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Editorial

by Jeanne Atwell
The Space Race

In the era of modern man with all of his devices and technological advances, you would think he could find a more reasonable way to explore outer space.

The world consists of many nations. These nations are separated from each other only in beliefs. Regarding space, however we are thought of as one - the earth, not the United States, Russia and so forth.

Why should the United States spend billions of dollars each year on space explorations, when we could work along with Russia? This way we could share the cost of one mission.

Now is the time to start thinking about unifying. As time goes on, the world seems to become more turbulent. Maybe if the United States and Russia were unified in the race to space, other nations would pattern themselves after us and unify.

Feature

by Charlene McCormick

It is less than two weeks before Christmas. Decorations have been up for weeks and we are being bombarded with advertisements on our television screens and on the radio waves.

But where has the Christmas spirit gone or has it ever existed in the midst of such chaos. Some times I wonder if we would remember Christmas at all if it weren't for the commercialization.

On this day brotherhood, charity and truthfulness should prevail, as this is the true meaning of Christmas.

These thoughts are old cliches, and most cliches are considered boring and go unheeded. However, this is one cliché from which we can learn and by which we can better our lives.

Senior Interview

Out of the deep, dark, and dusty files in the dungeon of A. C. S. we have uncovered the files on one Francis Paul Fuller, known to all as "Stub".

"Stub" is majoring in auto mechanics at B. O. C. E. S. and plans to continue at the Wellsville Branch of Ag-Tech. As for sports, "Stub" participated in track for two years.

Senior Interview

by Nella Potter

Exactly seventeen years ago on September 11, 1954 something happened. Do you know what happened? You should know what happened because it was the birth of Judith Lynn Edwards to Mrs. Christine Edwards.

Judy has two brothers, Carlyle and Aaron and two sisters, Rosemary and Beth. This year is Judy's final year at A.C.S. She previously attended Wellsville High School while at Wellsville Judy was a member of the FHA for one year, Library Council for one year, the Girls' Basketball Team in the ninth

Panther Prowl

Due to lack of space this article had to be held over from last week.

During the seasonal lull between the fall sports, I was beginning to wonder what I was going to write in this week's paper. I asked myself, why don't I do an article about the trophies in the trophy case.

Upon examining the trophies, I discovered many things of interest to me and probably to some of A.C.S. alumni. Probably the first trophy ever from Andover Central School was the Inter-Class Basketball Championship between the years of 1933-35.

An archery award is in the trophy case, but we don't know where it came from. The J. V. basketball teams of 1948-49, 1951-52, 1952-53 were champions of Allegany County. Also the baseball teams of 1949, 1951, and 1953 were champs of our league.

The years of 1952 and 1953 were probably the biggest years for the Davis boys (Charles and Richard). In 1952, they won the 440 yd. relay along with Carl Atwell and Ron Howland at the Wellsville Spring Track Meet. In 1953, John Baker, Dick Rosintoski, and the Davis boys won the very same event. Richard Davis also won the 100 yd. dash.

Also in 1953 we were basketball Champs of Class D. In the 1954-55 season, Andover compiled a 18-1 record while winning the Section V Tournament. In 1955 the baseball team also won the Section V Tournament with an 8-1 record. Also in 1955, the Little Leaguers did their part by winning their own tournament. The Section V baseball title again came to Andover in 1956.

After a period of seven years, Andover won the Allegany County Baseball Championship in 1963. In 1968 the Andover soccer team went undefeated in capturing the county title. The swimming team won its first plaque by defeating Alfred-Almond to win the championship for Allegany County. Last spring the baseball team won the Class C Allegany County Championship by defeating Fillmore. This fall, the soccer team made it two in a row by capturing the B-C and C title by defeating Fillmore again.

