

Village Board Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees was held in the Village Office, Monday, February 10, 1975. Those present: James Bliss, Mayor; Michael Brace and Paul Hyland, Trustees.

Reading of previous minutes of meetings held was deferred due to the absence of the Clerk.

Moved by Paul Hyland and seconded by Michael Brace, to accept the resignation of Ronald Glover as building inspector. Carried.

Paul Hyland moved, seconded by Michael Brace, to appoint Harold Joyce as building inspector. Carried.

Moved by James Bliss and seconded by Michael Brace, for Andover to join the Western New York Association of Villages. Carried.

Moved by James Bliss, and seconded by Paul Hyland, for the Village to join the Southern Tier Mayors Association. Carried.

Moved by Michael Brace, and seconded by Paul Hyland, for the Village to grant permission to send a representative to Syracuse to attend a meeting of the Power Authority of the State of New York, to be held February 19, 1975. Carried.

Moved by Michael Brace, and seconded by Paul Hyland, to grant Washington's Birthday for a vacation day for Village employees. Carried.

Moved by Michael Brace and seconded by Paul Hyland, to purchase linemen's equipment as submitted by the Electric Dept. Carried.

Moved by Michael Brace and seconded by Paul Hyland, to accept the resignation of William Greene with regret and commend him for his fine service. Carried.

Moved by Paul Hyland and seconded by Michael Brace, to authorize the Electric Department to purchase 10 new mercury street lights. Carried.

Moved by Paul Hyland and seconded by Michael Brace to accept a letter from the N. Y. S. Department of Health advising that the Andover Water Supply must be monitored by qualified personnel. The Wellsville Water Department will send a qualified man on Wednesday morning to monitor and meet the state requirements. Carried.

Moved by Paul Hyland and seconded by Michael Brace to release bids for a new truck for the Street Department. Carried.

Moved by Michael Brace and seconded by Paul Hyland, to accept the following Police Report for the month of January: Complaints — 5; Investigations — 5; Misc., Calls and Requests — 6; Accidents — 1; Doors and Windows found open — 0; Total Arrests — 3 (traffic 3, criminal 0); Parking Summonses issued — 18; Courtesy Tickets — 0; Assists to other agencies — 1 (assisted State Police with 1 car P.D.A. on Rt. 17 East of the Village); Property Checks — 2; Court Appearances — 4; Patrolman Bissell's hours — 47; Patrolman Belmont's hours — 8; Mileage on Patrol Vehicle 12,000 — month of January 1,400. Carried.

Vouchers as per abstract No. 7 of 74/75 were audited and approved for payment in the following amounts: General — \$3,304.94; Water — \$431.23 and Elec. — \$3767.35.

Michael Brace moved, Paul Hyland seconded the following resolution endorsing the consolidated solid waste disposal:

WHEREAS: The Allegany County Board of Legislators is considering developing a County wide solid waste disposal system

WHEREAS: The proposed system would provide for environmentally sound solid waste disposal.

WHEREAS: The cost of this county system would be less for the taxpayer of the Village of Andover than we are presently paying for the Wellsville landfill system

Philip M. Hackett

Philip M. Hackett, a former resident and businessman of Andover, died Sunday, February 9, 1975 in Williston Memorial Hospital at Dunnellon, Florida, following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Hornell, February 28, 1910, a son of Roy M. Hackett and Edith Nash Hackett attended school there and graduated from R.I.T.

He was united in marriage to Thelma R. Gee on March 3, 1933 with the couple having one daughter, Beverly, born on February 14, 1934, and who died at the age of 16 while still in high school.

P. M. Hackett was employed by the DuPont Company in Niagara Falls, N. Y., from 1933 - 1946, and while there developed the "Thermocap Relay". As demand for this product increased, he decided to make their manufacture a full-time enterprise and in 1946 moved to Andover, first locating in the rear of the Andover Garage, and later, in 1949, in the Vars (Thorpe) Block on Main Street. His wife, Thelma, died after a long illness in September 21, 1963 and Mr. Hackett sold his business to his associate, Mr. James A. Gram and moved to Florida in 1964.

Survivors include his wife, Bernice B. at home; two step-children, John Gavitt of Stannards, and Mrs. Jane Harder of Wellsville and several nieces and nephews.

Interment was conducted from the Fero Funeral Home in Dunnellon, Florida.

The Mayor's Column

At the regular meeting of the Village Board, Harold "Duff" Joyce was appointed Village Building Inspector. As Building Inspector "Duff" will process all building permits. Anyone wishing to enlarge, add-on or build a new structure, must apply for a building permit. Application forms will be available at the Village Office and may be returned to the office when completed.

