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Turning Back the Pages of Andover History

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50 YEARS AGO

SEPT. 12, 1900

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John C. McAndrew and Miss Nora E. Livermore were married at the Presbyterian parsonage September 9.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Miles F. Livermore this week.

The village board granted the Andover Gas Co. a franchise to operate in the village, at its meeting Monday night. The company agrees to furnish free gas to the village hall.

Miss Ella McLaughlin returned Saturday from a two weeks visit in Hornellsville and Buffalo.

Misses Sara and Angie Barney are spending several days in Hammondsport, guest of Mrs. W. W. Brundage.

Mrs. F. S. Clark returned to the sanitarium at Castile for treatment Friday.

40 YEARS AGO

SEPT. 9, 1910

J. H. Backus, Editor & Publisher

Mrs. John Howe, 75, died at her home here Saturday, September 3. Her husband, three daughters and two sisters survive.

W. F. O'Connell has purchased the lumber and coal business in Andover from the H. P. Benton estate.

Bert Trowbridge is teaching in Shovel Hollow, Lou Bloss on Pingrey Hill and George Robinson at Elm Valley this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Schmidt are rejoicing over the arrival of a little son at their home.

Guy Wood of Newburg was in Andover, Labor Day.

Prin. and Mrs. R. A. Bartlett returned Saturday from Buffalo where they have been passing a month's vacation.

Father Sheehy is attending the Eucharistic Congress in Montreal this week.

Miss Nellie Lynch left Monday to resume her studies at the Buffalo Normal and Miss Elizabeth Bassett left Monday to return to Oswego Normal.

30 YEARS AGO

SEPT. 10, 1920

J. H. Backus & Son, Editors

Mrs. Eliza J. Stillman, 73, died at her home on Dyke street September 6. She has no immediate survivors.

Michael Lynch, Jr., 59, (known here as "Senator Lynch") died September 4 at Vincennes, Ind., where he was engaged in the oil business. Services were held Wednesday morning at Blessed Sacrament church, Andover.

Ed. Kauffinan, former Andover grocery merchant, was killed September 1st at Bainbridge, N. Y., where he was run over by a load of stone.

Mrs. James P. Cannon is ill at her home on Elm street. Miss Elizabeth Folsing of New York is her nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Clarke and daughter of Rochester, Mrs. Wilbur Davis and daughter of Bridgeton, N. J., and Mrs. L. F. Thompson of Canisteo have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Temple were Labor Day week-end guests in Buffalo.

Fred Bundy is in town, called here by the serious illness of his sister, Miss Flora Bundy.

J. D. Cheesman is visiting at the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cheesman of Elkhart, Ind.

Miss Julia Raufenbarth has returned to her teaching duties at Lynnbrook, N. J., and Miss Ruth DeRemer to her school duties at Collins, N. Y.

Miss Camilla Joyce of Buffalo passed the week-end with Andover relatives.

KILLERS?

Manslaughter?

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CHILD SAFETY MONTH IS SEPTEMBER!

"Child Safety" Month

The following release was received from Albany by Police Officer Albert Rogers regarding child safety:

"Child Safety"—a matter of interest for every police officer, is being given special attention during the month of September Chosen as the national safety theme for the month, "Child Safety" will keynote the coordinated publicity and programming released from the New York State Division of Safety during the "back-to-school" month. Far from an independent effort, the Division will be supplemented in its promotional activities by many commercial, educational and social organizations which have interested themselves in this important campaign. Aided by still other groups which will become active this year for the first time, the Division is endeavoring to lead the way to greater child safety in the Empire State.

The police, probably more than any other single group in the community, realize the need for a sound child safety program. Though first hand experience they have acquired grim familiarity with the child accident picture. They know full well that too many young lives are wasted each year for want of effective preventive measures. To them, the highway accident hazard which snuffed out the lives of 3,800 school age youngsters in this country last year is worthy of careful study. Mindful too, of the 170,000 boys and girls injured in traffic mishaps last year, police officers everywhere will undoubtedly wish to participate actively in the present child safety campaign.

Police support of the September program can be provided in any of several ways. It can be both independent and cooperative. Independent, by devoting renewed interest to the enforcement of traffic laws in school areas and cooperative by assisting other community groups in the presentation of their related programs.

In all likelihood, a large number of police officials will develop specialized plans for participation in the "Child Safety" movement. Still others may be interested in suggestons for promoting the school safety theme. The following items are offered for those who might find them useful:

1. Where feasible, expansion of traffic control in school areas by uniformed police officers during the critical "to and from" school hours.

2. Special attention to moving violations committed in school areas during school hours.

3. Special attention to the enforcement of school bus law, (Sec. 15, subd. 20, N. Y. S. V&T Law).

4. Repeated reminders to children of the dangers of playing in the street; encouragement to make full use of protected play areas.

5. Close cooperation with school authorities in presenting safety lessons (speaking on traffic safety at school assemblies).

6. Leadership in developing public support for the child safety campaign.

7. Child Safety publicity by giving newspapers suitable releases during September. Local radio stations to be requested to make full use of Child Safety material prepared and distributed by the Radio Bureau of the New York State Department of Commerce.

