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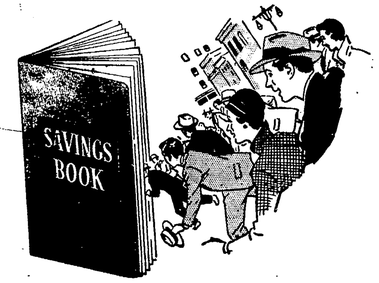

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Personals

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Allen left Sunday to pass a vacation in Florida.

—Mrs. Bessie Mulconery is visiting at the home of her brother, H. S. Cook of Gasport a few days this week.

—Mrs. Frank Holmes is passing the week at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cartwright of West Henrietta.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Childs and daughter of Portville were Saturday guests of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wereley and other relatives here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Northrup of Dansville were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Trowbridge.

—Mr. and Mrs. John C. Lever left Sunday for Baltimore, Md., where they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lever of Boston, Mass., and continue on a motor trip through the Southern states with some time spent in Florida.

—Mrs. Martin Hoyer has returned from New York City where she passed some time with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burdick of Railroad Valley and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sisson attended the wedding of their niece and cousin, Miss Joan McHenry, held in the Methodist church at Knapps Creek, Saturday.

—Rev. Archie MacDougald was a business caller in Olean Tuesday.

—Mrs. T. K. Regan was a Monday visitor at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Gallagher of Hornell.

—Mrs. H. P. Burdick of Hartsville was calling on Andover relatives and friends Tuesday. She reports Mr. Burdick as gaining in the St. James Mercy hospital, Hornell, and expects him to be able to return home in a few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Leach of Hornell called on Mr. and Mrs. Burr Ruger and other friends, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Max Gilluly of Belmont spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burgett.

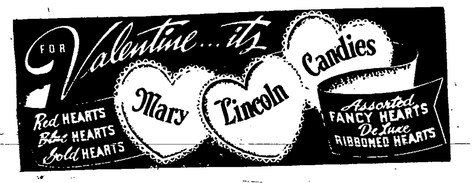
—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wereley and son of Friendship and Gerald Parker of Hornell were Saturday guests at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wereley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tolan of Hornell were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Mabel Wightman and daughter, Norma.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeland are passing a few weeks in Tampa, Fla., guests of relatives.

—Richard Kessler was home from Hobart College to pass the week-end with his parents, Prin. and Mrs. J. H. Kessler.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Sackett and daughter Patricia were business visitors in Rochester last Wednesday.



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CLAIR'S PHARMACY

Republican Caucus

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Agricultural News

IRA BLIXT, County Agent

With defense buying cutting into the amount of copper available for civilian use, Allegany county farmers will have to take care of what electrical equipment they have, states William Weston, district agricultural engineer.

Care of electric motors is especially important, he points out. If the motor is to have a long life, it must be maintained and protected from overheating. A delayed action fuse should be used since an ordinary circuit fuse of the type used on lighting circuits won't protect the motor from burning out, the engineer warns. A simple fuse that will carry enough current to start a motor is too large to protect it when running.

"Proper care of the motor will help to prevent overheating. Improper lubrication and worn bearings are common causes of overload which, in turn, makes the motor overheat. Low voltage may also cause the motor to burn out," Mr. Weston says. When voltage drops the amperes needed to run the motor increase. This increased amperage causes the motor to overheat. Dirty air passages which prevent ventilation may also be at fault.

Faulty wiring or installation can cause trouble with motors as well as with other equipment. Farmers making new installations should consult their power company's rural service man, the engineer recommended.

Beef breeders in Allegany county who plan to enter cattle in the annual group heifer sale at Palmyra on April 21st, should make their entries immediately. Those who wish to buy should keep the date in mind.

Entry blanks are available at the Farm Bureau office. All entries should be mailed to C. V. Jeffers, Sodus, N. Y., Secretary of the Project, by March 1st.

