

United Speedway News

Holland International Speedway in cooperation with Gor Den Automotive will present trophy races this Saturday, May 17th. The coveted trophies will be added incentive for the competitors in the three divisions of Late Model Sportsman, Limited Sportsman and Challenger Divisions. Gor Den Automotive will also provide contingency awards to the feature winners along with a large assortment of awards to the spectators. Gates will open at 5:30 p. m., with practice at 6 p. m., and the first race scheduled for 7:30 p. m.

Art Clark of West Seneca, the 1974 Late Model Sportsman Champion, has started the new season with a determined bid to repeat as champion. Clark captured the first feature checkered flag of the season by beating a field of 20 Top Late Model Sportsman. On his way to victory, Art faced stiff competition from Dick Flagg of Eggertsville and Bob Starkie from Buffalo. Rookie competitor, Steve Hill of East Aurora and Chuck Gruber of Buffalo have both fared well in competition to date. Doug Hewitt of Perry, the defending 1974 Limited Sportsman Division Champion in the open wheeled Limited Sportsman Division, has given away his early lead to fellow Perrian, Paul Weber. Sporting a strong car for the first time in many seasons is Jim Thompson of Buffalo, who ranks among the leaders. Many rookies populate the division.

Dan Reich of Buffalo is the current leader of the Challenger Division with 1974 Champion Pete Franklin of Orchard Park providing a strong challenge. A popular division which sports many different brands of cars has been readily received by the racing fan.

The Speedway continues its racing schedule with racing each Saturday evening with the rain date on Sunday at 7 p. m. Reserve seats may be ordered by calling the Speedway for reservations or by purchasing them at the gate.

John N. Billings Completes Course

John N. Billings, Switchman Iroquois Telephone Corporation Alfred Station, N. Y., has completed a course in central office equipment maintenance at the Continental Telephone System Training Center near Dulles International Airport, Washington, D. C.

The 15-day course is designed to broaden the repairman's overall knowledge of central office operations and procedures. It concentrates on giving him a better understanding of the functions, maintenance, trouble locating and trouble clearing procedures relating to the central office, which is the equipment center for routing calls to and from local telephone exchange.

Justice Court For Month Of April

Patricia Storms, Wellsville, N. Y., 4/1/75 — Issued Bad Check — \$10.00 — Dismissed.

Rickey Hackett, Andover, N. Y., 3/18/75 — Littering — Cond. Discharge.

Carolyn Lavin, Cleveland, N. Y., 10/15/74 — Speeding — Fine \$15.00.

Seymour Heckman, Greenwood, N. Y., 3/25/75 — Invalid Inspection — Fine \$10.00.

Francis Leo, Elmira, N. Y., 10/3/74 — No proof of Ins. — Dismissed.

Francis Leo, Elmira, N. Y., 10/3/74 — Speeding — Fine \$20.00.

Dale Angood, Andover, N. Y., 4/6/75 — Failed to Yield Right of Way — Bail Forf. \$10.00.

Robert Woolhandler, Andover, N. Y., 3/22/75 — Speeding — Fine \$10.00.

Robert Woolhandler, Andover, N. Y., 3/22/75 — Unlicensed Oper — Dismissed.

Ross Scott, Andover, N. Y., 4/12/75 — Insufficient Lights — Dismissed.

Ross Scott, Andover, N. Y., 4/12/75 — Unlicensed Oper. — Dismissed.

Betty Wyckoff, Wellsville, N. Y., 4/10/75 — Inf. Lights — Dismissed.

Maurice Evans, Hornell, N. Y., 4/1/75 — Speeding — Fine \$25.00.

Howard Machinsky, 4/12/75 — Criminal Mischief — Fine \$10.00.

Veteran News

LISTEN VETERAN

RESERVISTS AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN need not use their vacation time to fulfill their military obligation at summer training encampments or cruises. An employer is bound by law to grant the necessary leave to an employee in order that he may perform his duty as a reservist or guardsman. A reservist or guardsman must file a written request with his employer for leave for military training setting forth the inclusive date. An employer cannot force an employee to take his vacation time coincident with the military training period. As to payment of wages while away from the job, it is strictly a matter of company policy whether or not a reservist or guardsman continues to receive his wages or salary while fulfilling his training obligation. It is not a requirement of law.

