

## News That's

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Hi there! How did you like that 4 or 5 inches of "white stuff" that Old Jupiter Phylus dumped in on us Tuesday night? Fortunately for the motorists most of it had melted off the main roads — but it sure is pretty sloppy under foot. We suppose that all of the Florida "Sno-Bunnies" are gleefully sitting in front of their TV sets and watching the weather reports — but here in the Village, the Village Crew was out during the night and had the streets plowed out in good shape and, what is the rural roads were taken care of, as School continued as usual. However, there were a few schools closed in the area due to the condition of the rural roads.

The Village trees Christmas Decorations that were purchased last year were put up around Thanksgiving time, and have been lighted up for about a week now but have a much more "Christmasy Spirit" about them now that they are covered with snow. However, we haven't seen many other Christmas Decorations along Main Street so far. Maybe everyone is "waiting for George" to start the ball rolling. Suppose?

We notice that several local Organizations have already held their Annual Christmas Parties and, judging from the sight of several slow-moving people Sunday afternoon, we assume that the Lions Club Party Saturday night was a "Boaring Success"! In fact we heard via "The Grape-Vine" that several groups closed out the festivities with a "party breakfast" — and folks, does that really help the next day?



Lee Kessler Gridley

### Former Andover Resident Signed For TV Production

Mr. Bruce Gridley, nee Lee Kessler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Kessler of Elm St., Andover, has been signed to play Margaret Truman in David L. Wolper's "Dollmaker Course" which is a 2 hour special based upon the correspondence between President Harry S. Truman and General Douglas MacArthur.

The "Dollmaker Course" was scheduled to go before the cameras at The Burbank Studios on December 1, 1975, for a January 4, 1976 air date on ABC-TV.

Lee, whose father was principal of Andover Central School for 20 years prior to his retirement, graduated from Andover in 1950 and from Grove City College in 1955, received her Master's Degree from the University of Wisconsin and taught Drama, Theater, and Debate at Lincoln Land College in Springfield, Ill., in 1955 and 1956. She was Personnel Manager of Andover Department Store in Los Angeles from 1956 to 1958, and has been a member of the Sigma Tau Epsilon Guild and Sigma Tau Epsilon Association since 1958 as well as Two Little Theatre Group. She has also appeared on TV Commercials for Tide and McDonalds.

### Ormal W. Osgood

Ormal W. Osgood of 9 Willard St., Belmont, died Wednesday, December 10, 1975 at the Cuba Memorial Hospital, following a long illness.

He was born in Hinsdale, June 12, 1915, a son of Lyman and Mildred Brown Osgood. He had also resided in Andover and had lived in Belmont for the last seven years.

Mr. Osgood was a former employee of Ag-Tech at Alfred, retiring one and one-half years ago.

In 1941, he married the former Dorothy Glaske, who predeceased him several years ago.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Debra) Moline of Andover; two brothers, Harold Osgood of Hinsdale and Raymond Osgood of Hinsdale; two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Bordon of Rexville and Mrs. Ione Graham of Hinsdale; and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Osgood was a member of the Herbert DeLong, American Legion Post in Belmont.

Friends may call at the Embser Funeral Chapel, Belmont, Thursday and Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m., where funeral services will be held Saturday, Dec. 13, 1975, at 1:30 p. m. with the Rev. Elmer Krentz, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church of Wellsville officiating. Burial will be in Sardinia Rural Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Amity Rescue Squad of Belmont.

### Lions Turkey Party Big Success

The Andover Lions Club 5th Annual Turkey Party which was held recently at the ACS Auditorium, was the most successful of all according to Chairman Merle Mickle. The Board of Directors, that the crowd was the largest ever and the gross profit was the greatest. Chairman Dible stated that over \$800 was made and that 450 Lion members were expended. The money will be used for the vest Sight, Hearing, and Community Projects of the Andover Lions Club.

The Andover Lions Club would like to express its gratitude to the many people who supported this Party by purchasing tickets, attending and donating merchandise and services. Special thanks to Principal Cyril Jordan, for the use of the School Auditorium and to the following businesses and organizations: Joyce Western Corp., D & L Feeds, Andover News, Lynch Trailer Court, Pinecrest Poultry Farm, Sackett's Food Market, Citizens National Bank, ACS Seniors and Andover Leos Club.

### Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCormick Feted on 30th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCormick (nee Jeanne Burns) were honored on their 30th wedding anniversary with a buffet reception hosted by their children.

125 relatives and friends celebrated at the Shamrock Inn in Wellsville on Sunday, November 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. McCormick were married November 2, 1945 at the Blessed Sacrament Church. They are parents of six children: Mary Jo, James, Anne, Michael, Ellen and Mary Catherine. They have three grandsons, Courtney, Sean, and Matthew.

### News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

Airman Daniel J. Welch has successfully completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and Tech School at Harry Air Force Base, Texas. He will enter a three month tour of duty for Graduate Basic Training.

William and Jeanne Welch have been named as Mr. and Mrs. McCormick's godparents. Mr. and Mrs. Kathryn Welch in Andover and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lorb of Hornell.

### Lions Offer Free Transportation To X-mas Pageant

The Andover Lions Club has completed final plans on its Annual Ambitious Christmas Programs.

In addition to the "Christmas Lighting Contest", "Toys For Tots" Program, and "Christmas Basket Distribution", the Lions will provide free transportation for all elderly people inside the Village and Township of Andover, to and from the Andover Central School Christmas Program which will be held at the ACS Auditorium on Thursday, December 18. Doors open at 7:30 p. m. with the program starting at 8 p. m.

Any Senior Citizen in Andover who would like to attend this program and requires transportation is requested to call any of the following Lions as soon as possible so transportation arrangements can be made:

Dale Green — 487-8110  
Zeke Shellman — 478-8298  
Bob Goodridge — 478-8104  
Frank Cahill — 487-8636

All of Andover's Senior Citizens are urged to take advantage of the Free Transportation and enjoy the finest Christmas Pageant in Andover.

### 4th Of July Committee To Hold Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Annual Fourth of July Celebration Committee will be held on Tuesday, December 16 at 7:30 P. M. at the home of Mel Mickle.

Since this is the meeting at which the selection of the Theme for the 1976 Celebration is to be made from entries submitted, all members are urged to attend.

Mel Mickle, Sec.

### "Toys For Tots"

Andover Lions Club will again provide a "Toys For Tots" program this Christmas Season in which less fortunate children in the Andover District will receive a toy for Christmas.

Lion Carmen Ceglia has accepted Chairman for this program and would like to make an appeal to those families who have toys which are no longer used and would like to donate these to the Lions Club for distribution.

Chairman Ceglia advises that the toys, which should be in good condition, can be dropped off at his Village Barber Shop during regular business hours or be given to any Andover Lion.

### Rescue Squad Report For The Month of November

The Andover Rescue Squad report for the month of November shows that Ambulance 2-R-9 made 10 runs for a total of 244 miles and 26 man hours.

Ambulance 2-R-17 made 1 run with a total of 35 miles and 4 man hours.

Respectfully submitted  
James R. Hawn, Captain

### Masonic Notice

Regular Stated Communication of Andover Lodge No. 553 F.&A.M. will be held Monday, December 15, 1975 at 8:00 p. m. This meeting will be the Annual Election of Officers and all members are urged to attend.

Ladies' Night will be presented a 90 Year Anniversary Pin and it would be very appropriate for all members to wear this personally on such a momentous occasion.

Respectfully following meeting,  
William Pratt, Master

### Legion Notice

There will be no meeting of Lackland Post No. 897, American Legion on December 16, or until more interest is shown by its members.

Gerald W. Hawn, Com.

### Mrs. John E. Lewis

Mrs. John Lewis of 131 Stevens Street, Wellsville, died Friday December 5, 1975 in Jones Memorial Hospital after a long illness. Born in Payette, Idaho, she was married to John Lewis, who died in 1961. She lived in Independence 54 years and in Wellsville the last 14.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Nathan Black of Wellsville; two sons, Donald of Clearwater, Fla. and Leo of Wellsville, and nine grandchildren.

She was a member of the Rebekahs.

Friends were received at the Embser Funeral Home, Wellsville. Funeral services were held at the First United Methodist Church at 1:30 p. m., Monday with the Rev. William Atkins, officiating.

Burial was in the Whitesville Rural Cemetery.



Mrs. Gerald Clark, a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, has been discharged.

Tracy Richardson, a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, has been discharged.

Mrs. William Buchholz, a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, has been discharged.

John Cannon Sr., a patient in the Jones Memorial was discharged Wednesday.

