

News That's

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Well Folks, here we are again beginning another New Year with many new and exciting things ahead of us — as well as the unpredictable disasters that are bound to be the fate of we mortals of the human race! And as far as these are concerned, all we can do is hope that we are strong enough to cope with them — and "still hang in there!" Furthermore, if you have your health — you have almost everything so guard it and take care of it — and it will eventually take care of you.

Now that we have "emoted" with a bit of philosophy we may as well get down to the matters on hand.

It seems that every time that we make elaborate advance plans to go somewhere for a few days — bang! Something comes along in the line of business or family emergency of close relatives in the hospital or something — to disrupt our plans and dash them into that well known circular file No. 13.

Thus, after having to wipe out our usual Christmas Tree Trimming Party in December because of our own uncertain health and trip to the Robert Packer Clinic in Sayre Pa., besides canceling plans to go to Indianapolis to visit Rev. Alfred H. Backus who is approaching his 100th Birthday because of business pressure, we decided that we would go to the Sugar Bowl Game with friends in Louisiana on New Year's Eve providing that "The Lord was willing and the Creek didn't rise" — Shortest Story of the Year: "We did!"

However, this year we did not try to cover the whole State of Florida and visit all our relatives like we did last year as we found that we just couldn't cover that much ground in the time space available — at least when traveling by auto. And we still haven't forgotten the problems that we ran into after we got back!

One thing for sure that we have noted time and time again, every where we go, we meet nice people that are friendly, congenial, and a lot of fun! Take for example New Year's Eve, when we were dining at "Felix's", a sea food specialty house just off Bourbon St. in "Vieux Carre" (French Quarters). We had just finished eating when a crowd of Nebraska Football Fans came in with their red jackets etc., and, having our own Crimson Tide red jacket on we started kidding them about the game and how the Big Red Team had us worried until the fourth quarter (we were betting on Nebraska) — but the "Little Woman" was cheering for Florida).

One of the gentlemen James B. Hyland Engineering Geologist for the Soil Conservation Service USDA told us that if Nebraska had lost that he wouldn't have dared to go back to his home town. And come to find out his son was No. 20 on the defensive team and was the one that had intercepted the Florida pass that allowed Nebraska to score the only touchdown they had in the game so that they were able to go ahead and win with a two point conversion and a couple of field goals. Mr. Hyland took us over and introduced us to his son and the rest of his family, and friends and we "chit-chatted" for a brief spell — and then went on our way to watch the Orange Bowl Game — and the two-point disaster for Alabama, our Alma Mater. And, would you believe it? Of all the teams that we supported in Post-Season Bowl Games — Alabama was the only one that lost and then by only 2 points! Oh well, next year! (Maybe)

We did have a wonderful time for the entire trip relaxing, eating, etc., with our host "Chuck" taking the week off so that he could take us around and show us a lot of New Orleans that we hadn't seen in our flying trip last year. In fact, we even hit Al's place and listened spell-bound to his

Library News

The following Memorial Books have been added to Andover Free Library:

"The World of the Wood Duck" by Eugene F. Hester, given in memory of Mr. Stanley Seamans by Andover Grange No. 1098

"Potpourris and Other Fragrant Delights", by Jacqueline Heriteau given in memory of Leona Slocum by Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Baker and Miss Joyce Frizell

"America In Legend", by Richard M. Dorson given in memory of Herman Lehman Sr. by the boys from the Gas Co.

"Wilderness U.S.A.", National Geographic Society given in memory of Finley F. McCoubrey by Harriet and Alvin Hoover and Ann Appier