TAKING A BREATH FROM YOUR STUDIES under the GI Bill this summer? If you are, you can rest assured you will not lose any of your remaining entitlement when you return to school in the fall. Just as long as you plan to return to the same course of study in the same school it will not be necessary for you to apply for a new certificate of eligibility. And those veterans who are fortunate enough to secure summer employment will be glad to know their monthly allowances while studying will not be affected by their earnings on the job. The allowances are based whether a veteran is pursuing his studies on a full or part-time basis, and the number of dependents he may have. Get the facts and counseling on these benefits from the local counseling center of the New York State Division of Veterans' Affairs. It's located at the Municipal Bldg., Wellsville, N. Y., on Tuesdays, and at the City Bldg., 108 Broadway, Hornell, N. Y., on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Alfred Ag-Tech College Dairy Judging Team Best In Nation

The dairy judging team at State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred is the best in the nation for the second straight year.

Alfred's team scored 1,866 points to capture top honors in recent competition sponsored by the National Association of College Teachers of Agriculture (NACTA). Alfred's winning total a year ago was 1,861.

Staged at Illinois Central College in Peoria, Illinois, this year's contest involved 25 four-year and two-year colleges from throughout the nation.

The Alfred entry, coached by Professor James R. Curtis, outscored all four-year and two-year colleges in the contest which involved judging 10 classes of cows plus oral presentations. Alfred placed first in the oral portion and first in Jersey judging on the way to its title.

The team earlier this spring also took the first place award in the Northeastern Agricultural and Technical Colleges competition at Canton State College.

In the nationals, Alfred was led by Richard Hill of Cattaraugus who was high individual entry. His score was 41 points higher than the two-year college runner-up and was better than all competitors, including those from four-year colleges. Hill was first in oral presentations and also first in judging Ayrshire, Jersey, Guernsey, and Brown Swiss breeds.

Marilyn Lundmark of Frewsburg ranked fifth overall and also fifth in oral presentation. John Gould of Pavilion placed 11th in the oral portion. Penny Roberts of Clyde and Alan Merrill of Perry were alternate team members.

Keep On Buying Savings Bonds

Howard Machinsky, 4/12/75 — Criminal Trespass — Fine \$20.00.

Thomas Lauterbach, Arkport, N. Y., 4/14/75 — Speeding — Bail Forf. \$25.00.

Lawrence Ducl, Canastota, N. Y., 3/23/75 — Speeding — Bail Forf. \$15.00.

Parking V. O. — 1 case at \$3.00.

Parking V. O. — 5 cases at \$2.00.

RICHARD SCHRADER, Justice

From Our Files

Hawks of Independence have been drawn as Jurors.

Lloyd T. Jones died May 6 at the home of his son, Theron on Dyke Street in Wellsville. He was born in Andover in 1871 a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jones. He was a cattle buyer. In 1903 he married Carrie L. Starn, who survives with two sons, Theron of Wellsville and Glenn of Galetton, Pa. Burial

Joseph E. Presutti Announces Candidacy For Alleg. County Clerk

Belmont — Chief Clerk of the Surrogate's Court, Joseph E. Presutti, announced his candidacy for the post of Allegany County Clerk this morning. Incumbent Mrs. Helen Ackerman, has announced her retirement. Mr. Presutti, who will run on the Republican ticket, is the first announced candidate for the position. In addition to his title of Chief Clerk of the Surrogate's Court, he is also the Clerk of the Family Court.

Following 3½ years service in World War II, in which he earned the Army bronze star and the combat badge, Mr. Presutti joined the Allegany County Clerk's office in 1946. He remained in his position until being named Deputy County Clerk in 1955, a post he held until 1963. He accepted the dual roles of Court Clerks in 1963, a position he currently holds. Mr. Presutti is the vice president of the New York State Surrogate Court Clerk's Association; a member of the New York State Family Clerk's Association; a member of the Herbert W. DeLong American Legion Post 808 of Belmont; a member of the Belmont Conservation Club and is a communicant of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church situated in the same town.

In making his announcement, Mr. Presutti said: "I feel that my 29 years of service in the Allegany County Court House, including 17 years in the County Clerk's office, more than qualifies me to be the County Clerk. I am familiar with the ins and outs and the day-by-day problems encountered by the County Clerk and her department and feel that I could adequately perform the functions of the position. I welcome the support of my friends of all parties in the county and pledge to you a continued smooth-running County Clerk's office."