Good quality Aberdeen Angus, Hereford and beef Shorthorn heifers born in 1949 and 1950 are eligible for nomination. The heifers need not be highly fitted but must be of good quality. A few top quality young purebred bulls will also be accepted.

All cattle offered will be inspected by a selection committee composed of a breeder, representing each breed early in March.

At last year's sale 81 heifers and four bulls were sold.

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Supervisors Appoint Acting County Highway Superintendent

Harry G. Miess of Belmont, senior civil engineer of the Allegany County Highway Department since 1925, was unanimously appointed acting county highway superintendent Tuesday by the Board of Supervisors, to succeed Harry Craig who retired January 1, on account of the Civil Service age limit.

A Civil Service examination for the appointment of a permanent county highway superintendent some time in the future is expected to bring several applicants.

The board also re-appointed J. Whitney Shea of Houghton, a member of the county Civil Service Commission and Walter F. Sibley of Cuba to the board of county laboratory managers.

School Money Distributed

School state aid money totalling $540,030 is being distributed by County Treasurer Frank Gere.

Andover Central School receives $33,035 of this sum.

County Legion to Meet at Belmont

The February meeting of the Allegany County American Legion and Auxiliary will be held with the Belmont Legion next Thursday evening, February 15.

ANDOVER GRANGE
Round and Square DANCE and Social Night
FRIDAY, FEB. 16th
8 to 1
Refreshments
Admission 35c

ANDOVER THEATRE
Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 10-11
"ROSEANNA McCOY"
Farley Granger, Joan Evans
"STARS IN MY CROWN"
Joel McCrea, Ellen Drew
Coming: "Sand," "Doctor and the Girl"

Lenten Specials

OUR VALUE or BITS OF SEA
TUNA FISH ..... ½ lb. tin 27c
OUR FINEST
RED SALMON ..... 1 lb. tin 75c
FRESH FROSTED
Forty Fathom FISH ..... lb. 39c
Perch, Haddock, Fresh Cod, Pollock
HEADLESS AND DRESSED
WHITE FISH ..... lb. 19c
OYSTERS, fresh ..... pint 75c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, quick cooking, Red & White .... 3 lb. box 39c
R. & W. PURE EGG NOODLES, fine, wide or medium ..... 12 oz. pkg. 25c
PEA BEANS, fancy, hand picked .. 2 lbs. 35c
MARROWFAT BEANS, for baking .. lb. 27c
BUTTER COOL SPRING Foil Wrapped lb. 75¢
CARROTS, California ... 3 large bunches 25c
SEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT, large .. 3 for 25c
ICEBURG LETTUCE .. 2 lg. crisp heads 25c
APPLES, Macs ..... 4 lbs. 25c
Fancy Spies ..... 3 lbs. 29c
FLORIDA JUICE ORANGES .. 5 lb. bag 39c

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"Bill" Lang, Prop. Phone 188

ANDOVER NEWS

A PROGRESSIVE FAMILY NEWSPAPER FOR ALLEGANY COUNTY PEOPLE — IN POLITICS INDEPENDENT BUT NEVER NEUTRAL

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Another Letter For "Paddy of The Patch"

Friend "Willie:"

I am enclosing a letter to "Paddy of the Patch" and I wonder if you will be kind enough to see that he gets it. I understand that he doesn't dare go into the post office any more since they put that picture of him on the bulletin board, with the letters "Wanted" printed under it. Thanks for your trouble.

T.M.W.A.S.

Dear Paddy of the Booby Hatch:

Well, Onion Head, I have finally caught up with myself and am going to throw away a few minutes of my precious time on writing a note to you. I hope that you will be able to find someone to read it to you as I know how lost you are when you see a piece of paper with writing instead of pictures on it. Now that your, Charlie Freeland, is in Florida who does do your reading for you? Anyway, I am going to write it and you will have to take your chances on finding out what I say.

