

## Board Of Ed Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Andover Central School District was held Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the school building. Present were Mr. Stephens, President, and the following Board members: Mr. Horan, Mr. Godown and Mr. Kessler.

The following parents were also present: Mrs. Rhoda Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Briggs.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read for approval. Motion to approve these minutes was made by Mr. Godown, seconded by Mr. Horan, carried by four votes of yes.

The Clerk's and District Treasurer's reports were read for comparison and approval. These reports were moved for approval by M. Godown and seconded by Mr. Horan. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

The following payrolls were read for approval:

	Gross	Net
Teachers Payroll No. 5	16,733.45	11,956.61
Civil Service Payroll No. 5	1,530.60	1,078.94
Cafeteria Payroll No. 1	561.50	383.61
Federal Payroll No. 1	685.00	517.45
Teachers Payroll No. 6	16,733.45	11,834.00
Civil Service Payroll No. 6	2,913.60	2,096.34
Cafeteria Payroll No. 2	610.80	430.74
Federal Payroll No. 2	685.00	517.45
Teachers Payroll No. 7	16,733.45	12,078.95
Civil Service Payroll No. 7	1,541.10	1,056.48
Cafeteria Payroll No. 3	561.50	383.61
Federal Payroll No. 3	685.00	517.45
Supplemental Payroll No. 1	613.00	460.02
	60,587.45	43,324.78

Motion for approval was made by Mr. Godown. Seconded by Mr. Horan. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Motion was made to approve the Bus Bond and Interest payments totaling \$4,672.08 by Mrs. Slade. Seconded by Mr. Godown. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Resolution passed by 4 votes of yes that the bills in the amount of \$12,919.69, for September 1968, as Certified by Mr. Kessler, be paid. The motion was made by Mr. Horan and seconded by Mr. Godown. Utility bills will have to be added to this amount when they are received.

The cafeteria bills for the month of September were read for approval. The amount of these bills was \$1,630.22. Mr. Godown made the motion that these bills be paid and Mr. Horan seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

The Cafeteria report was read by Mr. Kessler, showing a net loss of \$526.17 for the month of September. This report is to be filed with the minutes.

Mr. Kessler and Mr. Godown will attend the Syracuse Convention October 27 - October 29. Mrs. Slade made the motion that these people be authorized to go to the New York State School Board Convention. Mr. Stephens seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Some parents attended the Board meeting to discuss the situation of the sixth grade. Mr. Kessler was authorized to make a complete investigation.

The resignation of Elizabeth Carmody was submitted to the board. Mr. Stephens seconded the motion to accept the resignation. Carried by 3 votes of yes. One vote of no. Resignation was accepted.

Motion was made to disapprove the proposed school merger as outlined by the State Education Department. Mrs. Slade made the motion. Seconded by Mr. Godown. Carried by 4 votes of yes. Mr.

## New Immunization Law

The 1968 session of the legislature introduced the Public Health Law, effective January 1, 1969. To require immunization of all children between the ages of two months and six years, and of children entering school, against smallpox and measles, as well as polio (poliomyelitis).

Children receiving measles vaccine must not have a history of family allergies or react to streptomycin, or neomycin. Children who have had gamma globulin or a transfusion of plasma or whole blood must wait six weeks before receiving a measles vaccination.

Your child may be immunized during the next school clinic. If you wish immunization during the clinic, on Tuesday, November 12th please call Mrs. Van Stine at 478-7944 and make an appointment prior to Tuesday, November 6th.

Speaking of heat — we wonder just what in "Sam Hill" is going on in the State Education Department — and who is "turning the heat on" for Centralization in this area of the State? Here's the latest trend (and we mean this year) down in the New York City area is for De-Centralization — and here in the Up-state area they are pushing up for Centralization.

This sure doesn't make sense to us — at least in the rural areas — since the students already have far enough to ride on school buses! Just think of the distances the students would have to ride to school every day if they only had 2 central schools in the whole county! Why, some of them would be spending almost as much time riding to and from school — as they would be spending in school.