While this is Mr. Presutti's first attempt at seeking an elected office, he is no newcomer to county politics, having served as a county Republican Committeeman for some 10 years.

Allegany County Fire Control Report For April

From Allegany County Fire Control, 82 East Greenwood Street, Andover, New York for the month of April, 1975.

FIRES	
Mercantile	0
Industrial	0
Dwellings	6
Chimney Fires	2
Farm Bldgs	3
Motor Vehicle	6
Oil Field	0
Grass & Brush	89
Pennsylvania Calls	2
Miscellaneous Fires	2

Total Calls

ACCIDENTS — 5

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In County

Out of County

Total Calls

Radio Checks — 70

Siren Tests — 80

Vehicle Practices — 8

Vehicle Maintenance — 21

AMBULANCE CALLS

Alfred

Almond

Andover

Angelica

Belfast

Bolivar

Fillmore

Friendship

Genesee

Rickburg

Rushford

Shinglehouse

Total Calls

False Alarms — 11

Miscellaneous Calls — 1972

Total Calls for the Month — 1068

was in Woodlawn Cemetery.

The Octagon Baseball League will open their season May 30. The Andover manager is James Wentworth and the players are: E. C. Howland, R. Scott, L. Clair, M. Evans, R. Lounsbury, Leo DeRamus, H. Lehman, C. Church, A. L. Bloss, D. Green, E. Dawson, H. McAndrew, L. Sky, W. St. McGee, G. Cartwright, C. Ruger, D. Lehman, E. Padden, Charles Gifford and Robert Joyce.

Miss Virgil Slaight, A.H.S. Alumni and a Genesee Normal graduate, will teach First Grade and the Primary Department in the Greenwood High School again this coming year.

Andover fishermen have not had the best luck in bringing home the usual number of fish this season. As the old timers have to offer: "Wait until the apple blossoms are out and then they will bite on worms and flies."

Announcement has been made of the marriage April 27 of Miss Ruth Hardy, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Hardy of Belmont and Philip Earl Page of Buffalo.

Fay Boyd, with an average of 204 pins for 81 games during the Wellsville City Bowling League Season, heads that league as the most consistent bowler.

Shirley Kenyon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kenyon of Canisteo, died May 2 at home. He was born in Hornell, December 24, 1931. He is survived by his parents and grandparents and are all known in Andover where Mr. Kenyon was a former student in our high school and Mrs. Kenyon was the former Miss Louis Cross, a teacher. Burial was Sunday in Woodlawn Cemetery.

"And It Rained", an operetta by Clark Lee and Clark, and directed by Miss Mary Jo Russ, was presented Wednesday, May 8 by the Music Department. The cast members: Philip Crandall, Alyse Pope, Richard Appier, Carolyn Dufan, Regina Lynch, Jean Millsapugh, Bruce McGill, Milton Briggs, Alan Tuttle, Decatur Clarke and Joe McAndrew. The Chorus consisted of: Jo Baker, C. Cook, L. Gee, F. Karbanes, D. Honneger, M. Swartz, H. Dean, E. West, F. Holroyd, M. Crandall, H. Clarke, I. M. Howland, B. Kruger, B. Sky, R. Church, B. Nobles, M. Nobles, A. Dean, M. Lever, J. Briggs, E. Joyce, G. Joyce, D. Hardy, W. Woodruff, R. Briggs, L. Regan, J. Cannon, F. Pope, K. Vars, E. Kemp, D. Joyce, C. Lynch, C. Brutsman, J. Regan, H. McAndrew, R. Wittle, L. Fulkerson and E. Alderson. Steve Dancer, Mary McAndrew and Tap Dancer, Barbara Bassett.

At the school meeting May 7, Earl Schoonover was re-elected Trustee in the Fulmer Valley District; William Joyce in the Dean District and Floyd Slocum on Davis Hill.

Eleanor Baker of Andover was a week-end guest of Edith Potter of Independence.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Baker and son, John and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fairbank of Elm Valley, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allison Baker of Voorhees Hill, Sunday.

Miss June Rogers of Whitesville was a guest of Miss Reta Burns over the week-end.

President W. S. Calhoun and Secretary R. O. Snyder of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, represented Andover at the Annual Banquet of the Wellsville Chamber of Commerce, Thursday evening.

Emmett Harkenrider, who has been employed for the past six years on the M. V. Lynch farm and the George Barnett farm, has returned to Rexville where he will help his father, James. George O'Dell is taking his place on the Barrett farm and milk route.