Either directly or indirectly, virtually every police organization in the State will actively support the Child Safety campaign. Most departments will carry on their programs unassisted; but some may find that they would like additional aid. These departments and their officials seeking specialized services are urged to make known their wishes to this office. In all such cases, every effort will be made to provide the fullest possible information and assistance.

Notice of Filing Competed Assessment Roll With Clerk

AFTER GRIEVANCE DAY
(Tax Law, Sec. 29)

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll for the Town of Andover in the County of Allegany for the yar 1950, has been finally completed by the undersigned Assessors, and a certified copy thereof was filed in the office of the Town Clerk, on the 1st day of September, 1950, where the same will remain open to public inspection until November 1st.

Dated this 30th day of August 1950.

R. E. Spicer
Lou Snyder
I. H. Gilfillan
Assessors of the Town of Andover, N. Y. 37

The Brightener

"How's the baby?" asked the neighbor of the new father.

"Fine!" said the proud parent.

"Don't you find a baby brightens up a household wonderfully?" pursued the friend.

"Yes," returned the parent with a sign, "We have the lights going most of the night now."

Mental Health Institute Planned

An all-day Mental Health Institute is being planned for Thursday, October 19, at the Nancy Howe Auditorium in Wellsville, it was revealed today by Dr. Roland L. Warren of Alfred University, Chairman of the Allegany County Mental Health Committee.

Dr. Warren stated that tentatively a program has been set up to include nationally-known speakers in the field, on the general theme "Mental health in everyday living." "This will be the beginning of a campaign in Allegany county," he said, "to inform our citizens and young people about the importance of mental health. We stand today in the same relative position as the anti-tuberculosis committees stood twenty-five years ago, and a program of information and help is just as much needed in this new field as it was then in fighting a diffenent kind of illness.

The local institute will tie in with a statewide program sponsored by the Committee on Mental Health of the State Charities Aid Association, of which the county committee is a subsidiary.

There will be no charge for attendance at the institute, which will be open to the general public. Further details on the program will be released as soon as arrangements are completed, Dr. Warren stated.

Other members of the Allegany County Mental Health Committee are: Dr. E. F. Comstock, President of the Allegany County Medical Association; Mrs. E. W. Briggs; Alden T. Stuart, Superintendent of Wellsville Central Schools; William Bacon, Librarian of the David A. Howe Public Library all of Wellsville; Mrs. Ramon F. Reynolds, President of the Tuberculosis and Health Association; Rev. Albert Rogers of Alfred; Mrs. Catherine C. Manis, Executive Secretary of the Allegany Health and Tuberculosis Association and Secretary of the Mental Health Committee, Mrs. Leo Hunt of Belmont; Mrs. Oswald E. Davis of Rushford; Andrew F. Haynes, Supervising Principal of the Fillmore Central School and Marvin C. Mandel, Andover, Director of Guidance in the Andover, Scio and Whitesville Central Schools.

Seed pods resembling small tomatoes are showing up on the vines of many of the newer potato varieties. The seeds are of little practical value and do not breed true to the parent plant.

Bird Of a Reply

An old man was sitting on the porch of a little village store when a big, shiny car drove up with two strangers in it.

"Hey, there," one of them called out. "How long has this town been dead?"

The old man looked at them over the rims of his spectacles.

"Well, not long, I guess. You're the first buzzards I've seen."

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11:30 a. m., Sunday School. Classes for all ages.

8:00 p. m., Evening Worship. You will find this a friendly, warm service. Come and sing your favorite hymns and study the words of Jesus.

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Dr. Stephen Clark, Lay Reader

Sunday morning services at 10 o'clock.

Church school at 11:00.

METHODIST
Chester W. Whitt, Minister

Services for Sunday Sept. 17

10:30 a. m. Morning worship. Mr. Whitt will speak on the subject "A Higher Justice."

11:30 a. m. Church school.

6:30 p. m. Junior youth group meets at the church for games, worship, refreshments. All Methodist youth 9-14 are invited to attend.

Choir rehearsal will be held at the church on Friday evening at 7:30.

PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. Albert Rogers, stated supply

Sunday morning worship at 10:30.

Sunday school at 11:40. Classes for all ages.

On Tuesday evening the Kings Daughters will meet at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fay Boyd. The assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Frances Beebe, Gertrude Kupp, Marion Theetge, Jeanne Allen, Mary Bunt, Doris Reil and Emma Tucker.

Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock the choir will rehearse at the church.

CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE
Edward D. Poser, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Morning worship 11:30 a. m.
Young People's meeting 6:30.
Evening service, 7:30.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Bible study and prayer meeting.

Missionaries from Peru and French West Africa will be conducting our missionary convention September 21-24. Rev. A. M. Sluyter of Peru and Miss L. Hillman of French West Africa.

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Green Tomatoes

When the first frost hits the garden, you can still save your green tomatoes and put them to good use, according to specialists at the New York State College of Home Economics at Cornell. Tomatoes that are well advanced and about to turn color may be stored at room temperatures between 55 and 70 degrees F. Any cool place such as a cellar, fruit cellar, store room, or closed-in porch where the tomatoes may be spread out is good for the purpose.