The first thing that I want to mention is about the Xmas present that I got from our mutual friend, Willie. I won't be able to tell you just what it was in this letter but I will definitely wear it home the next time I come and will show it to you. Needless to say, he went all out on it and he couldn't have gotten me anything more useful. Of course it came a month and a half after Xmas, but then, I guess that we forgot to tell him when Christmas came around last year. He thought that the Xmas lights on Main street were some new kind of street lights that they were trying out. I was glad to hear that he didn't get you anything for Xmas, although I know that you had your big greedy hand out expecting something. He said that the wool yarn was all used up on my gift and that he was going to give you what Paddy shot at and missed. By the way Chum, just what was it that you shot at? I've often wondered. So much for the Xmas gift until I see you.

I read your letter two or three weeks ago in the Andover News and am surprised at your ignorance regarding that corny line about Sara Nac being a woman. You were even more ignorant than Willie was. He thouht that Saranac was that medicine for people over 35 that Bostwick has been taking for years. By the way, that can of it that we gave him must be getting pretty empty so maybe we had better chip in and get him another. Now that I'm not there to shovel his walk he needs all of the extra power that we can give him.

Also in regard to your letter, I was surprised to hear you say that you aren't "The Thing." After I heard the song I analyzed the situation and said that there was only one person that the whole country did not want anything to do with and that person was you. Please don't tell me that you have an equal somewhere in the country. If that is true, the illiteracy rate has just doubled from what it was.

I know that you will be happy to know that I am freezing a slow death up here in the mountains. It got down to 36 below the other morning and I froze in my tracks. If the temperature gets up to ten above zero up here all the people complain about a heat wave. All of the people except two, that is, or should I say three???

I also see by reading the Andover News that our old pie-face chum is going to take a flying trip out West. You don't suppose that the fact the minstrel show will soon be coming up is in any way influencing his hurried exit do you? Regardless of whether that is the reason or not, I am glad that he is getting the opportunity to go and I wish that he would take you with him. The ranchers out there would welcome you and all of your corn. The West that I am referring to Paddy, is the Western States, not West Greenwood. Those farmers over around there have had enough of you already.

Well, feather brain, you've had it for this time. Keep your face clean and quit sending me those monthly statements for payment of those dinners that you claim I owe you. We've already settled that score.

Your pal,
The Man With a Shovel

P.S.—Again I ask you, what was it that you shot at and missed?

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nobles of Rochambeau avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to Roland P. Kemp of Mt. Morris, son of Mark Kemp and the late Mrs. Ethel C. Kemp of Andover.

Miss Nobles graduated from Elmira schools, attended Cortland State Teachers College and is employed at the office of Elic. Reactance Corp., of Olean.

Mr. Kemp graduated from Andover Central School, attended Alfred University and graduated from Kansas City, Mo., School of Horology. He served three and a half years in the Navy during World War II and is now associated with the J. Lee Folts Jewelry at Mt. Morris.

Wedding plans are incomplete.

Weather Slows Up Community Chest Drive Here

Mrs. Frank Holmes, campaign chairman of the Community Chest drive reports that the icy condition of the walks has hindered the work of solicitors this past week to such an extent that she has no report to release on the progress of the drive.

When the solicitors are able to get out the Community Chest program should be given loyal support by all residents. All of the agencies participating in the Chest are worthy causes and through the Community Chest plan a lot of time and effort will be saved by making one concerted effort to finance them.

Hospital Notes

Billie Emery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Emery was taken to St. James Mercy hospital, Hornell, Monday for observation and treatment.

Dan Haist underwent eye surgery at the St. James Mercy hospital, Thursday. Reports of his condition are satisfactory.

Rev. A. W. MacDougald is a surgical patient at the Olean General hospital.

Mrs. Emma Hurd returned home Wednesday from the Jones Memorial hospital, Wellsville where she had been a medical patient.

