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Dr. Samuel B. Scott To Retire In June

Dr. Samuel B. Scott has recently announced that he plans to retire from active Medical Practice the 1st of July due to ill health.

This forced retirement due to an advancing arthritic ailment is bringing to a close a medical practice that has been active in Andover for over a third of a century.

Dr. S. B. Scott started his practice in Andover in 1927 after being accepted into the Medical Profession in the State of Virginia in 1926. He graduated from the University of Virginia and served his internship in Buffalo City Hospital, which is presently named Meyer Memorial Hospital.

Dr. Scott started his career in New York City and moved to Andover where he has continued his profession to-date. His office was originally in the building which is now the Fay Brown home, and he moved to his present location on Center St., about a year later.

Dr. Scott has been a member and one time President of the Staff at the Jones Memorial Hospital and is a Past President of the Allegany County Medical Society.

Among his regular duties, he has been School Physician in Andover for many years as well as serving in the same capacity in Greenwood the last several years, and has been Public Health Officer in the Town and Village of Andover over a long period of time.

In visiting with "Scottie", as he has been endearingly called by many local residents, we found that the Doctors in his family have served the public a total number of years adding up to over two centuries. His Grandfather, Dr. Samuel B. Scott, practiced Medicine in Virginia for over 50 years; his father, Dr. Donald Scott, was active in the Medical Profession in Virginia for around 40 years; one of his brothers, Dr. David Scott, practiced Medicine in Virginia for around 50 years; while another brother, Dr. Stuart Scott recently retired in Florida after 40 years of Medical Practice.

Dr. Scott plans on spending an indefinite time starting this summer at his Cape Cod home, but will maintain his residence in Andover since this has been his home for the past 38½ years.

Local GI Wounded In Viet-Nam Action

Word was received this week by the parents of P.F.C. John L. Hunt stationed in Viet-Nam that he had been wounded in Combat on March 17th.

Pfc. Hunt was inducted into the Service August 9th and received his basic training at Fort Dix. He was then sent to a service school and also received his advanced combat training there.

He was shipped to Viet-Nam from California on Feb. 7th and has been in the Combat Zone for the last five weeks.

According to a letter received by his parents, Jack believed that he stepped on a concealed land mine causing the five wounds that he received. He is now recovering in a Military Hospital in that area. His address is:
Pfc. John L. Hunt
U. S. 51548499
2nd Brigade Task Forces
Co. A 2nd Bn. 27th Inf.
APO San Francisco, Calif. 96225

Legion Auxiliary Notice

The regular meeting of Lynch-Burgett Post No. 297 American Legion Auxiliary will be held Monday evening, April 4th at 8 p. m.
Lunch committee is Helen Boyd Maude Allen and Cecile Ruger.

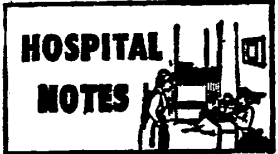
Sixth Lenten Services At Presbyterian Church

The Sixth Community Lenten Service will be held in the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. The Sanctuary Choir will present the Easter Cantata, "The Glory of Easter" by John W. Peterson.

The choir has been presenting Cantatas both at Easter and Christmas for the last two years under the direction of Miss Lois Tripp with Mrs. Clara York as Organist.

The Cantata being presented this Sunday evening is considered to be the most lovely, but difficult one by the choir.

A cordial invitation is extended to the community.



William Burdick underwent emergency appendectomy Friday at the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Earl Norton was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Wednesday, March 23rd as a medical patient.

Riley Green of Third St., was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

Bruce Harris, a surgical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, returned home Friday night.

Mrs. Myrtle Whitney, mother of Mrs. Lee Marvel, was discharged from the Jones Memorial Hospital Monday and is in the Mary's Nursing Home in Wellsville.

Mrs. May Stoutenburg spent from early Tuesday morning until Thursday, as a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. Maxine Goodridge was a surgical patient in the Bethesda Hospital Tuesday until Friday.

Mrs. Carl Burch was a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital Monday until Wednesday for medical treatment and observation.

Mrs. Lewis Snyder, a surgical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, returned to her home Sunday.

Edward Dougherty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dougherty, underwent tonsillectomy at the Dermitt Children's Section of Olean General Hospital, Olean, last week.

