

Racetrack Rambles Cont.

1st heat; Wesley Rogers, No. VO5, the 2nd; and Larry Scouten, No. 1 3/4, the "Consy". In the Feature, Arnie Flint, No. 7X, was 1st; Frank Starkweather, No. 10, 2nd; Wesley Rogers, No. VO5, 3rd; Brian Woodworth, No. BC, 4th; and Jim Williams, No. 00, 5th.

In the Modern Class — Paul Hidek, No. 6 3/4, won the 1st heat; Warren Kinney, No. 16, the 2nd; and Eutch Harris, No. 3A, the "Consy". In the Feature — Paul Hidek, No. 6 3/4, was 1st; Butch Harris, No. 3A, 2nd; Warren Kinney, No. 16, 3rd; Leo Houghtaling, No. 42, 4th; and Basil Shutt, No. 13, 5th.

At Woodhull Sunday afternoon a partially cloudy sky kept it from getting too hot as well as kept the track from drying out so fast after it was watered.

With the two 35-Lap Mid-Season Trophy Feature Races scheduled, most of the cars were in first class shape for the contest — although in the Modern Class, several of the regulars didn't show up as they met with bad luck at the 100-Lapper at Olean Saturday night. We understand that Jim Hakes, No. 04, blew his engine and although Floyd Green was on hand with No. 7, he was still at a disadvantage as the clutch was out of his car.

In the Sportsman Feature, the battle for the No. 1 slot lasted through the whole race with the lead changing hands several times. Dick Bunn, No. 69, finally managed to gain control of the lead and crossed the finish line a scant few feet ahead of Chuck Wright, No. 66, who had crowded him throughout most of the race.

In the Modern Feature, Floyd Green, No. 7, won the pole position since he was high point man, and Paul Hidek, No. 6 3/4, was next on the outside. Since Floyd didn't have a clutch in his car, he was forced to run the whole race in 4th gear, so this enabled Hidek to jump out into the lead at the start of the race. Then before the race was half over, the brakes went out of No. 7, so Floyd had to back off before hitting the turns and Paul gradually built up a commanding lead.

In the meantime, Bill Layfield, No. 7A, who had started near the rear of the pack, gradually worked his way past the other cars until he moved into the No. 3 slot. Then, with just a few laps to go, closed in on Floyd's No. 7, and managed to pass him in the No. 4 turn on the last lap and finish in the No. 2 slot.

For a brief re-cap of the races: In the Sportsman Class — Chuck Kinnison, No. 91, took the 1st heat; Larry Scouten, No. 1 3/4, won the 2nd; and Larry Eccleston, No. 3 3/4, took the "Consy". In the 35-Lap Feature, Dick Bunn, No. 69, was 1st; Chuck Wright, No. 66, 2nd; Tuify Chalmers, No. 218, 3rd; Phil Pipe, No. 71, 4th; and Larry Scouten, No. 1 3/4, 5th.

In the Modern Class — Chet Smith, No. 202 won the 1st heat; Basil Shutt, No. 13, took the 2nd; and Bill Layfield, No. 7X, captured the "Consy". In the 35-Lap Trophy Race — Paul Hidek, No. 6 3/4, was 1st; Bill Layfield, No. 7X, 2nd; Floyd Green, No. 7, 3rd; Bob Gee, No. 260, 4th and Chet Smith, No. 202, 5th.

Well folks, that wraps it up for another week — only, don't forget Smethport will not be running this week since it is the week of the McKean County Fair — and the only races scheduled are for the "nags" or "broom tails" as they are sometimes called.

Perrin Family Reunion

The Perrin family reunion was held Sunday, August 7th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore of Reynoldsville, Pennsylvania. Eighty-seven persons, representing Nathan Perrin, Charles Perrin, Martin Perrin and Lynn Perrin families were present. Attending from this area were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robbins and family of Wellsville; Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Baker and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker, II, and son; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hoagland and son, al. of Andover; and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Perrin of Johnson City.

The home and its premises are the scene of almost two-thirds of all accidental deaths of children under five and almost half of the accidental deaths of persons 65 and over.

Carney-Weldy

Miss Charlotte Weldy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weldy, Sr., of Avoca, R.D. J. was married July 22nd to Harry Carney of Andover R.D. 1, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carney.

The Rev. Clair Statham performed the double ring ceremony at 8 p. m., in the Hammond Sport Methodist Church.

Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Carney of Canisto.

Horse Traders Convention August 17 - 21 At Heers Farm In Almond

The world's original Horse Traders Convention, still growing and prospering in this age of automobiles and space vehicles, will be held this year, August 17 through 21 at the Don Heers Farm at Almond.

