



Miss Cecelia Fagan, Region I Staff member from the Region Headquarters in Boston and the Regional Consultant for the Southern Tier G. S. Council (right) presents a Spanish Language Unit brochure to Lois Gram (center), an Andover Girl Scout, with information on her forthcoming trip to Puerto Rico with her mother, Greta Gram on the left.

Miss Lois Ann Gram, a Senior Girl Scout from Andover, has been selected by the Southern Tier Girl Scout Council as its representative in a special Spanish Language Unit at Camp Elisa Colberg, in Saratoga, Puerto Rico. From July 24 to August 8, she will live at the camp, in a tropical setting, with girls from all over the United States, and an equal number of English-speaking Puerto Rican girls. They will explore the cultures of the two countries, and do extensive sightseeing.

Upon arrival in Puerto Rico, Lois will be met by a hostess family whose guest she will be until camp opens. Enroute home, another family will entertain her. Her ability to converse in Spanish was one factor in her selection.

Andover Hosts Little League Tournament

Friday, July 23rd at 8:15 P. M. the opening game of Andover's Annual Little League Tournament will be Jasper vs. Arkport.

Saturday, July 24th at 10:30 A. M. Andover vs. Friendship. 12:30 P. M. Alfred-Almond vs. Belfast. 6:00 P. M. Addison vs. Scio.

Sunday, July 25th, at 3:30 the Scio-Addison winner will play the Jasper-Arkport winner. 5:30 P. M. the Andover-Friendship winner plays the Alfred-Almond-Belfast winner.

Wednesday, July 28th, at 6:15 P. M. the final game will be played.

News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

Beryl F. Bird, 23 son, of Mr. and Mrs. Victor C. Bird, Route 1, Andover, N. Y., recently was promoted to Army Specialist Five. He is serving at Ft. Hood, Texas, as a Combat Engineer in Company D, 17th Engineer Battalion, 2nd Armored Division.

The Specialist's wife, Marcia lives in Killeen, Texas.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Jack York are parents of a 6 lb. daughter, Christina Michelle, born Tuesday, July 20, 1971 at the Bethesda Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas York are the paternal grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Shinjaro Hirashima of Sasebo, Japan are the maternal grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hann are the paternal great grandparents and Mrs. Ruth York is the paternal great grandmother.

Andover L. L. All-Stars Defeat Genesee

Tuesday night the Little League All-Stars defeated Genesee 7 to 4.

For Andover, Calvin Shaw, Gary Barden, Tim Mead and Dale Russell pitched and Genesee used L. Palmatier and D. Carpenter.

Pat Atwell, Gary Barden and Tim Mead each had two hits. Dale Russell, Marty Geer and Wayne Briggs each had one hit.

Golden Age Club Enjoy Anniversary Dinner

The Andover Golden Age Club held its meeting Monday, July 19 at the Andover Grange Hall.

A twelve o'clock tureen dinner was enjoyed by 47 members and six guests from California. Alfred and Canisteo present.

The Rev. Alan Minarcik complimented the group in their support to the Golden Age Club and that they were observing the first year anniversary of its organization.

The members expressed their appreciation to Rev. Minarcik and Rev. Gerald A. Wolter for their efforts in starting the Golden Age Club in Andover.

Robert Spicer, Mrs. Herman Geffers Undermark, Mrs. Roy Glover, of Elm Valley, James Nobles, Mrs. Wilmer Atwell and Mrs. Genevieve Backus were honored guests at the birthday table. Three beautifully decorated cakes and ice cream furnished by the Farmers Market in Wellsville, were included in the dinner.

Atty. Richard Tobin of Alfred addressed the group. Miss Michele McNeill entertained the group with selections on the piano.

The next meeting will be Monday, August 2, with members L & K assisting in serving.

County Legion And Aux. To Meet At Andover

The regular monthly County Meetings of the American Legion and Auxiliary will be held in the Lynch-Burgett Post No 397 American Legion Hall this Thursday evening, July 22nd at 8 P. M.

Attention Band Members

Friday — July 23 — Parade at Hornell with the Firemen. Be at the School at 5:30 — Bus leaves at 6 P. M. Parade at 7 P. M.

Sunday — July 25 — Concert. Junior Band at 2:30 P. M. Senior Band at 3:00 P. M.



Mrs. Reta Foster, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, returned to her home Saturday.

Mrs. Thelma Hombs, a surgical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, returned to her home Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Mills, Sr., underwent surgery at the Bethesda Hospital Thursday.

Miss Kathryn Gorsuch, a surgical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Lella Livermore, a medical patient in the St. James Memorial Hospital, was discharged Saturday.

Jerry Grossman was admitted to the Bethesda Hospital, Wednesday as a surgical patient.

Library News

The following Memorial Book has been added to Andover Free Library:

"Birds", by Janusz Grabianski given in memory of Mrs. O'Dell of Greenwood, N. Y. by Andover Grange No. 1098.

The following books are now available at the Andover Free Library:

"The Tamarind Seed", by Evelyn Anthony.

"This Town Needs A Doctor", by Libbie Block.

"The Kings of Vain Intent", by Graham Shelby.

"The Life and Times of Horatio Horn-Blower", by C. Northcote Parkinson.

"Smile and be a Villain", by Hamilton Jabson.

"Photographs Have Been Sent To Your Wife", by Phillip Loraine.

"The Night of Four Hundred Rabbits", by Elizabeth Peters.

"The Ringer", by Bell Shannon.

"Rabble In Arms", by Kenneth Roberts.

"The Lovely Ladies", by Nicholas Freeling.

"The Brimstone Club", by F. Van Wyck Mason.

"A Fine and Private Place", by Ellery Queen.

"You're Welcome To Ulster", by Menna Galfe.

