



## F. Vanama Jones Former County Sheriff Killed in Auto Crash

F. Vanama Jones, former Allegany County Sheriff for around 30 years, was instantly killed Tuesday morning in an auto accident on Route 305 in Clarksville when his auto skidded and was hit broadside by a large dump truck.

According to the Wellsville State Police, the accident occurred around 9 a. m. when Mr. Jones, alone in his car, attempted to pass another car and upon pulling out into the left lane of the highway, saw the truck coming, and applied his brakes which threw his car into a cross-wise skid, directly in front of the on-coming truck.

The Town of Clarksville dump truck, equipped with a snowplow mounting bar in front, struck the passenger-side of Jones' vehicle with such an impact that Mr. Jones was thrown from the vehicle. Dr. Kendall Hardy of Rushford, pronounced him dead at the scene of the accident resulting from a fractured neck, crushed chest and internal injuries.

Mr. Jones, a native of Friendship, served as Allegany County Sheriff for 30 years, refusing to seek re-election at the November 1969 General Election. Throughout his career as a law enforcement agent, he ran his Department on a very economical basis without maintaining a Sheriff's Patrol to duplicate the mission of the State Police stationed in Allegany County, saving Allegany County Taxpayers all of that added ex-

pendence.

At the time of his retirement, the sheriff was honored in November at a dinner given by both Republicans and Democrats held at the Elks Lodge in Wellsville of which he was a life-time member with Mayor Gardner proclaiming Nov. 26th as Sheriff Jones Day.

Mr. Jones was a World War I Veteran, having served in the 307th Field Artillery; and was a member of both the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was also a member of the Loyal Order of Moose; the State Sheriff's Association; Conservation Clubs; and the Bolivar and Portville Country Clubs. He was affiliated with the United Methodist Church in Belmont.

F. Vanama Jones was born in Friendship, N. Y., on Feb. 25, 1896, the son of the late Alfred and Norabell Stevens Jones.

Surviving are his widow, the former Marian Smalley; a son, Jerry V. Jones of Wynnewood, Pa., a member of the Banking Profession; a daughter, Mrs. Eugene L. Johannes of Almond whose husband is a Veterinarian; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p. m. in the Embser Funeral Chapel, Belmont, with the Rev. Fay Cleveland, pastor of the Belmont Methodist Church officiating.

Interment will be in Maple Grove Cemetery, Friendship, N. Y.

## Town Board Holds Special Meeting Tuesday Night

The Andover Town Board held a special meeting Tuesday night to discuss the necessary action to be taken regarding the local Ambulance that is owned and maintained jointly by the Town and Village of Andover and operated by the Andover Rescue Squad, a local volunteer organization.

The transmission in the Ambulance broke down when making a run early this week thereby making it necessary to take immediate action to place it back in service again. Since the vehicle is several years old and of a commercial type, it is not possible to purchase a whole new transmission unit. However, an estimate of around \$100 for a used unit plus the labor involved in replacing the old one was submitted to the Board members.

It was unanimously decided to follow this course of action since the vehicle would be practically worthless for trade-in value unless it is operating condition. Then if it is decided at a later date that it needs to be replaced, necessary steps can be taken after due consideration without having to accept the first offer that comes along.

While the Ambulance is undergoing repairs, Ambulance Service will be provided by the Wellsville and Alfred Rescue Squads.

## Local Scout Leaves For Philmont Ranch

Brian J. Cannon, a member of the local Boy Scout Troop, left Friday from Wolf Creek where he will embark with other Allegany County Boy Scouts for a three week trip to Philmont Boy Scout Ranch near Cimarron, New Mexico.

Their itinerary includes stopping at Glenview Navy Air Station at Camp Merz, Chicago; Boys Town Nebraska; Town Pavilion, Valentine, Nebraska; Ellsworth Air Force Base, Rapid City, S. D.; with points of interest including the "Bad Lands, Mt. Rushmore, and Historic Tombs; the Town Auditorium in Cody, Wyoming, with points of interest being the "Devils Tower", "Deadwood, and a Rodeo; Ottercreek Camp Ground at Yellowstone National Park; Tooele Army Depot, Salt Lake, Utah; the Grand Canyon in Arizona; and the Mesa Verde National Park in Cortez, Colorado; arriving at Philmont, Cimarron, New Mexico on Tuesday, August 19th.

The Scouts will remain there until August 26th when they will return by way of McConnell Air Force Base, Wichita, Kansas; Granite City Army Depot, Illinois; Fort Benjamin, Harrison, Indiana; returning to Wolf Creek from there on August 29th.

The following boys from Allegany County are attending: David W. Accello, William A. Cavanaugh, Donald Roger Dillie, and Charles R. Gilluly of Belmont. These five boys are taking turns calling their parents each night to relay the days activities.

## Redwings Finish Regular Season In 2nd Place

The Andover Redwings have finished a very successful season in the Alle-Catt League with a fine 13 - 7 record, and a second place finish with Shinglehouse.

The Redwings wish to thank everyone who helped make this a successful season and we hope we can do better next year.

We would like to give special thanks to all our fans and especially the many fans who have traveled to our away games.

Thank you—Andover Redwings!



Mrs. Lawrence Reed and infant son, Michael Jay were discharged from the St. James Mercy Hospital today (Thursday) and are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Woodruff.

Scott Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson, a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital returned home Saturday.

John Karcenas was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

Frank Cahill, a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, was discharged Saturday.

Mrs. David-Conde is a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Alice Joyce, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, has returned to her home.

