



TOWN HALL PACKED FOR HEARING ON ZONING! — As can readily be seen, the Andover Town Hall was crowded when 64 people appeared last Thursday Evening to express themselves on a proposed "Town Building Ordinance" and/or Zoning. And, when a vote by show of hands was taken it showed: 1 person in favor; and the huge majority against.

Supervisor Howard Burdick stated after the meeting that he felt that the Town Board had carried out their obligation "to the people" and that the "majority" of the Taxpayers had expressed a "clear-cut" path to follow. And, to this, we fully agree. (News Photo)

News That's Print To Fit

Well Taxpayers, what did you think of that Town Hearing last Thursday? With over 60 people out to express their feelings there is no doubt that the general public is against any type of zoning or building code in rural areas.

Too bad that other Legislative bodies won't give the Taxpayers a chance to be heard and then listen to what their desires are — like on the County Level is concerned where a new County Office Building is being pushed against the Taxpayers wishes!

If this week's paper seems a little light — chalk it up to progress as we are having the "backshop" as well as the "front-offices" cleaned up and painted for the first time since we purchased the "News" back in 1961. (And we don't know how many years it has been since it has had any paint — more than likely dating back to the mid-thirties.)

However, in moving things around as well as replacing exhaust pipes, problems arose which held up the Newspaper production. Like — a "jam-up" on the Linotype which used up around \$100 worth of new parts plus the labor repairing it and all the lost time. (We are just thankful that we had the new parts on hand so that we could eventually get going without being shut down for several weeks waiting for parts, so will chalk up the loss to "experience.")

Grange News

There will be a meeting Sunday afternoon, February 23, with a fourteen dinner at 1 o'clock. All Grangers try and come.

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

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Anita Cahill was transferred from the Jones Memorial Hospital in Wellsville to the St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell, Thursday, and underwent surgery Monday.

Ray Lehman, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, returned home Wednesday.

Charles Scott was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital, Tuesday as a medical patient.

Mrs. Leo Snyder was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

Mrs. Sarah Pantoni is a patient in the Bethesda Hospital.

Fire Department Fund Raising Project Gains

Up until this week, the Andover Fire Department has received over \$5,500 in Market Basket receipt tapes towards their fund raising project.

For you shoppers that haven't participated, won't you please turn in your receipt tapes to one of the collection boxes so that the local Fire Department will get credit for them in their fund drive.

During the month of February, as a Public Service, the Market Basket Store is giving the Andover Fire Department a certain percentage of the total amount of receipt sales slips that they collect and turn in.

Won't you please help.

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

The Mayor's Column

by James Bliss

As most of you know by now I've made the decision not to run for the office of Mayor again. I find that there are increasing demands on my time and energies at Alfred Tech and I would no longer be able to devote the time necessary to running the Village in an effective manner.

The Village Board is interviewing prospective Superintendents of Public Works this week-end, we have a number of candidates with good credentials especially in the Electric Area. We are also looking for a laborer for the Village Crew. This job would be a permanent one with the Village after a probationary period. Bill Green's resignation has created this position. We certainly have appreciated Bill's efforts over the past two years and wish him much success in Florida.

We are also looking for a Village Dog-Catcher, anyone interested in helping us straighten the dog situation, please contact me or leave word at the Village Office.

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 Allegheny-Schenen 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-Chair men 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!

Mrs. William J. Kibbler

Mrs. Martha J. Kibbler, 85, of 9 W. Center St., Andover, died Sunday, February 16, 1975 at the King Manor Nursing Home at Warsaw, following a prolonged illness.

She was a daughter of George and Jane Rogers Udyke, and was married to William J. Kibbler, who preceded her in death.

Mrs. Kibbler was a native of Independence and lived most of her life in Andover.

Surviving are a step-daughter Mrs. Georgiana Ruger of Andover and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received at the James B. Mulholland Home where funeral and committal services were held Wednesday with the Rev. Ray Albaugh, pastor of the Andover Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Hillside Cemetery.

Mrs. Claude Hurd

Mrs. June Hurd, 360 Madison St., Wellsville, died at her home Thursday, February 13, 1975.

She was born April 8, 1887 in Tyrone, Pa., a daughter of Dr. S. M. and Marjorie Lane Wedney, and on April 1, 1942, she married Claude Hurd, who preceded her in death.

Surviving are a son, Melvin S. Cowher of Athens, Pa.; five step-children, Cecil Hurd of Wellsville, Lester Hurd of Angelica, Harold Hurd of Belfast, Alma Hurd of Belmont and Mrs. George Dunham of St. Cloud, Minn.; a sister, Mrs. Clarence L. Wedney of Tyrone, Pa.; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received at the Embser Funeral Home, Wellsville where funeral and committal services were held Sunday at 2 p. m. The Rev. Chester Sillars of Christian Temple Church, officiated. Burial was in Valley Brook Cemetery, Andover.