More traders than ever are expected to be on hand for the 45th Annual Event, trying their best to out-guess the other fellow in the battle of wits that is horse trading.

Surprisingly, the convention has changed little since it was founded by George Kame of Almond, a dyed in the wool horse trader, who might have stepped out of the pages of David Harum. Mr. Kame, or George, as he was fondly known has since passed away, but traders still come, bringing their horses, ponies, saddles, and other riding and driving equipment, for sale or trade. In fact, there are no set rules on the trading, and those who merely come as spectators often find themselves getting in on the fun, swapping watches, hats or pocket knives.

According to Lloyd Cory of Wellsville, who has managed the convention since the death of Mr. Kame, special events on this year's program include a children's night with games and contests for the kiddies on Wednesday, August 17 an auction of "Odds and Ends" on Thursday evening, and the Big Horse Auction on Saturday afternoon. Sunday afternoon will feature a Horse Pulling Contest, also a Chicken Barbeque.

Mr. Cory points out, however that the main attraction is plenty of horse trading, and the best trades and the most action could

come at any time of the day or night. Everyone is invited to come, and bring what they have to sell or trade.

County's Farms Now Total 1,538 U. S. Census Bureau Reports

A total of 1,538 farms was counted in Allegany County during the 1964 Census of Agriculture, the U. S. Department of Commerce's Bureau of the Census reports.

In the last previous Census of Agriculture (1959), the total counted in the county was 1,713 farms.

The 1964 total is published in a preliminary report on the county just issued. The report also shows that average farm size in the county was 211.2 acres and that the average value of the county's farms (land and buildings) in 1964 was \$14,443.

Other important county statistics in the report are:

1. Value of all farm products sold by farms in the county in 1964, \$11,158,854; in 1959, \$10,390,685.
2. Value of all crops sold by county farms in 1964, \$1,405,439; in 1959, \$1,051,220.
3. Value of all livestock and livestock products sold by county farms in 1964, \$9,733,968; in 1959, \$9,339,465.

Information obtained for the first time in an agricultural census included the amount of income received by the county's farmers (\$19,447) from recreational services as well as data on the use of pest control chemicals in the county in 1964.

A Census of Agriculture is taken every 5 years in years ending in "4" and "9" to gather information on the nation's agricultural resources and production. The data are needed to make decisions affecting many segments of the U. S. economy. The 1964 farm census was the 18th in a series that began in 1840.

The preliminary report for the county contains more than 500 facts about agriculture in the county. Among additional facts it contains are the number of farms by size, type and economic class; the number of farm operators by method of tenure, age, color, off-

Notice To Bidders

The Board of Education of Central School District No. 1, Towns of Andover, Alfred, Wellsville, Independence, and Ward, Allegany County and Greenwood, Steuben County, in accordance with the General Municipal Law hereby invites submission of sealed bids for the following item: To resurface the rear portion of the main driveway leading to the loading dock consisting of approximately 7,000 square feet. This will entail grading, cleaning, leveling and applying a 1-A blacktop compacted to 1-1/2".

To clean, level, patch and apply sealer to the parking lot area consisting of approximately 16,500 square feet.

To clean, level, patch and apply sealer to the front portion of the main driveway consisting of approximately 8,000 square feet.

To clean, level, patch and apply to sidewalk area consisting of approximately 6,100 square feet.

The bidder to furnish all labor, materials, supplies and the machines necessary to do the work in an expeditious and workmanlike manner.

Bids are to be submitted not later than August 22nd at 2:00 P. M., at the Principal's office. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

ALAN TUTTLE, Clerk 33

The best time to sow grass seed in New York is about Sept. 1. To learn the steps necessary to make a good lawn, N. Y. S. residents may request a free copy of Cornell bulletin E-922 "Home Lawns" from Roberts Hall, Box 5, Ithaca, N. Y. 14850.

Andover Central School Callendar For 1966-67

- September 6 — School Opens
- October 12 — Columbus Day
- October 21 — Teachers Zone Conference
- November 11 — Veterans Day
- November 23 - 25 — Thanksgiving Vacation (School closes at end of regular session on Nov. 22)
- December 22 — Christmas Vacation (School closes at end of regular session on Dec. 21)
- January 3 — School Reopens
- January 25-26 — Regents Examinations
- February 13 — Lincoln's Birthday Vacation
- March 23 - 24 — Easter Vacation
- April 17 - 21 — Spring Vacation
- May 29 - 30 — Memorial Day Vacation
- June 19 - 23 — Regents Examinations
- June 23 — Report Cards issued
- June 25 — Baccalaureate
- June 26 — Graduation

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