Mrs. Herman D. Lehman was a medical patient in the Bethesda Hospital from Friday until Wednesday. Their infant son, Kelly was admitted last Wednesday as a medical patient and same home Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Dean, a patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital for treatment of a fractured leg, was discharged Saturday and is convalescing at her home. Mrs. Doyle Dixon is assisting in her care.

Mrs. Mary Driscoll, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, was discharged Sunday and is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Hennessy in Wellsville.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lynch (Wanda Thorp) of Pleasant St. Wellsville, are the parents of a son, born Wednesday, March 23, 1966. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thorp of Chestnut St. are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lewis (Eve Fenichel) of Andover, R. D. 2 are the parents of a son, born Sunday, March 28, 1966, at the Bethesda Hospital.

News That's Print To Fit

Wow! Did someone say Spring was here? Guess we will have to quit making predictions about the weather in this column. The ink hadn't even begun to dry on last week's issue of the News when the weather caught cold and the mercury started to drop.

Here are the official recorded temperatures through the courtesy of "the Fellers down at the Pump Station": Friday the 25th—L-12, H-23; 26th—L-8, H-31; 27th—L-8, H-20; 28th—L-7, H-23; 29th—L-10, H-35; 30th—L-28, H-40; To-day, the 31st—L-22, H-38.

Were some of you people down in Florida thinking of coming North right away? Looks as if you had better reconsider — and at least wait till the ice is gone from the ponds.

With the spell of cold hitting us for the past week we noticed that it has really slowed progress down on the construction of the new Super Market on Main St. Oh well, it can't stay cold for ever — or can it?

To change the subject we will pass on to some observations. And so that our readers won't think that we have forgotten or neglected something of importance to the community — when we print the report on the happenings and the minutes of the Village Board meetings we can't, and won't, take the responsibility if things aren't carried out the way they were reported.

If we make an error or a mistake — we will only be too happy to correct it when it is called to our attention. Since we are only human (which at times may have been questioned) — it is not beyond the realm of possibilities that we are subject "to err". Likewise — if we notice something that may have been overlooked before it happens — and can be prevented — we attempt to call it to the attention of the person or agency involved.

Thus, since we attended the last Village Board Meeting and checked the minutes of the meeting before publishing the report in the "News" Edition of March 17th, we saved space in this week's issue for publishing the proposed Village Budget — as had been duly moved and carried at the last meeting.

Last night, Wednesday, we still didn't have the copy for the proposed budget so called to check up to see if maybe it had been overlooked. However, we were told that it had been decided to omit it this week — but that it would be turned over to us for next week's edition of the paper.

Since we haven't been given any notice of a special board meeting having been held, it would be reasonable to assume that someone is making decisions without board action.

Be that as it may, we were also informed that it wasn't required to print the Proposed Budget by Village Law anyway — only a notice of the Public Hearing five days in advance, and that if we were going to "have a ball over it" in the paper to be sure and include this.

We are not questioning the locality of this action — although we do think that the Taxpayers have the "Right To Know" and see in print how their Tax \$\$'s are going to be spent.

However — whether it is printed twice — once — or not, at all is something that we have no direct control over what-so-ever.

Our point in the issue is that when something is decided on at a Regular Board Meeting duly reported — and then not carried out — we do not wish to be held accountable for it at a later date!

We see (and you can see) that a change has been made in the

WELCOME YOUR
NEIGHBORHOOD
CANCER
CRUSADER

Mrs. Francis Horan, Chairman for the Cancer Crusade in Andover announces the following volunteers. They will be crusading throughout the month of April. Please give generously.

Mrs. Harold Huffcut, East Valley
Mrs. John Billings, Davis Hill
Mrs. James Haugh, Elm Valley
Mrs. Howard Burdick, Elm Valley

Mrs. Donald Greenan, Baker Road

Mrs. Anthony Dougherty, Indian Creek

Mrs. Charles Dougherty, Quigg Hollow

Mrs. Carrol Burdick, Railroad Valley

Mrs. James Mulholland, Church Street

Mrs. Fay Brown, Main Street, Westside

Mrs. Mary Burns, Main Street, Eastside

Mrs. Leon Coffin, First Street

Mrs. Everett Clair, Dyke Street

Mrs. William Dunham, Dyke Street

Mrs. Ruth York, W. Greenwood Street

Mrs. Glenn Covel, E. Greenwood Street

Mrs. Robert Smith, Elm Street

Mrs. John Richardson, East Ave. and Center Street

Mrs. Ralph Burgett, Maple St.