Memorial services were conducted by the Golden Age Club at the funeral home Saturday afternoon.

Bloodmobile To Be At Andover March 14

The Rochester Regional Blood mobile will be at the Andover Central School Cafeteria on Friday, March 14th between the hours of 2:00 and 6:00.

This year the age limit has been dropped to 17 and the maximum age is 66 with weight of at least 110 pounds.

The ACS Future Nurses and their Advisor, Mrs. Charly McCormick will again provide the Baby Sitting Service in the Kindergarten Room for those donors who need child care.

Andover has always had a good record at the Bloodmobile — but last year sickness brought our total down quite a bit. Let's make this year a Record Year. You'll never miss that pint of blood — But someone else may need it — and that person could be someone close to you.

For further information call Mrs. Ethel Kelley 593-2748 — after 4:00 p. m., or Mrs. Phyllis Wilson 478-8225 — after 4:00 p. m.

OES Notice

The Order of Easter Star will meet Monday evening, February 24 at 8:00 P. M., at the Masonic Temple. All Officers and members are asked to be present. The lunch committee will be Hazel Burgett and Jean Button.

At the February 10th meeting of Anna W. McArthur Chapter No. 242 of Eastern Star, Maxine Kruger was installed as Associate Conductress and Althea Phelps as Marshal, thus completing installation of all Officers for the year.

The name of Elizabeth Clair Trustee, was omitted from the list of Officers previously installed.

Everett Clair acted as installing Officer, assisted by Alice Clarke, Marshal, and Bessie Mulchery, Assistant Marshal.

Walter (Mike) Gath

Walter (Mike) Gath of E. Greenwood Street, Andover, died Wednesday, February 19, 1975 in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Warsaw on July 3, 1911, a son of Charles and Ora Hildreth Gath, and had resided in Andover since 1930. He was married on December 15, 1945, to the former Winifred Wentworth who survives.

He was a salesman for the Prudential Life Insurance Company, a Past President of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, Past Commander of the Lynch-Burgett Post No. 397, American Legion, a member and Treasurer of the Andover United Methodist Church, a member of the Andover Little League Association, and a World War II veteran.

Surviving besides his widow are a daughter, Mrs. David (Patricia) Vickers of Rochester; a grandson; a sister, Mrs. Clyde (Pauline) Yorton of Andover; two brothers, Kenneth Gath of Fayette, N. C., and Charles E. Gath of Rochester; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call Thursday from 7 to 9 and Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m., at the James B. Mulholland Funeral Home, Church Street, Andover. Funeral services will be held Saturday, February 22, 1975 at 2 p. m., at the United Methodist Church, Andover, with the Rev. Ray Albaugh, pastor, officiating. A Military Service will follow.

Burial will be in Valley Brook Cemetery, Andover.

Andover Union Lenten Services Announced

The Christian and Missionary Alliance Church, The Blessed Sacrament Church, The First Baptist Church and the Methodist-Presbyterian Churches of Andover will again have Union Lenten Services this year for the first four Sundays in March — March 2, 9, 12 and 16th, at 7:30 P. M. each evening. The services are scheduled as follows:

March 2nd — The First Baptist Church; speaker, Rev. Joseph Weimer, a Massed Choir of voices from the local Churches.

March 9th — The Christian and Missionary Alliance Church; its speaker, Rev. Floyd Aldrich and special music.

March 16th — Methodist-Presbyterians hosts in the Methodist Sanctuary; with speaker, Rev. Jeffrey Mackey music by Houghton Chapel Choir.

March 23rd — The Blessed Sacrament Church; speaker, Rev. Ray Albaugh, a mini-Cantata presented by the Massed Choir of local voices directed by Mr. Harold Huffcut.

The Massed Choir which will sing at the March 2nd Service and which will present a short Easter Cantata for the March 23rd Service will begin rehearsals on Wednesday, February 26th at 7:45 p. m. in the Methodist Sanctuary and all singers from the various Churches and the community are invited to participate.

Following each of the evening services, refreshments will be served for a time of fellowship.

Blue and Gold Banquet To Be Held Feb. 26

The Blue & Gold Banquet of Cub Scout Pack 77, will be held Wednesday, February 26, at 6:30 p. m., in the Andover Central School Cafeteria.

Persons attending are asked to bring a dish to pass and their own table service. Meat and beverage will be provided.

There will be entertainment, award ceremonies and Charter presentation.

Use the Classified Ad Section.