petition to have our names on the ballot for the election of village trustees on March 21st.

We are not obligated to any political group, and are not seeking the replacement of any of the appointed officers of the village as has been rumored.

If elected, we well try to accept this position with an open mind and perform our duties and make our decisions for the best interests of the village.

Signed:
DONALD DeREMER
EDWARD L. KENT

Mrs. Albert Rogers Fractures Wrist

Village Clerk, Mrs. Albert Rogers had the misfortune to fall on the ice on Pleasant Ave., while on her way to the Village office Wednesday morning, fracturing her right wrist. She was taken to the Jones Memorial hospital in Wellsville where the fracture was reduced.

Local Grange Contest Judges Announced

James D. Marsh, Master of the Andover Subordinate Grange, announced today the appointment of a committee of five judges to select the local winner in the $10,000 nation-wide essay contest sponsored by the National Grange and the American Plant Food Council on the subject of "Soil Fertility and the Nation's Future."

All young men and women through 20 years of age are eligible to compete for awards in the contest which ends April 15.

Local judges selected are as follows:

Glenn Bronson, chairman, agricultural teacher Andover Central school.

James H. Kessler, principal of Andover Central School.

E. L. Kent, certified seed potato grower.

Mrs. Marie McFadden, English department, Andover Central School.

Everett N. Clair, pharmacist.

"All essays from this area must be sent to Andover Subordinate Grange at Andover for processing by April 15, 1950," Mr. Marsh explained. "The local winners will be announced prior to sending the entries to the State Grange May 10."

Under Secretary of Agriculture Albert J. Loveland is chairman of the Board of National Judges, and other members are: Dr. Hugh H. Bennett, chief, soil Conservation Service, USDA; Miss Lois M. Clark, assistant director, Division of Rural Service, National Education Association; Dr. W. T. Spanton, chief, Agricultural Education Service, U. S. Office of Education, and Dr. M. L. Wilson, director of extension work, USDA.

"Interest in the 1950 contest is mounting and we are pleased that so many young men and women are becoming concerned with the subject of soil fertility in relation to the nation's future," Mr. Marsh said.

Certificates of award and attractive pins will be presented local winners who will be eligible for the following prizes offered by the American Plant Food Council:

National: First prize, $1,000; second prize, $500; third prize, $400; fourth prize, $300; fifth prize, $300, and six prize, $300.

State: First prize, $100; second, $50, and third, $25.

Entries must be limited to 800 words and essays will be judged on the basis of effectiveness, originality, practical application of the subject matter and grammatical correctness.

Boost your home town!

Cuba Defeats Andover In Legion Finals

The Cuba Legion, who went undefeated in league competition this year, defeated Andover 57-55 in an overtime game to win the Legion cup on the Belmont Central School court last Thursday night. This was the second overtime game lost to Cuba this year. The locals have three defeats, all by Cuba.

The game started out with Cuba taking the lead. In the first half they could hardly miss and at one time in the second quarter held a 30-14 lead. At the half Cuba led 34-21.

The last half was a different story. It was a new team that came on the floor for Andover, and they cut Cuba's lead down slowly. It was one of the greatest exhibitions of fight seen by any team. Andover, still trailing in the last quarter by 10 points, tied up the game in the last two minutes and when the game ended it was 49-49.

Cuba scored four points immediately in the overtime and Andover just couldn't get them back. The score ended, Cuba 57, Andover 55.

Five players fouled out of the rough contest and several others had four personals called on them at the finish. It was a rough and tough game with close body-checking on both sides and constant whistle tooting. Sixty fouls were called during the rugged session, 31 against Andover and 29 against Cuba.

Carl Witzel, Andover's brilliant guard, although very closely guarded, led in the scoring for both teams with 16 points. Ingalls was high for Cuba with 14 points.

Every player done a superb job for Andover and even though losing the cup they have demonstrated this year some of the best basketball ever seen in Allegany county.

Andover's record now stands 22 wins against three defeats.

Big Games of the Year Tonight

This (Thursday) evening at 7 o'clock the people of Andover will get a chance to see all the boys in action.

There will be three big games starting at 7 sharp. Prof. Kessler and the faculty will meet this year's junior varsity and there is plenty of laps around that new track bet on this game. Don't miss this one. Get there early.

At 8 p. m., the Legion preliminary team will meet "Vic" Daley's "Marauders," a ding-dong battle with plenty of pounds on both teams.

At 9 p. m., the Legion will meet the high school varsity and the high school boys will be out to try and teach their coach a few tricks he taught them this year.

Don't miss these games. That's tonight at 7 p. m., at the Andover Central School gym.

Grange News

The next regular meeting of the Andover Grange will be held at the Grange Hall, March 22, at 8 p. m. Every family is to bring a pie unless otherwise solicited for refreshments.

Birdsfoot Trefoil Program
Song, "Bud and Bloom" No. 37.

Members bring pictures of plant, blossom and seed pods of birdsfoot trefoil if possible for exhibit.

Address: "Birdsfoot Trefoil—It's Value to the Dairymen" by Glenn Bronson, A. C. S. agricultural teacher.

Quartet: "Stay On the Farm" No. 58.

Surprise feature, by Overseer.

Roll Call of Officers: "How I Identify Birdsfoot Trefoil.

Musical number, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Burdick.

Closing poem: "Birdsfoot Trefoil."