Other duties of the building inspector include checking buildings for unsafe conditions, and inspecting new construction to see that it conforms to the permit application specifications.

Dogs still remain a problem and we are in the process of getting a Village Dog Catcher.

Republican Caucus

"Take Notice" The caucus of the registered Republican voters of the Village of Andover will be held at the Andover Central School Auditorium, Thursday, February 20th, at 8:00 P. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor and two trustees on the Republican ticket and for the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before the said caucus.

HAROLD RICE
GLENN THORPE
REGINA BROWN

Republican Village Committee

Goodwill Industries Pick-up For Andover

The Goodwill Industries Truck will pick up donations in Andover on Friday, February 21st. Please bring your donations, in your own bags or boxes, to the porch of the Methodist parsonage, 35 Greenwood St., preferably on the week of February 16th-22nd, or before then, if necessary. Goodwill Industries which employs the handicapped especially needs your donations of used clothing, small appliances, etc., at this time.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the Andover Village Board does encourage and support the development of the proposed solid waste disposal system by the Allegany County Legislature.

This concluded the business and the meeting was adjourned.

MICHAEL BRACE,

Medical Center To Receive Two More New Doctors

The National Health Service Corps will assign two additional physicians to Allegany County to assist in providing health care through the Andover Medical Center.

This was announced by officials of the Rural Management Association of Allegany County (RMAAC), a volunteer, non-profit organization which assists in providing health care service for the citizens of the county.

The Association received notification of continuance of the present service provided by the Andover Center from the Health Service Corps of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. Drs. Robert Woolhandler and Douglas Kibler are currently assigned to the Center as of July 1974.

"The Association consists of consumers and providers of health care from throughout the county," said Professor Robert L. Love, President of the organization.

He announced that the two physicians newly assigned here are Dr. Henry (Toby) Atkins and Dr. William Coch who will begin their two-year tour of service July 1 and will be in addition to the present staff.

Dr. Atkins is completing his residency in family medicine at Chapel Hill, North Carolina, while Dr. Coch is completing his internship in internal medicine at the University of Vermont.

The Center is also staffed by nurses and office personnel, according to Professor Love, who points out that the medical staff and Ms. Tess Farley, nurse practitioner, are funded by the National Health Service Corps.

The center staff has seen more than 8,000 patient since it was opened in July 1972. Professor Love reported. He also observed that it was originally staffed by Dr. Clifford Miller and Dr. Daniel Tartaglia who opened an office in Wellsville after their tour of service. Dr. Miller is currently in residency at the University of Vermont, but will return to his practice soon.

The RMAAC Board of Directors decided at its last meeting to designate Andover as the primary site of operation of the association. Directors also agreed to extend services to one other community in the county "as soon as practical and feasible."

It was further decided to proceed with plans for building a new physical facility in Andover. Directors hope it will be completed and operational some time this year.

Currently, the Andover Center is located in temporary facilities on Main Street in Andover.

Members of the Building Committee include: James Bliss, Mayor of Andover; Paul Kilbane and Mrs. Sylvia McCoubrey of Andover; Mrs. Margaret Connolly of Belmont and Gerald Cole of Cuba.

Professor Love said others from the county will be asked to assist this committee in various ways as plans for the new facility are developed.

The association directors are also seeking ways of involving more persons in their activities. One plan being considered involves community education programs, with the professional staff of the center assuming leadership roles.

Besides Professor Love, other officers of the Association are: Dr. Irwin Felsen of Wellsville, Vice-President; Paul Kilbane and Carlton Coats, Acting Executive Director. Coats, who has held this post since last November, was previously with the personnel department of Air Preheater Company in Wellsville.

Additional members of RMAAC are the Rev. Walter Connor and Dr. Virginia Barker of Belmont and Dr. J. Robert Common of Andover.

In April of 1973, the RMAAC

Mrs. Hamilton McAllister

Mrs. Clara C. McAllister, of Whitesville, died Tuesday, February 11, 1975 at Jones Memorial Hospital in Wellsville, following a long illness.

She was born in West Union on April 5, 1892, a daughter of Marcus and Florence Cramer and married Hamilton McAllister on September 8, 1910, who preceded her in death.

Mrs. McAllister was a member of the Whitesville United Methodist Church; the Current Events Club and Senior Citizens of Whitesville.

Surviving are three sons, Freeman McAllister of Painted Post, N. Y., Francis McAllister of Batavia, N. Y., and Archie McAllister of Myakka City, Florida; 20 grandchildren; several great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the Wildman Funeral Home, Inc., 931 Maple Ave., in Whitesville Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m., where funeral and committal services will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. The Rev. Robert Wood will officiate. Burial will be in Whitesville Rural Cemetery, Whitesville.