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

"The Tightrope Men", by Desmond Bagley

"The Silken Net", by Melwyn Bragg

"Return Journey" by R. F. Delidelfeld

"The Odd Woman", by Gail Godwin

"Trelawny", by Isabelle Holland

"The General", by Stephen Longstreet

"Alinsky's Diamond", by Tom McHale

"House of Many Shadows", by Barbara Michaels

"Nella Watts", by Marlys Millhiser

"Anva", by Susan Fromberg Schaeffer

"The Belton Estate", by Anthony Trollope

"In the Early Morning Rain", by Ted Berrigan

"A Dictionary of American Antiques", by Carl W. Draper

"The Forgotten Victory", by Thomas Fleming

"Songs of Independence", by Irwin Silber

"I'll Protect You From The Jungle Beasts", by Martha Alexander

"Thank You, Jackie Robinson", by Barbara Cohen

"Two Good Friends" by Judy Dalton

"McBroom the Rainmaker", by Sid Fleischman

"Mushroom in the Rain", by Mirra Ginsburg

"The Silver Christmas Tree", by Pat Hutchins

"Nice Little Girls", by Elizabeth Levy

"The Bumper Sticker Book", by Jean Merrill

"The House Without a Christmas Tree", by Gail Rock

"The Kitten in the Pumpkin Patch", by Richard Shaw

"The Truth About Stone Hollow", by Zilpha Keatley Snyder

"Ray Charles", by Sharon Bell Mathis

"Squeals and Squiggles & Ghostly Giggles", by Ann McGovern

"Dinosaur Times", by Peggy Parish

"Bonnieville Cars", by Edward Radlauer

Mrs. Thelma Hombs is a patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, where she underwent surgery Wednesday, January 8th.

famous "Dixie-Land" band and Trumpet Music for over two and a half hours of solid music — no 10 minute breaks! What a show! No gas! No dancing! Just real, solid MUSIC! WOW!

And, would you believe it? No problems on the entire trip! None with the car, gendarmes, motels, restaurants — nothing! (Oh yes, One drunk at the game gave us a hard time for a while — but he was apologetic before he left. How about that?)

Rod & Gun Club

To Pick Up Trees Saturday Jan. 11th

The Andover Rod & Gun Club has announced that they are going to continue their program that they started around ten years ago and will pick-up any Christmas Trees that are left along the curbs with-in the Village of Andover.

The local Sportsmen will start collecting the trees around 9 a. m. Saturday, January 11th and will use these trees to furnish cover for small game in rural areas.

Any landowners that wish small brush piles for conservation of small game are asked to contact "Jim" Jackson or Harold Rice.

Rod & Gun Club members and volunteers with trucks are to meet at the parking lot in back of Sackett's Food Market at 9 a. m. to start in on this program. Local Boy Scouts are also invited to join Club Members to carry out the project.

News Briefs of Local Servicemen

ETR3 and Mrs. Robert D. Cavanaugh (Mary Kay Gavin) of San Francisco, California arrived in Andover December 20 to spend Christmas leave with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. George Cavanaugh of Weimer Trailer Court in Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gavin of Grove Street, Andover, N. Y. Bob and Mary were entertained at a wedding reception at the APB Club in Spio, New York on Sunday afternoon, December 29 for close friends and relatives, by their parents.

On Tuesday, December 31 ETR3 R. Jeff Fergus of Salt Lake City Utah arrived to spend a few days in the area with his Navy friends the Cavanaughs, and together they reported to Norfolk Va. on January 6 for Electronics Schooling.

Rod & Gun Club Buck Contest Winners

The winners of the Annual Rod & Gun Club Buck Contest for 1974 are as follows:

First Prize — Biggest Deer — Vincent Loudenslager of Clarence Center — 152 lbs.
Second Prize — Jerry Givens — Most Points — 9
Third Prize — Vincent Loudenslager of Clarence Center — Widest Beam — 16 1/2 inches.

OES Notice

Anna W. McArthur Chapter No. 242 OES is invited to attend a tureen dinner at 6:30 p. m., with Rushford Chapter No. 545 at Rushford Grange Hall on Saturday evening, January 11.

Program at 8 p. m., will be in charge of Anna W. McArthur Chapter.

Please bring own table service and dish to pass.
Elizabeth Clair Sec.

The Order of Eastern Star will meet on Monday evening, January 13, 1975 at 8:00 in the Masonic Temple. Installation of new officers will take place. It is requested that all officers and members be present.

Formal dress is not expected for this meeting.

Deer Run Trailblazers To Hold Hot Dog Roast

The Deer Run Trailblazers Snowmobile Club is having a Sunday afternoon Hot Dog Roast. Anyone interested in a nice Sunday ride bring your snow machine, hot dogs and relishes and meet at the Deer Run Campgrounds to leave at 12:00 noon, January 12.

Black coffee will be furnished. Any questions call 478-6306.

Snow date — Sunday, January 19.

Leo S. Snyder

—Leo S. Snyder of 3 Church St., died Saturday, January 4, 1975 in the Bath Veterans Hospital following a long illness.

He was born in Andover, June 29, 1891, a son of William and Ella Swartz Snyder.

Mr. Snyder was a retired bookkeeper for the Sunnydale Dairy. On Sept. 5, 1923, he married the former Melva Jobson, who survives.