"To Split Her Face", by Hildegarde Nelson.

"The Belle of Bletre", by Sim- (Continued on Page 4)

News That's Print To Fit

Well Folks, here we are again after our enforced, self-imposed vacation due to a shortage of space — and an over abundance of pictures from Graduation, Fourth of July, etc.

Say, how do you like the new look on Main Street? Here after the two hour parking ordinance has passed for well over a year — and the two hour parking signs have been purchased around a year — they are now properly installed according to State specifications, by a State crew — and the ordinance is being enforced.

We heard that quite a few of the new \$5 parking ticket violations have been passed out — but so far we haven't heard any growls.

We have noticed that a few of the cars that used to be parked all day on Main Street — haven't been in evidence, and it is easier now to be able to stop at the Post Office or at one of the business places downtown to run a few quick errands.

Now all that is needed is to have the parking lines painted in along the curbs and we will look like a modern up-to-date Village!

Oh yes, we almost forgot to mention that we see that the Street Cleaning Department has cleaned up the Streets in good shape — and even finished up over on the "Canadian Side". Bet that's a first in a long time! Any takers?

We also notice that the Old-Timers Softball League seems to be getting quite a play, although no one has brought in any write-ups on the games or standings so far. The games are usually played on nights when we are the busiest at the News Office — or we might even get into the "swing of things" and shoulder a bat as a "pinch-hitter" — or even take a turn behind the plate as an "ump" so that a few people could get rid of their frustrations by hollering: "kill the ump" — and get away with it without recriminations. How about that?

Incidentally speaking of the new "look" on Main Street, how many of you noticed that we are trying to do our share and are having the front of the News Office brightened with a coat of nice, fresh paint? It sure brightens things up a batch — if nothing else! We had it laid or before the 4th — but things didn't work out that way — and the Firemen beat us to it — with their red paint on the front of the Fire Hall.

Suppose it could get catching for other places that need a few dabs of paint?

We even noticed that a few bushes and trees got trimmed up — somewhere along the way. Now that's what we call co-operation!

Oh yes, as a result of a few accidents in the local area with power mowers it might be a good idea to review a few safety rules pertaining to these highly useful — but dangerous implements.

Heading the list is: Read the owner's manual carefully to refresh your knowledge of the controls and their operation.

Keep children and pets well away from the mower; with pets tied up or shut up somewhere they will be safe.

Maintain your mower carefully and check for loose nuts and bolts before each cutting.

Carefully clear the lawn of debris before mowing, as the blades may pick up even small bits of wire or stones and hurl them with lethal force.

Always stop the motor before attempting to clear the discharge chute; and allow the mower to cool before refueling.

Always push the mower, never pull it towards you, as that is a good way to get your foot ankle or toe sliced up real good.

And last — but not least — do not let young children play

School Board Holds Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the voters of Central School District No. 1, Andover, Allegany County, New York, was called to order Tuesday evening, July 13, 1971 by Mrs. Mary K. Slade.

Nominations were opened for Chairman of the meeting. Nominated was Neil Potter. Mr. A. Tuttle made the motion and it was seconded by Mr. C. Carmody. Carried by a unanimous vote.

Neil Potter appointed Ethel Kelley to serve as Clerk of the meeting and the tellers were Joyce Harris and Edith Wallace.

Minutes of the last Annual Meeting were read by Mrs. Slade. Motion for approval of the minutes was made by Mr. Tuttle and seconded by Mr. Atwell. Carried by a unanimous vote.

Ethel Kelley read the Annual Financial Report for the school year 1970-71, showing a cash balance on hand July 1, 1971 of \$48,188.83.

Tax Collector's Report for the school year 1970-71 was presented by Mrs. Kelley.

Amount of Taxes Levied \$132,880.06
Total Taxes Collected \$123,921.43

Total Taxes returned to County \$ 8,958.63

A motion to accept the above report was made by Mr. Glenn Bronson and seconded by Mr. Alan Tuttle. Motion was carried unanimously.

Mrs. Kelley read the Proposed Annual Budget for the school year 1971-72. The following resolution was presented by Mrs. Kelley.

Resolved that the Board of Education of School District Number 1, Towns of Andover, Alfred Wellsville, Independence, Ward and Greenwood in the Counties of Allegany and Steuben by and hereby is authorized to expend the sums set forth above of \$760,035.76; to accumulate a planned balance for July 1, 1972 and to levy the necessary tax therefore of \$24,937.00. Total Authorized amount \$784,972.76. Voting on the Budget was held. A total of 26 votes were cast with the following results. Ayes 25. Noes 1.

A petition was properly filed with the Clerk by Mary K. Slade for Member of Board of Education for term of five years to succeed herself. Twenty-four ballots were cast with the following results. Ayes 24. Noes 0.

A petition was properly filed with the Clerk by Carl Atwell for term of 2 years to succeed Alan Tuttle. Twenty-four ballots were cast with the following results. Ayes 24. Noes 0.

A Resolution regarding a New School bus was read by Mr. Potter. Mr. Bronson made the motion to accept the resolution and Mr. Carmody seconded. The motion was then voted on with these results. Ayes 26. Noes 0.

Mr. Frank Russell made the motion to adjourn the meeting and Mr. F. Horan seconded. Carried unanimously.

New Principal To Be Honored At Open House

The Board of Education and the parent-Teacher Association are having an Open House at the School Cafeteria to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Weibezahl and family on Tuesday evening July 27th from 7:30 to 9:00 p. m.

The community is invited.

with — or operate a power mower as they may be irresponsible and end up without a hand — or even a foot. 10-4?

For those of you who have noticed the new bumper stickers blossoming out around town — namely, "The Footprint of the American Chicken" they can be purchased at the News Office for 25c each.