December 15 BASKETBALL

The basketball teams started the season on a bright note. After trailing by 10 to 5 score in the first period, Andover exploded for 85 points in the next three quarters as compared to only 27 for Greenwood. Mike Jackson pumped in 30 points, while Brian Cannon added 14 and Jim Davis added ten. In the second quarter, Andover defense allowed just 3 points. The final score was 90 to 37. The next game is Friday at Canasraga and on Tuesday there is one at Belmont.

The Junior Varsity won their game with the score of 41 - 38.

FINNEN

The Andover Swimming Panthers lost their first meet of the year. Coach Meyers' debut as the swimming coach at Andover, has a few bright notes, however. Tom MacMichael won the 100 yd. butterfly in the time of 1:21.8. Don Lang also took the 100 yd. backstroke event in an excellent time of 1:08.1. Jess Grossman came in second in diving just nine points from the winning score. Roger Godown placed second in the 100 yd. freestyle as did Don Sisson in the 400 yd. freestyle event. The next meets will be on Thursday at Canasraga and Monday, December 20 here with Addison.

grade and the Girls' volleyball team in the ninth grade. Judy is majoring in business. A.C.S. hope Judy has a successful future.

Perfect Attendance List

End of First Marking Period November 12, 1971

Kindergarten - Nicholas Brown, Ann Carlin, Pamela Dickerson, Walter Hurlburt, Vincent Puccia, Kevin Snell, Helena Davis, George Perry, Patrick Dougherty, Michael Joyce

Grade 1 - Jeffrey Bridge, Mark Drake, Cynthia Fish, Cynthia Garza, Kristie Harrigan, Lisa Merrick, Melanie Miller, Timothy Slawson, Mark Bennett, Wayne Dannheim, Valerie Monahan, Daphne Riffle, Donald Spencer, Kimberley Spoor, Katherine Thorp

Grade 2 - Sandra Garza, Brian Gavia, Gary Hoagland, Kevin Lathrop, Carol Manion, Michael Rogers, Gary Slade, Connie Spencer, Shari Thorp, Sharon Davis, Michael DeRemer, Terry Dickerson, Ralph Empson, Christine George, Michael Harrigan, Christopher McNeill, LeDorna Monahan, Todd Monahan, Wanda Ordway, John Taylor, Tammy Waters

Grade 3 - Linda Burns, Tracy Dickerson, Aaron Edwards, Donald Greene, Linda Howland, Jeanne Lehman, Kelly McCormick, Michael McNeill, Denise Snell, Glenn Thorp, Denise Burrows, Guy Cole, Rudy Garza, Guy Milligan, Tracy Perry, Deanna Sturdevant, Judy Thomas, Cindy Thorp, David Winslow, Steve Murray

Grade 4 - Shelly Brown, Susan Bundy, Donald Clemons, Corinna Cornell, Robert Davis, Kelly Dunham, Robert Geffers, Sandra Goughenour, Anne Kemp, Rebecca Lang, Peggy Lounsberry, Joan Murray, Timothy Rose, Arron Russell, Morica Smith, Joseph Thomas, Denise Tomm, Mark Weibezahl, Darla Whitesell, Robyn Baker, Randy Bridge, Kathy Clark, Beve Clemons, Denise Cooper, James Day, Jeanette Densmore, Darcy Ennis, Tracey Greene, Chris Lehman, Tracy Manion, Larry Perkins, Susan Shaw, David Wallace

Grade 5 - Daniel Burns, Robert Cornell, Robert Fish, Cheri Halsey, Lois Hess, Marcy Mead, Jamie McCormick, Doreen Rogers, Debra Wallace, Douglas Weitzel, Donald Murray, Patrick Atwell, Susan Bliss, Anthony Dougherty, Lisa Howland, Jay Jackson, Kelley Lathrop, John Perkins, Janet Ryan, Doranne Wahl, Glenna Weber