Mrs. Karen Peterson, a patient in St. James Mercy Hospital, was discharged Wednesday.

### C of C To Hold Family Christmas Party Dec. 17

The Chamber of Commerce Annual Family Christmas Party will be held on Wednesday, December 17 at 6:30 p. m., at the Legion Hall.

Members will be contacted by phone this weekend for reservations. Chamber members will receive by mail a card with information for a gift for the Christmas boxes. This gift may be brought to the meeting on Wednesday or sent to the Health Office at Andover Central School by Thursday December 18.

### Lions To Sponsor X-mas Decorating Contest

The Andover Lions Club will again run their Annual Christmas Decorating Contest for home decorating within the Village limits.

Prizes to be awarded are:

1st Place — \$25

2nd Place — \$15

3rd Place — \$10

Judging of the homes will take place the weekend before Christmas, according to Chairman, Charles Wallace.

### Grange News

Andover Grange No. 1698  
Andover Grangers will meet Sunday, December 14 at (1) o'clock for a tureen dinner and meeting; also there will be a Christmas Party. Bring a gift for man, woman or child, marked. We will make plans for our Neighbor Night, which is Monday night, December 29. Andover Grange is Hosts.

Mrs. Winifred Perkins, Lect.

### Sigma Tau Inductee

Brian Lynch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Lynch, was recently inducted into the honor society, Sigma Tau Epsilon.

Citation presented at Alfred State College's Wellsville Campus November, 1975, states that the award is given for "outstanding

### School Board Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Andover Central School was called to order Monday, December 8, 1975, with Mary K. Slade, presiding. The following members were present: Carl Atwell, William Walker, Conner Stephens and Principal Curville R. Jordan.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read for approval. Motion was made by William Walker and seconded by Conner Stephens that the minutes be accepted as read. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Motion to approval payroll amounting to \$32,015.67 was made by Carl Atwell. Seconded by Wm. Walker. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Resolution passed by 4 votes of yes that the bills in the amount of \$20,632.02 plus utility bills not received as of the date of the meeting, be paid. Motion was made by Conner Stephens and Carl Atwell seconded.

Resolution passed to pay Cafeteria bills for \$1,837.36. Motion made by Carl Atwell and seconded by William Walker. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Motion made by Conner Stephens and seconded by Carl Atwell that the Treasurers' and Clerk's reports be approved. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

The monthly Cafeteria report was read showing a net loss of \$2,408.97 for the month of November. Notation was made that in receiving State Aid — which has not been received for two months — we will show a profit of \$324.00 to date. Motion to file this report with the minutes was made by William Walker and seconded by Carl Atwell. Motion passed by 4 votes of yes.

The motion was made by Carl Atwell to pay the interest only due on the New School Bond due on December 15, 1975. The amount of interest due is \$1620.00. Motion seconded by Conner Stephens. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Motion was made by Conner Stephens and seconded by William Walker that the Condition of Accounts report be included with the minutes of this meeting. Passed by votes of yes — 4.

Motion made by William Walker to pay the new bus garage warrant in the amount of \$28,030.75. Seconded by Carl Atwell and passed by 4 yes votes.

Motion made by Conner Stephens to approve interfund transfers in the amount of \$2,793.04. Seconded by William Walker and passed by 4 votes of yes.

Motion made by William Walker that the Andover School Board maintain membership in the N.Y. S.S.B.A. for the 1976 year. Seconded by Conner Stephens and passed by 4 yes votes.

Motion made by Carl Atwell to approve the Title IX resolution Copy of this resolution attached to these minutes — and advertised in the Andover News. Passed by 4 yes votes.

Motion made by Conner Stephens to accept the resignation of Gary Hoagland as bus driver. Seconded by Carl Atwell and passed by 4 votes of yes.

Motion made by Carl Atwell to approve Clair Shawson as Bus Driver, Custodian. Seconded by Conner Stephens and passed by 4 votes.

Motion made by Conner Stephens to allow the Senior Class to use a school bus for Easter trip to Toronto. Seconded by William Walker. Passed by 4 yes votes. Meeting adjourned at 10:20 p. m.

CONNER STEPHENS, Clerk

Scholastic Achievement at Alfred Ag-Tech, and entitles recipient to all rights and privileges belonging to membership in that Society.

Brian is a senior in the Drafting Dept. at Alfred Tech.

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