

## Valedictorian

When they get the 'bends'. As these few examples show, numbers are indispensable in modern society, but their use should not be emphasized when dealing with people.

A person's best traits aren't always visible through a maze of figures. You must be careful not to let the impression you get from a person's records be your only guide. The effort a person puts into his work may be apparent to his teachers but the records kept on a person may not register such assets. A person might study long and hard for a test and still get a lower mark than the person who just glances at a book. With a good memory and a little aptitude a person could breeze through some courses with little effort and good grades. But what about that person without the aptitude or the interest in classes? Maybe he has a knack for welding, but can't stand lectures on thermodynamic reactions. Such a person might do very well on an employer's placement test but his school records may not give a favorable impression.

Interest and effort may not be the only traits that are not measured and recorded. What about cooperation and creativeness, for which there is little space on college applications and job recommendations. Besides that, it's hard for those who write the recommendations to know all the students well enough to notice this type of characteristic. Mr. Kessler has somehow managed to do it. He is aware of each senior's record and has even become acquainted in one way or another with the personality of each student in each graduating class. He can therefore give recommendations for the students to schools, colleges, and employers. Things would be different if this school were only part of a large school system, as some people would like to see it. Even Mr. Kessler couldn't keep up to date on each of two or three hundred seniors.

As they say, we'd lose our individualism and the records would lose efficiency. There would be so many more records that they could not be as useful as each record. A smaller, less complete and less accurate picture of each student would be presented. I realize that we can never know the whole story behind every student any more than each of us

knows himself completely, but the bigger the picture we get; the closer we come to the truth, the better off we are. So don't stop with the record book when investigating a human being. Look beyond for an individual. Look for a many-sided personality and if you look far enough, you'll find many of the sides to be admirable. Difficult as it may be to believe, this world is inhabited only by individuals, all trying in their own, and sometimes opposing ways, to make life clearer, cleaner and happier.

-Thank you-

## Salutatorian

small. Who knows whether one of us here on stage will be known the world over for some success? But each of us here will have our day of triumph, whether it be large or small. And we will all know the agony of defeat and sorrow. But it is up to each of us to turn these obstacles into useful teachers and helpful reminders that we are not insurmountable, but that we are actually very vulnerable.

We must all have spirit to continue the struggle for existence in a world that stifles individual success and pride. And if we possess this spirit, then we can each succeed in at least one area. And even though we each have a very different idea of success, we can each reach our own definition of success.

So, tonight as we look forward to the future, we have high hopes and anxious minds. Whether we succeed or not depends upon us alone. All we can do is to try as hard as we possibly can and to put our best into everything we attempt to do. And if we do this we will be able to triumph over the obstacles in life and attain our ideas of success. This is success.

## Notice of School Meeting Andover Central School

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the inhabitants of Central School District No. 1 of Andover, Allegany County, qualified to vote at school meeting in said district will be held at the school house in said district on Tuesday, July 11, 1967 at 8:00 o'clock p. m., for the transaction of such business as is authorized by the Education Law.

And notice is also given that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required for the ensuing year for school purposes exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any taxpayer in the said district during the seven days immediately preceding the annual meeting except Saturday, Sunday or holiday at each of the following schoolhouses in which school is maintained during the hours designated:

Andover Central School, 9 - 12 a. m., and 1 - 4 p. m.

And notice is also given that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the board of education must be filed with the clerk of the district not later than June 27, 1967.

The following vacancies are to be filled on the Board of Education:

Term: Five years (Name of last incumbent: Walter Gath).

Each vacancy requires a separate petition to nominate a candidate to each separate office. Each petition must be directed to the clerk of the district, must be signed by at least twenty-five qualified voters of the district must state the name and residence of the candidate and must describe the specific vacancy for which the candidate is nominated including at least the length of the term of office and the names of the last incumbent.

Also vote on the following Resolutions:

RESOLVED, That the Board of Education of Central School District No. 1, Towns of Andover, Alfred, Wellsville, Independence, and Ward, Allegany County; and Greenwood Steuben County, is hereby authorized and directed to purchase one school bus and expend therefor a gross sum not exceeding \$8,950.00, and that there shall be applied to the purchase any trade-in allowance to be received for a bus now owned by the school district, and that the aforesaid total sum of \$8,950.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be raised by tax on the taxable property of the school district to be collected in annual installments; and further resolved that the Board of Education is authorized to issue obligations of the district therefor in accordance with the Education Law and Local Finance Law.

Dated: June 15, 1967  
ALAN TUTTLE, Clerk.

NOTE: Copies of candidate's petitions may be secured from Alan Tuttle, Clerk. 27

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## NOTICE

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## TO THE VOTERS OF ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT

I am a Candidate for the office of member of the Board of Education of the Andover Central School to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Walter Gath.

I have been a home owner and taxpayer in the Andover School District for the past eleven years and have five children presently attending Andover Central School. I am interested in the School and in the total elementary and secondary educational system.

I am an Associate Professor at Alfred Agricultural and Technical College and I solicit your support of my candidacy.

Conner L. Stephens

## ANDOVER THEATRE

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June 30 - July 1

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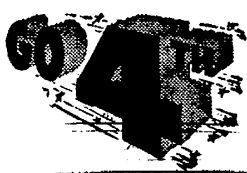
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