Grade 6 - Kevin Dixon, Gary Burch, Penny Dixon, Deanna Dodge, Brenda Empson, Martin Geer, Sharon Goughenour, David Hardy, Nelson Herr, Eric MacMichael, David Nevel, Teresa Perkins, Rebecca Schweigart, Cynthia Wallace, Kevin Russell, Susan Dougherty, Amy Baker, Lorie Bridge, Cleon Densmore, Bria Ennis, Rhonda Geffers, Eugene Hurlburt, Karen Joyce, George Milligan, Daria Ordway, Dale Perry, Donald Perry, Timothy Stephens, Charles Weber

Grade 7 - Wendy Cahill, Mark Clark, Cindy Davis, Janet Geffers, Cindy Goughenour, Leonard Grossman, Cindy Halsey, Teresa Joyce, Chris Lounsberry, Sylvia Subia, Scott Wilson, Anita Winslow, Lois Wolter, Phillip Bevers, Melissa Carson, Kim Freund, John Green, Marcella Jackson, Timothy Pantan, Orville Perkins, Tracy Preston, Carl Schrader, Bonnie Scott, Lewis Spencer

Grade 8 - John Atwell, Diane Bliss, Ricky Cahill, Lois Clark, John Davis, Phyllis Freeland, Pam Grossman, Brian Halsey, Sue Manroe, James Pitts, Dale Russell, Robert Spencer, Jerry Thomas, Curt Vars, Chris Wahl, Debra Allen, Marcella Davis, Robin Geffers, Russell Godown, Rodney Hyland, James Jackson, Mark McCormick, Jay MacMichael, Lisa Marsh, Norman Ochs, Douglas Preston, Tarr Price, Robin Smith, Michael Richardson, Ricky Rouse, Teresa Smith, Steven Scott, Nancy Stephens, Robert Wallace, Melody Weber

Grade 9 - Jeff Burt, Mike Goughenour, Alan Lang, Larry Todd, Kim Westbrook, Roy Allan, Debra Baker, Paula Bevers, Yvonne Bird, Laura Burns, Greg Deane, Cecilia Davis, Tim Edwards, Lisa Mulconery, Rebecca Parker, Jay Perry, Cindy Ryan, Joan Thomas, Vicki Westbrook

Grade 10 - Alicia Balloon, Cynthia Barden, Mattie Bronson, George Burger, Carol Clark, Ken

Downbeats

by Kim Richardson

A Christmas program entitled "A Borrowed Christmas" will be presented Thursday, December 16. The program is made up of plays about Christmas in other countries. These plays are going to be put on by grades, two through six.

The countries that are being enacted are Holland, Germany, England, France, Spain, Sweden, also Chanukah and the Indians first Christmas.

The Senior, Junior, Elementary and Intermediate choirs will perform.

On Monday, December 20, at 10:15 a. m. there will be an instrumental Christmas program. This is only for grades Kindergarten through sixth.

There will be two Brass Ensembles and also a Clarinet Quartet. The Junior Band will also play. All parents and friends are welcome to both these concerts.

Cub News

by Jim MacMichael

The Cubs played their semi-play-offs last Saturday morning to decide the teams which will participate in the championship game. The Celtics won a close game over the Bucks by a score of 38 to 30. Louie Spencer and Bob Wallace led the Bucks with 12 and 9 points. Rick Rouse led the winning Celtics with 14 points.

In the second game the Knicks defeated the Pistons by 30 to 19. Steve Scott scored 9 points for a losing cause. Gary Barden and Curt Vars were high for the Knicks with 11 and 8 points.

Senior Interview

by Eileen Atwell

On September 8, 1954, the world opened its arms to Pamela Jo Crittenden. Pat is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crittenden, and the oldest of three children. She has a sister, Melody, and a brother Jim.

Before coming to Andover Central, Pam attended Wellsville. Her majors are science and business. Various school activities have really kept Pam moving in Junior and Senior High. She has been a member of FHA, for four years; Senior Chorus, three years; Red Cross, six years; Hi-Herald two years; GAA, four years and Marching Band for four years. She has also had a role in both the Junior and Senior Plays.