Mrs. Alice Baker and Mrs. Florence Blais were in Hornell, Wednesday, where Mrs. Baker rendered a violin solo accompanied by Mrs. Bloss at a meeting of the Hornell OES when they entertained the Grand Lodge Officers.

30 YEARS AGO

May 14, 1945

Claire C. Bagshaw, Publisher

At the regular meeting of the Andover Firemen's Auxiliary held Wednesday evening, officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Mrs. Boris Marzall, President; Mrs. Ed. Smith, Vice-President; Mrs. Helen G. Gifford, Secretary; Mrs. John Gifford, Treasurer; Mrs. Pauline Gifford, Committee. The meeting was held following the meeting at which

time Mrs. Bernesta Webley, outgoing President, was presented a gift from the Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spicer welcomed Julie Rae, Sunday, May 8 at the Tuller Maternity Hospital in Wellsville.

Andover people were saddened Monday when the word came that Staff Sergeant Charles W. Lever, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lever, had been killed in action. The War Department's telegram stated he was killed in action over Okinawa, April 21, 1945. The last word received from him was written April 17 at which time he had completed 27 missions mostly over Borneo and Jap oil installations and was hoping to complete his 30 missions early in the summer and get a chance to come home. Staff Sergeant Lever was born in Andover, June 16, 1916, graduated from Andover High School in 1933 and after attending Bryant & Stratton Business College, was an insurance salesman in Buffalo until he entered the Army Air Force in 1942.

Besides his parents, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Anne Lever, a son, Gordon, age 6, of Buffalo, and two sisters, Mrs. Marion House and Mrs. Dorothy Strouse of Andover.

Georgia Ellis, 16-year old Senior in Andover Central School, has been selected by the faculty and students as the school's recipient of the Annual DART Citizenship Medal and its entry in the State Citizenship Contest. She will be awarded the medal by the Catherine Schuyler Chapter, Allegany County Daughters of American Revolution and will compete for the \$100 War Bond given the State winner on the basis of an essay "Youth Land At The Post War World".

Richard Burdick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burdick of Elm Valley was stricken with infantile paralysis Monday and taken to the Olean Hospital where he is in an "iron lung".

Miss Ruth E. Hardy, daughter of Mrs. Bertha Hardy, and Pvt. R. Kenneth Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cook, were married May 1 at the home of Rev. Ward Flaxington of Hornell. Pvt. Cook is stationed at Fort Wheeler, Ga., and Mrs. Cook will remain in the home of her mother for the present.

Doris Baker has accepted a contract to teach the Fourth Grade in the Portville High School for the coming year.

At the May meeting of the Andover Fire Department held Friday evening, Chief Carl Childs made the following appointments: Truck Drivers — Albert Rogers, William Snyder, Oliver Kemp, Lewis Howe, Richard Harder, Francis Vickers, Victor Hoagland, George Sackett, Fay E. Boyd, Charles Freeland, George Gath, Grant Fuller, Neil Callaghan, Charles Sutor, Charles Holt, Ray O'Loughlin, Carl Childs, Clare Jackson, George Webley and Archie Kemp; Fire Police — Orville Whitaker, Lee Marvel, Claude Loucks, Clayton Burger, Robert Freeland; Village Fire Warden — Archie Kemp and B. B. Hann.

Last Thursday morning a contest was sponsored by the Junior and Senior Classes in order to secure a name for the Orchestra which is going to play at the Junior Prom on May 20. Ray Gath was the winner of a free ticket to the Prom. The name which was submitted by him was "Jimmy's Jive Masters".

The following officers were recently elected in the Elm Valley Community Club: President, Mrs. Dorothy Burdick; Vice-President, Mrs. Lovina Atwell; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Meal; Sunshine Committee Chairman, Mrs. Margaret Jackson, Mrs. Lovina Atwell and Mrs. Cora Burdick.

A beautiful silk dress was presented to each employee of the Stephen Slik Mills last Saturday by the manager.

V.E. Day was quietly celebrated in Andover by the blowing of the American flag, the conducting of the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" after which the stores and business places were closed for the day with ACS observing at 12:30. Flags were on display along Main Street and in front of many homes, but none of the jubilation which characterized the last Armistice day seen. In the evening a well attended home attended the V.E. Day program at ACS.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clifton and daughter, Ann, called on friends in Waverly, Friday.