He was a member of the Andover Presbyterian Church and a past treasurer; a member of the Lynch-Burgett Post No. 397 American Legion; the Allegany 40 & 8 Club; and also had served as trustee for the Village of Andover.

Surviving, in addition to his widow, are a brother, Raymond Snyder of Andover; a sister Mrs. Ruby Moyses of Ole Lyme, Conn., and a niece and two nephews.

Friends were received at the James B. Mulholland Funeral Home, Church St., Andover, where funeral and committal services were held Tuesday January 7, 1975 at 2 p. m. The Rev. Ray Albaugh pastor of the Presbyterian Church, officiated. Burial was in Valley Brook Cemetery, Andover.

Miss Lotta M. Randolph

Miss Lotta M. Randolph, a resident of Sonoma, N. Y., passed away Thursday, December 19, 1974. She had been a resident there for a great many years. She was the daughter of the late David and Alice Randolph.

Burial was in Hillside Cemetery, Andover, N. Y.

The Mayor's Column

by James Bliss

There will be a change in the Village Crew after next week. Our Superintendent of Public Works, Bob Costello, is leaving as of January 16, 1975. Bob has taken a supervising job with the Wellsville Water and Light Department. The people of Andover will miss Bob and the fine job he has done in keeping our electric system in good working order. I wish Bob every success in his new position.

The Village Board is currently searching for a new Superintendent of Public Works. Until such time as we find a suitable individual the Village Crew will maintain the usual services. In event of a serious electrical problem, Bob Costello will be available on a consulting basis.

Starting Monday, January 13, we will have an additional man on the Village Crew paid for through a federal manpower training program. In addition he will serve as the School Crossing Guard. Mrs. Gaus, our former guard who was paid under the same federal manpower program has left the area for a time.

Parade Committee To Meet Tuesday January 21

The Fourth of July Parade Committee will meet Tuesday, January 21 at the home of Mrs. Mel Mickie at 8 p. m.

All regular members and any interested people — please attend.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce E. Johnson of Dillsburg, Pa., are parents of a daughter, Jobena Elizabeth, born Monday, December 30, 1974. Mr. and Mrs. L. Richard Johnson are the paternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. Maaman Winebrenner of Summerville, W. Va., are the maternal grandparents.

Rosary Society News

The Altar Rosary Society of Blessed Sacrament Parish will hold their monthly meeting Monday, January 13 beginning at 7:30 p. m. in Church with Rosary and Benediction, and the business meeting will be at the Rectory.

Village Board

Holds Special Meetings

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees was held in the Village Office Thursday afternoon, January 2, 1975 at 4:30. Those present: James Bliss, Mayor; Paul Hyland, Michael Brace, Avery Mead and Robert Baker, Trustees.

A letter of resignation was received from Robert Costello, Sup't. of Public Works, effective January 16, 1975.

Moved by Michael Brace to accept the resignation of Robert Costello, with regret. This was seconded by Paul Hyland.

This concluded the business and the meeting was adjourned.
JOAN C. DIBBLE, Clerk

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees was held in the Village Office Monday evening, January 6, 1975 at 7:30. Those present: James Bliss, Mayor; Avery Mead, Paul Hyland and Robert Baker, Trustees.

A discussion was held on the replacement of the Supt. of Public Works.

Moved by Avery Mead and seconded by Robert Baker to advertise in the Western New York area via newspapers.

This concluded the business and the meeting was adjourned.
JOAN C. DIBBLE, Clerk



Children's Evangelist To Be In Andover January 19 - 24

"Uncle Charlie" will be the special speaker for the week of January 19 through 24 at the Andover Christian & Missionary Alliance Church. Rev. Charles Olenhouse began his ministry as a pastor in 1943 following his graduation from New College. In 1947 he and his wife were sent as missionaries to the Dyaks of West Borneo where they worked as God's messengers for one term.

Upon returning to the States Uncle Charlie ministered in several churches.

His messages are appealing to children. He holds their attention with dramatic stories, sound filmstrips, object lessons, upside down drawings, puppets, and missionary stories all with a clear bible-centered message.

Uncle Charlie leads the children in a parade with many flags and banners flying to interest others in attending the meetings.

Mr. Olenhouse was ordained to the Christian Ministry in 1955 and is licensed under the Christian & Missionary Alliance. His message is to present Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

The Church is located on Rockambeau Avenue in the Town of Andover. Sunday services with Uncle Charlie at 10:00 and 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Nightly services at 7:15. Pastor Jeffrey Mackey extends an invitation for the general public to attend.

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