And, just how much would they feel like studying when they got to school after a long ride — and just as important — what would they feel like by the time that they finally reached home every night?

Then too — as far as sports are concerned, as well as other special activities — how much chance would the rural students have to participate just from the standpoint of getting home afterwards?

Parents — looks as if it is high time to fight some of this State bureaucracy — if you have the interest of your children's education at heart!

Of course, we realize that some parents don't appear to have the interests of their children at heart — as well as anyone else — judging from some of the "goings-on" around lately.

Perhaps we are "old-fashioned and square" — but we can't understand parents that openly condone, aid or abet, their children, as well as others — in having alcoholic drinking parties for students under 18 years of age. When they are over 18 — that is their own business; but when they are under 18 — that is a problem for society, and the law.

If an Inn-Keeper or vendor of alcoholic beverages sells his wares to someone under 18 — he is liable to a fine, suspension of his liquor license, possible revocation, or maybe even imprisonment.

Why then, shouldn't parents be held equally responsible when they serve beer or liquor to children under 18? Or allow it to be served in their own home?

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We know that some of the students weren't there — and we also know some of them that have been reported to have been there. We also know that it wasn't "cold tea" that was served from that keg — or bottles; and it didn't have the same effect on those drinking it! In fact, according to reports — the load was more than some of them could handle!

For all of you parents who absolutely know where your children were last Friday night from say between the hours of 8 p. m. until 4 a. m. we say: "God Bless You!" And for those of you who aren't sure, or don't know, we say: "Heaven Help You!" And, we might add a footnote: It might be to your best interest to find out just what all did go on during — and after the party! (That is, if you are interested in your children's

Everyone in the community is cordially invited to attend.

Kessler was instructed to write to the County Superintendent to this effect.

Mr. Stephens made the motion that the meeting be adjourned at 10:45. Mr. Horan seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

MARY K. SLADE, Clerk

## News That's Print To Fit

For all of the "Sno-birds" that left this area and flew South early — all we have to say is that you have missed some beautiful weather this past week, with the mercury ranging up in the 70's and low 80's. However, today's prediction of hot weather up in the 80's — just isn't going to make it around here as it is clouded over and with no sun — no heat!

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## News And Briefs Of Local Servicemen

AMN Thomas Ordiway has finished Basic Training at Lackland A.F.B., Texas and is now attending a 30-weeks course in Telephone Switching Equipment Repairman, and is stationed at Sheppard A.F.B., Texas. His address is:

AMN Thomas Ordiway  
AF11646035 3779th  
Box A 3509 C.M.R. 1  
Sheppard A.F.B., Texas 76311

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cook received a telephone call Sunday evening from Hong Kong, China, where their son, Larry is enjoying a five-day leave from duty in Vietnam.

## Scout News

Cub Scout Pack 77, October meeting has been changed to Tuesday, October 22nd at the Masonic Temple at 7:00. The theme for the month is "Ghost and Goblins". Parents are asked to come with their boys. Any boys who would like to join are also welcome with a parent.

## Missionary Convention To Be Held At Andover C & M A Church

In these days of world strife and internal unrest, many people have begun to feel that the Christian church has failed in their task of world evangelization. These feelings are not based on fact and will be proven to be so at the missionary services to be held in the Christian and Missionary Alliance Church on Rochambeau Ave., Andover from October 20 thru October 23. Services will be conducted on Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. and week nights at 7:30.

The missionary speakers will be Rev. C. Frederick Kleinhan and Miss Carol Van Brenen. They will be speaking of the work which they have been doing in their respective fields of activity for the C & M A. This church organization has missionaries on 24 different missionary fields around the world, with about 900 missionaries carrying on the work. They have been an expanding missionary organization since they were founded in 1887.