Woman's Relief Corps

Edward Seamon Woman's Relief Corps, No. 155

The regular birthday dinner of the Edward Seaman Relief Corps will be held this coming Friday, February 16, at 12 o'clock, at the hall with the regular meeting following the dinner. Mrs. Jennie Smith is chairman with Mrs. Alta Hoagland Mrs. Evelyn Lynton and Mrs. Leona Slocum assisting.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deep appreciation and thanks to those sending flowers, furnishing cars, or who assisted in other ways at the time of our bereavement, also to friends for words of sympathy and to those sending cards.

Mark Sheppard, Sr.
Mark Sheppard, Jr.
Mrs. Florence Earley
Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Borden

Dyke Creek Ice Jam Has to Be Dynamited

An ice jam in Dyke Creek Wednesday which started at the Erie railroad tressel west of the village, packed the stream full of ice nearly to the Second street bridge with water flooding that section of town.

The Erie brought in a shooter from Bolivar who dynamited the jam on the lower end and relieved the presure on their property and the falling temperature during the night brought the flood condition of the creek down so that extensive flood damage was avoided. The water, however, ran through the village buildings and the milk condensory and for a time it was feared that the James Monahan family would have to be moved from their home. The panels in the new electric sub-station were elevated several feet when the station was built and out of water damage but it was feared that the ice would push in the fence and possibly put some of the outside installation out of order.

Another ice jam at the Water street railroad bridge caused considerable flooding in that area but local people were able to clear that one. Ice is aiso reported as jammed at the Shovel Hollow highway bridge above the vilage.

There is still a big ice jam below the Second street bridge which will have to be moved as soon as the creek comes up enough to float the ice away.

News Briefs of Local Servicemen

The address of "Bill" Gorsuch son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gorsuch of Andover, who enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps February 1 is:

Pvt. William H. Gorsuch
1179258
Plt. 114, 2nd Rec. Tng. Bn.
M. C. R. D.
Parris Island, S. C.

Pvt. Gorsuch is a brother of Pfc. Robert Gorsuch who was wounded September 23 while serving with the U. S. Marine Corps in the invasion of the Inchon beachhead.

"Bill," who enlisted for three years will undergo eight weeks training at Parris Island. Formerly a student of Andover Central School, he hopes to be assigned to engineer duty with the Leathernecks.

New Orleans, Feb. 13.—Herman D. (Sonny) Lehman, fireman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lehman of Andover was among the 900-man crew of the aircraft carrier Monterey which swelled a throng of thousands of visitors here for Mardi Gras.

The Monterey, one of three Navy ships that visited this carefree city for the celebrations, tied up at the foot of famed Canal street, providing "grandstand seats" for her crew. The carrier arrived last Saturday.

The address of "Johnny" Connor is:

Pvt. John L. Connor (7459)
Hq. & Hq. Sq. 3535th A.B.G.
Military Training Detachment
Mather Air Force Base
Mather Field, Calif.

Rod and Gun Club Meeting Friday Night

The regular meeting of the Andover Rod & Gun Club will be held this Friday evening at the Grange Hall. A good attendance is desired as a recommendation is to be voted on for the open seasons on muskrats, deer and rabbits.

It sure is funny how you never get too old to learn some new way to be foolish.

Purchases Beauty Shop

Miss Jean Lynch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael V. Lynch, has purchased the Vogue Beauty Salon of Mrs. Jerry Callahan and will open it for business on Monday, February 19.

Miss Lynch is a graduate of the Doyle Beauty School in Buffalo and was formerly employed at Ernestine's Beauty Shop in Wellsville.

Last Week's Lucky Farmer Photo

Last week's Lucky Farmer picture was of the Earle Greene farm on Andover R. D. 2, Independence.

American Legion To Sponsor Youth Night

The Andover American Legion has offered to sponsor a youth night for high school students one night each week with juke box dancing, movies, etc., in the Legion lounge.