Advanced green tomatoes will ripen in sunlight or shade. Immature green tomatoes will not ripen and should be used soon after picking for pickles, relishes, mincement, and the like or for meals—fried or in pies or meat dishes.

To Clean Piano Keys

Whether or not mother is a musician she frequently has her turn at the piano when it's time for cleaning. Ivory piano keys may be cleaned with a cloth dampened in denatured alcohol. For keys that are stained, use a paste of finely powdered whiting and lemon juice. Rub the paste over the ivories and then remove with a damp cloth. For badly stined keys you may have to repeat the treatment.

Sugar Enough

Sugar enough for all normal household uses is the report of sugar specialists and program administrators of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Sugar supplies are sufficiently good to allow for the usual amount of canning. In fact, it is probably more patriotic as well as good sense to conserve food rather than to hold onto sugar for fear of later shortage. That does not mean that homemakers should stock up beyond their current sugar needs as hoarding can create a problem that does not now exist.

Of Foreign Growth

"I studied painting abroad," said the artist, with conscious pride.

"That explains it," said his rustic critic. "I knew I had never seen a cow like that in this country."

The first homemade United Nations Flag, made under the nationwide "Betsy Ross' flag campaign, was presented to President Truman on September 7 during special ceremonies sponsored by the National Citizens Committee for United Nations Day, October 24, by 4-H Club members.

This event marks the launching of nationwide campaigns on the part of the National Grange and other participating farm organizations.

Much national recognition has been given the Betsy Ross campaign thus far, but the real campaign is only beginning. No matter how much national publicity there is, the real job is to be done in the Subordinate Granges on the community level. Emphasis is placed upon cooperation with other farm organizations and community groups. Every Grange is urged to work with others to raise at least one United Nations Flag in every community in the Country.

Fact sheets with proper instructions and patterns will be available through County and Home Demonstration Agents together with a color illustration of the United Nations Flag, a pamphlet on the United Nations and its activity and a special letter from Mrs. Ruth Mitchell, Home Economics Chairman of the National Grange.

We were gratified to see how many of you folks stood before the Grange Newsletter Exhibit at the State Fair and looked for the heading of his own hometown newspaper.

Victims Needed

Millionaire (speaking to body of students): "All my success, all my tremendous financial prestige, I owe to one thing—pluck, pluck, pluck!"

Student: "But how are we to find the right people to pluck?"

Sell that article thru the Classified Ads.

United Kingdom Industry 'Goes to Town' In 1949

Industrial vitality can be fairly measured by research and technological developments, by the physical creation of new enterprises, and, most important, perhaps, by exports. The great progress made in all these fields by United Kingdom industry is typified by these examples:

During 1949 two great new factories came into production. One was a £22,000,000 chemical works (built as part of the big chemical industry development scheme) on a 2,000 acre site; the other factory—the first of its kind in Britain—came into full operation, with an annual output of 24,000 tons, for the manufacture of synthetic solvents from petroleum-derived chemicals.

During 1949, Britain became the world's largest exporter of motor cars. In September, the output of motor cars reached a weekly average of 8,700, the highest since World War II. Britain is also the world's greatest producer and exporter of bicycles and motor cycles.

Electrical machinery exports have been averaging nearly 3½ million pounds a month, as compared with only 500,000 pounds in 1938; electrical goods and appliances, nearly 7 million pounds as compared with one million pounds in the prewar year. Exports of other machinery for the third quarter of 1949 totalled over 68 million pounds. By volume, machinery exports have been running at consistently more than double the 1938 rate.

It is also heartening to record that the machine tools industry is producing at the rate of 40 million pounds a year, and that, in the middle of 1949, no less than 46 per cent of the world's new merchant shipping was under construction in the United Kingdom yards.

Tomato Juice In The Freezer

Tomato juice has been added to the growing list of foods which can be successfully frozen for out-of-season use, but Doctor Frank Lee of the Geneva Experiment Station cautions that the flavor of this product differs somewhat from that of canned tomato juice.

Tomato juice prepared for freezing is subjected to a shorter heating period which results in a flavor resembling that of fresh tomatoes. Since most people are accustomed to the cooked flavor of canned tomato juice, their reaction to the newer method of preserving the product can be determined only after trial. For this reason, the Geneva food scientist advises homemakers to put up only a small amount until it has been given a "taste test" by the family.

Frozen tomato juice is prepared by washing well-ripened tomatoes, removing stems and green spots, and cutting the tomatoes into sixths. The cut fruit is allowed to simmer for five minutes after which the juice is strained. One teaspoonful of salt is added to each pint of juice. It should then be cooled rapidly, put into glass jars and frozen. As with other foods prepared for freezing, speed in preparation for freezing insures a higher quality product.

While this process has been used successfully for several years, no method has yet been devised for freezing whole tomatoes satisfactorily.

The Place

Little Joan was staying with an aunt who held strong views on how children should behave. She was obviously unhappy.

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