Rev. Kleinhan is one of 130 missionaries who is serving in Viet Nam and has been working in that country for the past ten years. He has been an instructor in the nhatrang Bible Institute and for the past two years has been working in many of the military hospitals in that land. He will be speaking in the Sunday morning Worship Service.

Miss Van Brenen is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh and also Nyack Missionary College. She received training as a Physical Education director but chose to use her life in reaching others for Christ. She served as a missionary in the hill country of Kentucky for two years and for the past ten years has been a missionary in the Ivory Coast of West Africa. She has taught in the government schools and will be going back to Africa for her third term. She will be speaking nightly and also showing pictures of the country where she has been ministering.

Rev. Milton C. Hurne, the local pastor, will be speaking nightly and using such themes as "Other Lost Sheep"; "The Whiteden Harvest Fields"; "The Call of the Church". The public is cordially invited to attend all of these services.

welfare — otherwise "FORGET IT!")

And, for you parents that want to know what happens to some of the girls that go away to College — read today's "Dear Abbey" Column sent in by a male Junior in College!

Keep On Buying Savings Bonds.

## Local Boy Scout Annual Fund Drive October 17 - 31

Craig Snyder, Chairman of the Local Boy Scouts Annual Campaign for Funds, announces the start of the local drive. Campaign workers have been assigned to each street in the Village as well as some of the rural areas.

Scouting in the Seneca Council is supported by Independent Finance Drives as well as support from the Community Chests in large communities.

\$4,500 has been set as a goal for the Genesee District of the Seneca Council an increase of \$500, which must be attained thru these Independent Drives.

Boys from eight to eighteen years old today will be in charge of our nation in the 21st Century. For more than fifty years the Boy Scouts of America has worked with boys in this age group of eight to eighteen — building them into men of decency and strength in the century to come, such men will be needed more than ever.

Help the America of Tomorrow — Today — with your financial support.

Andover is fortunate enough to be able to support both Cub Scouting for boys 8 through 10 and Boy Scouting for Boys 11 through 17. But more volunteer Adult Leadership is needed all the time to keep these units operating.

This past summer about 17 members of the local Boy Scout Troop did attend the Wolf Creek Scout Camp. They also have been able to enjoy several week-ends of outdoor camping under the Leadership of Scoutmaster John Murray.

Your support of this worthwhile program during the past years has been greatly appreciated and we hope to be able to continue to serve today's youth.

## Hospital Notes

Mrs. Fay Beil, mother of Mrs. Gerald Mullen and Mrs. Julia Coats, is a medical patient in the Dansville Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. George O'Dell is a medical patient in the Bethesda Hospital.

Mrs. Mildred Rogers, a surgical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital has been discharged.

Mrs. Herman Wallace is a patient in the Bethesda Hospital.

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Burgett (Amy McCann) are the parents of a son, Charles Edward, born Thursday, October 10, 1968 at the Bethesda Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burgett are the paternal great grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Denning (Beverly Cole) are the parents of a daughter, born Sunday, October 13, 1968 at the Jones Memorial Hospital.

## Rod & Gun Club Auxiliary Notice

The Rod & Gun Club Auxiliary will hold their meeting Monday, October 21st at 8 P. M. at the Club House. Please Masquerade.

## Charlene Hayward

Charlene Hayward, 8 years, daughter of Betty Jo Thomas, was killed instantly Sunday, October 6, 1968 by a car in Wilson, N. Y. She was riding in a little trailer drawn by a tractor.

Howard Barney of Independence is the grandfather and Earl Schoonover of Elm Valley is the great grandfather.

Mrs. Thomas is a daughter of Mrs. Clayton Rogers of Florida. Funeral services were held Oct. 8th in North Tonawanda.

## Masonic Notice

At the Stated Communication of Andover Lodge No. 558 F. & A. M. to be held Monday evening, October 21, the First Degree will be conferred. All Master Masons welcome. — Refreshments.