The entertainment will be chaperoned by school teachers and Legion members and the Legion tap room will be closed during the entire evening with the club lounge open for student participation only.

The first youth night will be held next Tuesday, February, 20, from 7:00 to 10:00 p. m. Parents are welcome to come in at all times during the evening.

"Chuck" Holt, Jr., Has Coaching Job

Charles M. Holt, Jr., has accepted a position as a member of the faculty of the James Monroe High School at Fredericksburg, Va., where he is head coach of basketball and track and junior varsity football coach.

"Chuck" took over his new duties February 5 and Mrs. Holt plans to join him about March 1.

Past Grands Club to Meet Friday Night

The Past Noble Grands Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Clarence Snedeker Friday evening for a 7 o'clock tureen supper to be followed by a short business meeting and social hour.

Village Has New Line Truck

The Village of Andover has purchased a 1947 Dodge line truck for the use of the electric department. The truck is equipped with a new 5-ton winch.

Appreciation

I wish to thank all my kind friends and neighbors for the lovely sunshine basket given me during my illness. I sincerely appreciate it.

Beulah Slocum

Appreciation

I wish to express my appreciation for your friendship and patronage during the time I operated the Vogue Salon in Andover.

"Jerry" Callahan

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Allegany-Steuben League Playoffs Here Tonight

The Allegany-Steuben league playoffs will be held on the Andover Central School court tonight starting at 8 o'clock.

Andover, who took second place in the league, will meet Greenwood who took third place in the league in the first game. Alfred-Almond won the league and will meet Whitesville the fourth place team in the second game.

Andover has been handicapped the past two weeks because of losing so many players. Besides the ones who have gone in service and working away, Paul Hyland and "Bob" Baker have leg injuries and will be unable to play.

Andover and Greenwood played twice during the season and each won on their home court.

The two winners will meet next week for the league playoff championship. The court they will play on is not yet known.

Andover Meets Bath Vets

The Andover Legion will meet the powerful Bath veterans on the local court next Thursday night, February 22. Bath has one of the best teams in this part of the state. They have a collection of some of the finest ball players in this area. Pos Holmes, their negro star, can do everything with a basketball except kick it into the basket and he has been known to do that.

In the first meeting this year Bath defeated Andover 64-48.

Mrs. Joseph P. Lynch

Mrs. Joseph P. Lynch, Sr., 63, of Grand Rapids, Mich., died early Saturday morning, January 25, 1951, at St. Mary's hospital following an illness of six weeks.

She was born in Andover, November 28, 1888, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. Cornellius Lynch. She graduated from Andover High School and the Buffalo Normal School and after teaching a few years was married July 10, 1916 to Joseph P. Lynch of Wellsville and moved to Grand Rapids where she has since resided.

A leader in welfare and charity work, Mrs. Lynch was active in civic affairs for many years. She was a member of St. Mary's Hospital board and a life member of Mary Catherine Guild, a member of the Babies Welfare Guild, St. Stephen's Church Guild, Women's City Club and a former member of the Ladies Literary Club and the Grand Rapids Art Gallery.

Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons, Joseph P., Jr., Daniel L. and Philip H.; two daughters, Mrs. John Muzzall and Mrs. Miner S. Keefer II, all of Grand Rapids; a sister, Mrs. P. J. Gallagher of Hornell, six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held Monday at 10:00 a. m., at St. Stephen's Church with burial in Woodlawn cemetery, Grand Rapids.

We Have Another

We received another anonymous letter for publication this week signed "a reader" which we can't publish until the identity of the writer is known to us. You don't have to sign your name to the published article but we have to know the source before publication.

Storage Grains Below A Year Ago

Grain stocks in off-farm localities in New York State showed a decrease at the beginning of this year. Wheat in storage was 9,000,000 bushels less than a year ago, corn two million short and oats and barley combined about two million short. Bean stocks were also below normal.

Boost your home town.