Mrs. Francis Horan, High and Fairview

Mrs. Glenn Bronson, Pleasant Ave.

Mrs. Clyde Yorton, Chestnut Street

Mrs. Edward Dean, Baker Street

Mrs. Leo Horan, Barney Street

Mrs. William Conner, Hardy Hill

Mrs. Clement Manion, Hill St.

Mrs. Donald Nichols, Water St.

Mrs. Anna Fisher, Second St.

Mrs. Ronald Taylor, Rochambeau Ave.

Mrs. Encil Glover, Rochambeau Ave.

47th Anniversary Of The American Legion

The American Legion Auxiliary of the Lynch-Burgett Post No. 297 entertained the local Legionnaires at their Annual Dinner, Saturday, March 26th at the Legion Home.

About fifty Legionnaires enjoyed a very delicious Baked Ham dinner served by High School girls.

After the dinner, Unit President Lois Wheaton, introduced the Officers of the Auxiliary present and Camilla Wallace who will represent the local Unit at this year's Girls State.

The average age of the World War II Veteran is 45 and the Korean War Veteran is 30. Therefore the American Legion Programs will be carried on for many years to come and possibly some day by the Sons of the American Legion. Please Turn To Page Four

Masonic Notice

The regular Communication of Andover Lodge No. 558 F. & A. M. will be held Monday evening April 4th at 8 o'clock. All Master Masons welcome. Refreshments.

operation of Ordiways Restaurant. We wish "Gladys and her helpers" lots of luck! Keep up the good work.

Committee Announces Plans To Secure Doctor

Representatives from various Civic Organizations met Friday evening at the Andover Central School to discuss plans and courses of action in an earnest endeavor to secure the services of a Doctor in Andover upon the retirement of Dr. S. B. Scott.

Mr. James Kessler representing the A.C.S.; Walter H. Harris, the Chamber of Commerce; Reid Mattison, the Citizens National Bank and Grange; Leonard Briggs, the Andover Town Board; Paul Kilbane and Robert Baker, the Village Board; Roger Tuttle, the Parent-Teacher Association; and Ralph Allen, the Andover News; discussed the need for a Doctor and took a survey of what the Community had to offer.

The Sears & Roebuck Community Medical Assistance Program was discussed, along with other ways and means of obtaining assistance in finding a Doctor to locate in Andover.

Mr. Kessler was authorized to write to two possible interested Physicians as well as place an Ad in the New York State Medical Journal. It was also decided to contact other Medical Associations and Hospitals having Intern Programs. Brochures of the Village of Andover, as well as other attractive features were to be included in the letters that are being sent out.

Housing facilities were also discussed both for office space and residence suitable for a Doctor. Several different possibilities were presented which seemed to be acceptable, with another meeting of the Committee planned for the near future for further action.

District Grand Officers Make Official Visit

A total of 133 people attended the Official Visit of Right Worthy Edna Carter, of Almond, District Deputy Grand Matron, Allegany District and Right Worthy Roland Dunn of Filmore, District Grand Lecturer, Allegany District to Anna W. McArthur Chapter O.E. S. on Monday evening, March 28th at the Masonic Temple.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p. m., by the Worthy Patron, Clyde Yorton. The Worthy Matron, Alice Clarke, then introduced R. W. Verna Clarke of Portville, Associate Grand Con- Please Turn To Page Five

News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

Pvt. Leo Alvord of Fort Dix, N. J., arrived in Andover March 25 on a two weeks delay en-route to report to Fort Eustis, Va.

William Emery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Emery, Main St., and James Cannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Cannon, Water St., plan to leave Friday morning, April 1st for Buffalo, where they will be inducted into the Navy. They will receive their "boot training" at the Great Lakes Naval Training Base, at Great Lakes, Ill.

Local Rod & Gun Club To Receive Shipment Of Trout April 15th

The Andover Rod & Gun Club will receive Trout to be stocked in Dyke's Creek. The Trout will arrive in Andover Friday, April 15th at 11 A. M. in front of the Post Office.

The help of any interested persons would be appreciated in the distribution of the Trout. Please contact either George Sackett or Howard Nichols.

Don't Forget The Junior Play Friday Night Curtain 8:00 p. m.