### New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Reed (Judy Woodruff) of Caledonia, are the parents of a son, Michael Jay, born Saturday, August 9, 1969 at the St. James Mercy Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. William Woodruff are the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed of Caledonia, are the paternal grandparents and Mrs. Mildred Hesson of Arkport is the maternal great grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kibbe (Shirley Braund) of Wellsville, are the parents of a daughter, born Tuesday, August 12, 1969 at the Jones Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Landis Kibbe are the paternal grandparents.

## Annual Bike Rodeo To Be Held August 23rd

The Annual Bike Rodeo will be held Saturday, August 23 at 1 P. M. on the Parking Lot at the School.

All boys and girls from First Grade through Tenth Grade are eligible to enter. Each boy and girl entered will receive a prize. There will be two new bikes given away again this year. One to the boy with the highest score and one to the girl receiving the highest score.

This event is sponsored each year by the Andover Chamber of Commerce, with the help of donations from:

- The Citizens National Bank and Trust Company
- Joyce Pipe Line
- Henry Stephens Insurance Agency
- Sunnydale Farms
- American Legion

### News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

It. and Mrs. Frank Coy of Fort Benning, Ga., are spending a month's leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Coy and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pride of Arkport before leaving for Germany.

Earl Buchholz, Jr., left for the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Illinois last Wednesday, having enlisted in the U. S. Navy.

Lt. JG Penelope Hames, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kearby Hames is stationed in Guam and her address is:

Lt. JG Penelope Hames  
Box 9004  
Star U.S. Naval Hospital  
FPO San Francisco, Calif.  
96630

Snec. John Strouse of Ft. Hancock, spent from Saturday thru Monday with his wife and infant daughter at their home on Grove St.

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## School Board Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Andover Central School was called to order by Mrs. Slade, President, Monday evening, August 11, 1969. Mr. Kessler and the following Board members were present: Francis Horan, Robert Tomm and Conner Stephens.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read for approval. Motion to approve these minutes was made by Francis Horan and seconded by Robert Tomm. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

The following payrolls were read for approval:

Summer Payroll No. 1	3,525.75
Summer Payroll No. 2	3,326.02
Summer Payroll No. 3	2,879.67

Francis Horan made the motion to approve these payrolls as read and Conner Stephens seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

The Clerk's and Treasurer's reports were read. Conner Stephens made the motion to approve the reports as read and Robert Tomm seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

The monthly bills for July totaling \$10,127.35 plus gas, were read by Mr. Kessler for the Board's approval. A motion to pay these bills was made by Mr. Robert Tomm and seconded by Francis Horan. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

The July bills for Federal Title II, Basic Grant totalling \$13.74 were read by Mr. Kessler. Francis Horan made the motion that these be paid. The motion was seconded by Conner Stephens. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Francis Horan made the motion that the Principal of \$1,527.50 and Interest of \$91.66 be paid on September 5, 1969. Conner Stephens seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

A motion was made by Robert Tomm to approve the payment of Principal of \$899 and Interest of \$40.46 on Bus No. 24. Motion was seconded by Francis Horan. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

A bid was received from Elmhurst Dairy, Wellsville, N. Y. to deliver 4 pints of milk in glass bottles to the Cafeteria at 6 1/4c per bottle. Francis Horan made motion to accept the bid. Mrs. Slade seconded the motion. Carried by 4 yes votes.

A bid was received from Perry's Ice Cream Co. Inc., of Akron, N. Y. Conner Stephens made the motion to accept the bid and Mr. Tomm seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Francis Horan made the motion to increase the Treasurer's Bond from \$65,000.00 to \$200,000.00. This motion seconded by Robert Tomm and passed by 4 votes of yes. This action was mandated by the insurance company.

Robert Tomm made the motion that the transportation contract with Allegany County B. O. C. E. S. be extended for the academic 1969-70. Motion seconded by Francis Horan. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Motion was made to approve the appointment of Mr. Lloyd Fuller as sixth grade teacher at an annual salary of \$6,200.00. Motion made by Francis Horan and seconded by Robert Tomm. Carried by 4 votes of yes. Mr. Lloyd Fuller is a 1969 graduate of Brockport State Teachers College.

Francis Horan made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 10:07 P. M. Conner Stephens seconded the motion. Carried by 4 yes votes.

## Youth Baseball Fund Drive Renort

I am very pleased to announce that a grand total of \$445.52 was collected in the recent Drive For The Little League. I would like to thank everyone who made a donation and a "big" thanks to all the mothers who called on you.

Dale Spencer, Fund Chairman



Ellensburg, Wash.  
8/8/69

### Andover News

Dear Sir:

After staying at Banff National Park five days, we travelled west past Lake Louise and down over the Yoho Mountains and to a lower level. A few hundred miles west of there we went over the Rogers pass, then its was down all the way to Vancouver, B. C.

Visited the city, also the zoo. Was surprised to find that Vancouver was such an important shipping port.

Came south and across the border. It seemed good to get back into the U. S. and get our money

changed from "play" money into real stuff. When we went into Canada the exchange rate was 7.60 and when we came out its 8.

At Bothell, Wash. we called on Phillip Woodruff and family. His father, William Woodruff of Alfred Station was there also.

It has not been too warm, especially in the mountainous areas. Lots of fruit, apples, cherries, plums and sweet corn for sale along the road.

Now we are headed for Spokane and Montana. When leaving there we will head southeast for Florida and home.

Yours,  
Arthur Burdick

### UPW Notice

The Annual United Presbyterian Women's Picnic will be held Tuesday, August 19 in the Church Dining Room at 6:30 o'clock.

Committee consists of the ladies with the last names beginning with A thru K. There is no charge.