Lions Club To Present Colored Movie

It will be "popcorn time" in the Andover Gymnasium on Saturday night, March 8, as the Andover Lions Club will present a colorful slide show on the past two Allegany-Sesqui Maple Festivals and a narrated colored movie on the Andover Sesqui-Centennial.

The general public is invited to attend this "premiere showing", so make a date to get your seat early as the show will begin promptly at 8:15 P. M.

Lions Charles Howland and Dale Green, Co-Chairmen of this project, are anticipating a capacity crowd as most of the local people were involved in the Sesqui-Centennial Celebration and never had a chance to see all the "goings-on".

In order to help defray the cost of the film and slides used, Admission will be a donation.

Plan now to attend this "Andover Premiere" — take your kids and friends!

Andover Fire Dept To Raise Funds

Andover Firemen are now asking all area shoppers to please save all their MB grocery receipts from the Andover Market Basket Store for the entire month of February.

Why? The Andover Market Basket will give the Andover Fire Department a percentage of all the receipts that they turn in to the store.

Please give your receipt sales slips to Andover Firemen — or put in collection boxes within area stores.

Our goal is to try and raise over \$1,000 from this project. Won't you help us by saving those sales slips for us.

Thank you,
Andover Fire Department

was incorporated to: 1) Organize with the intent to supply quality medical services in under-served areas in Allegany County; 2) Undertake when advisable, health planning projects within the area; 3) Work with all official regional, state and federal agencies to insure maximum health benefits for Allegany County. This action came from the Comprehensive Health Planning Organization of Allegany County and resulted in the formation of an Association which the Department of Health Education and Welfare entered into contract with the National Health Service Corps assistance. In July of 1972, the Andover Medical Center was developed and has been in constant operation, providing health care to the County since that date.

School Board Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular meeting of the Andover Central School Board of Education was called to order by the President, Francis Horan on Monday evening, February 10, 1975. District Principal Curville Jordan and the following Board Members were present: William Walker, Conner Stephens, Carl Atwell, and Mary K. Slade. Preston Abbey, Architect, was also present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read for approval. Carl Atwell made the motion that these be approved and Conner Stephens seconded the motion. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

The Treasurer's Report was read for comparison with the Clerk's. Mary K. Slade made the motion to accept this report. Carl Atwell seconded the motion. Carried by 5 votes of yes.

The Cafeteria Report was read by Mr. Jordan showing a net profit of \$48.73 for the month of January. A motion was made by Mary K. Slade to file this report with the minutes. Seconded by Francis Horan and passed by 5 votes of yes.

General Fund bills for the month of January total \$16,491.72. William Walker made the motion that these be paid. Conner Stephens seconded the motion. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Cafeteria bills for the month of January totaled \$2,281.53. William Walker made the motion that these be paid. Seconded by Carl Atwell. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Title II — 1974-75 bills were presented for \$316.00. Carl Atwell made the motion that this warrant be paid. Francis Horan seconded the motion. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

The payrolls for the month of January were read for approval. The total amount of these was \$44,945.67. William Walker made the motion that these be approved. Seconded by Carl Atwell. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Mary K. Slade made the motion that the President of the Board of Education, Francis Horan, be authorized to borrow \$50,000 on a Revenue Anticipation Note in anticipation of State Aid to be received. William Walker seconded the motion. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Resolution to reduce School Taxes by 1/2 for eligible persons over 65 was passed by 5 votes. Mary K. Slade made the motion and Conner Stephens seconded. The amount of income now is \$3,500 combined. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

The new band uniforms were discussed. It was decided by all Board Members to table the decision until the matter of State Aid is determined.

The resignation of Doris Church was submitted. Miss Church is retiring after Thirty Years of valuable service to the school. The resignation was accepted with regret. Horan made the motion. Slade seconded, and 5 yes votes passed the motion.

Sheila Greene has resigned. Atwell made the motion. Slade seconded. Resignation is effective July 1, 1975. Mrs. Greene was granted maternity leave as of January 28, 1975. Motion passed by 5 yes votes.

MARY K. SLADE, Clerk

Democrat Caucus

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Democratic Party Caucus for making nominations of candidates for village officers in the Village of Andover, will be held at the Andover Central School in said Village on Thursday, February 20, 1975, at 8:00 p. m. Candidates are to be nominated by said caucus for the offices of Village Mayor, and two Trustee offices.

The meeting will be held in the Library.

J. MICHAEL BRACE
AVVRY MRAD
ACQUINAS MCCORMICK