In the future, Pam would like to teach handicapped children, perhaps deaf children. As of yet, she has not applied to any specific college. If her plans are carried out her work I'm sure will prove to be both interesting and rewarding. I would now like to speak for a number of other people and wish her the best of luck always.

Cafeteria Menu

December 20 - 21

MONDAY - Tomato Rice Soup, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Fruit Milk

TUESDAY - Christmas Dinner MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

Vacation

by Linda Smith

Tuesday, December 21, school will close at the end of the regular session for the beginning of Christmas vacation. Classes will resume Monday, January 3.

neth Geer, William Goughenour, Chad Grossman, Brian Lynch, Linda McLean, Michael Reith, Laura Quinn, Beth Weber

Grade 11 - Hope Bevers, Dennis Burrows, Bryon Cerrillo, Susan Gavia, James Geer, Gary Merrick, Patrick Mulconery, Ronald Pease, Nella Potter, Joyce Rouse, Alan Green, James Perkins, Randy Slade, Richard Thorp

Grade 12 - Shella Bryson, James Davis, Karen Davis, Leah Dodge, Lester Goddard, John Howland, Penny Mattson, Joseph Schweigart, Donald Sisson

Use the Classified Ad Section.

Ag-Tech Students To Present "Scrooge"

Wellsville and Alfred performances of a children's theater production of "Scrooge" are planned for this week-end by students at State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred.

The free holiday offering will be presented at 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 18, at Nancy Howe Theater in Wellsville. It has been arranged by Friends of the Library Association.

The second free program will be at 2 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 19, in the college's student activities center auditorium.

Besides the theatrical production, children in the audience will be visited by Santa Claus after the show.

The performance of "Scrooge" is an adaptation by Bailey Paskman of the Charles Dickens classic "A Christmas Carol". Paskman has simplified the acting version to concentrate on key characters created in the famous Dickens novel.

The two productions of "Scrooge" are being directed by John Larsen, who stresses that both programs are open to all area children as well as their parents and any other interested adults.

In the role of the narrator is Kathleen Sirianni of Olean, while Jeffrey Jarbel of the Bronx, Donald Sheldon of McDonough, Thomas Wood of Hornell, Thomas Adams of Norwich, Wendy Welles of Canisteo, Dianne Campbell of East Aurora, Gail Swinnert of Tonawanda, Leslie Levine of Albany, and Denise Kieff of Bexleyville.

Besides the college students, four are youngsters in the cast are brothers, Craig, Don, and Mark Mix and Scott Larsen.

Mrs. Barbara Larsen, wife of the director, is in charge of makeup, while other members of the production staff include James Bowles of Prattburg, Steven Smith of Bellport, Jacqueline Bowles of Corning, Paul Weldman of Guilford, Donald Stewart of Orchard Park, Harold O'Connor of Tonawanda, William White of Pleasantville, and Marcia Bueg of Williamston.

Senior Interview

by Linda Smith

This week's star senior is Karen Anne Davis. Karen was born May 29, 1954 to Clarence and Eileen Davis. She has three brothers and one sister.

Her majors are math, science and Spanish. Karen has also been very busy in other activities. She has been in FHA for four years. In her junior year she was FHA News Reporter and this year she is the Treasurer. Also in her junior year she had the part of Diane in the Junior Play. Her other activities include the Class Treasurer, Red Cross, GAA, and Soccer, all for four years. Karen is also on the Yearbook Staff in Advertising.

Next year, Karen hopes to go to State-Tech at Alfred to study Medical Records Technology. We would all like to wish Karen the best of luck in the future.

Senior Interview

by Patricia Williams

The spotlight for this week shines on Maxine Kay Dodge. Maxine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Dodge. She has four brothers and one sister. Their names are Douglas, Richard, Robert, Arlene and Bill.

Maxine majors in office practice at B.O.C.E.S. Her major interest in activities has been FHA.

Maxine plans for the future are undecided. Whatever she decides to do, we the students at A.C.S. wish Maxine the best of luck!

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