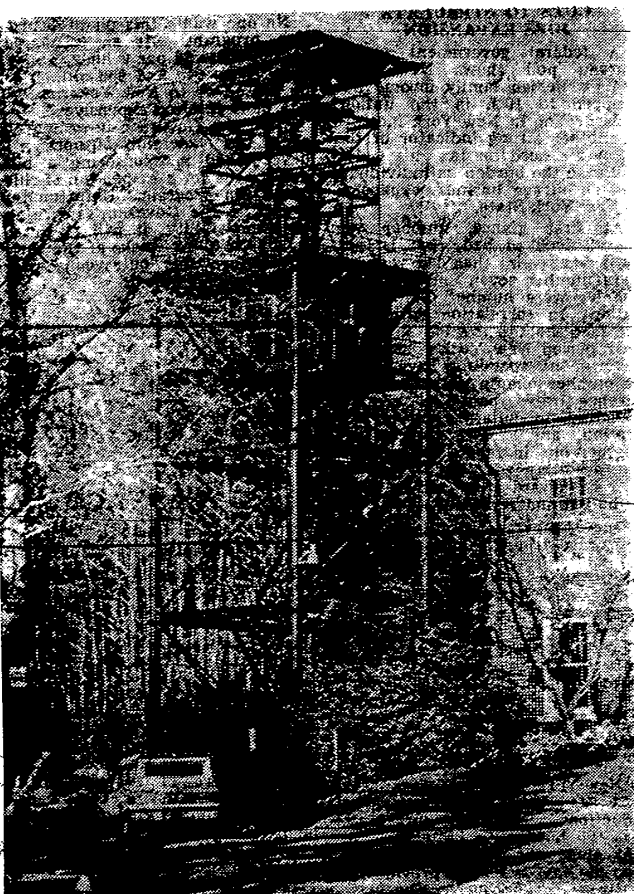


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## Six New Bells Added To Davis Memorial Carillon

Six new bells valued at \$5,000 have been added to the Davis Memorial Carillon at Alfred University.

Cast by the Petit Fritsen Company of Aarfe-Rixtel, Holland, the bells are the gift of Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Rase of Alfred, Mrs. Margaret Harper Weller of Rochester, Mrs. Frobisher T. Lytle of Zanesville, Ohio; Derrance D. Rodgers of El Paso, Texas; and a local student fund-raising group known as the 1977 Hot Dog Day Committee.

The addition of the bells to the carillon's upper register extends the instrument's musical range to four octaves. "Now almost any piece written for carillon can be played at Alfred," James W. Chapman, director of the University's music programs, said.

Of the carillon's 47 bells, only 16 — including the six from Aarfe-Rixtel — are modern. Eighteen of

the old bells are said to have been cast by Pieter Hemony of Amsterdam in 1674. Twelve others, dating from 1737, are attributed to the foundry of Joris Dumery of Antwerp and one bell, dated 1784, said to have been made by Andreas van den Gheyn of Louvain, Belgium.

The new bells are tuned in sequence from A to D two octaves above middle C. Their total weight is 153 pounds. An official of the Cast Bell Division of the I. T. Verdin Company of Cincinnati, Ohio, installed the bells Nov. 20. The Rev. David W. Clarke, of Alfred, read a brief blessing service.

According to Chapman, the new acquisitions complete the carillon. The University purchased the original instrument of Flemish bells in 1837 as a tribute to a former Alfred president and his wife, the late Rev. and Mrs. Booth Colwell, Davis.

The University carillonneur, Mrs. Joanne Droppers, gives recitals from 12:45 to 1 p. m.; Fridays from 4:30 to 5 p. m.; and Sundays from 2 to 2:45 p. m.

## Luesa M. Fisher

Luesa M. Fisher, 87 of Whitesville, died at the Whitesville Nursing Home Christmas Day. She had been a patient there the past four years.

She was born March 27, 1890, the daughter of Orville and Eva Rogers Seger. Mrs. Fisher was married to Fred Fisher in Whitesville, June 9, 1907.

She is survived by one son, Francis of Whitesville; one daughter, Mrs. Bertha Pritchard of Whitesville; one sister, Mrs. Francis Ordway of Whitesville; two grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received at the Wildman Funeral Home Inc. at Whitesville, where funeral and committal services were held Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p. m. with the Rev. Robert Wood, pastor of the Christian Alliance Church of Whitesville, officiating.

Burial was in the Whitesville Rural Cemetery.

## Elm Valley Harvesters

The meeting of the Elm Valley Harvesters was called to order by President Terry Freeman with seven members present. Our guest was Sally Goodridge.

After the meeting we had a Christmas Party and pizza and potato chips. We also sang Christmas Carols.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, January 17, 1978. At this meeting we will work on handyman projects and work with tools and a quiz.

Yvonne, Freeman, News Reporter

## Andover Rod & Gun Club Plan Wild Game Dinner

Andover Rod & Gun Club is planning a Wild Game Dinner for January 21, 1978 at 7:00 P. M.

Anyone having some wild game that they are willing to fix as a "dish to pass" or donate wild game for preparation, please contact Leon McNeill or Joan Dibble by January 14th.

## Andover Rod & Gun Club Change Meeting Night

The Regular Meeting Dates of the Andover Rod & Gun Club have

been changed from the 3rd Friday of every month to the 2nd Thursday of every month at 8:00 P. M.

## PTSO Meeting January 19

The Andover Central School Parent Teacher Student Organization will hold its regular monthly meeting January 19, 1978 in the school cafeteria.

The curriculum area for the month is mathematics. Each grade level will present major areas of concentration in a Mathematics Fair to be held in the cafeteria from 6 p. m. to 9 p. m., followed by the regular business meeting. Refreshments will be served during the Fair.

## Town Board Holds Preliminary Budget Hearing

The Preliminary Budget Hearing for 1978 was held November 10, 1977 at 7:30 P.M. at the Town Hall in Andover, New York.

Those present: Howard Burdick, Supervisor; Harry Kemp, Justice; Lee Meyn, Justice; Erwin Lewis, Councilman; Merle Dibble, Absent; Reginald Sootheran, Attorney; Edna Baker, Clerk to HWY; Gladys Fox, Clerk.

There being no complaints for or against the Preliminary Budget for the year 1978 as prepared, the following Resolution was made by Erwin Lewis and seconded by Harry Kemp.

WHEREAS: This Town Board has met at the time and place specified in the notice of the Public Hearing on the Preliminary Budget and heard all persons desiring to be heard thereon,

WHEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That this Town Board does hereby adopt such Preliminary Budget as originally compiled as the Annual Budget for the Town for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1978 and that such budget be adopted and entered in detail in the minutes of the proceedings of this Town Board.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Town Clerk of the Town shall prepare and certify in duplicate copies of the said annual Budget as adopted by the Town Board together with the estimates, if any, to the Supervisor of the Town to be presented by him to the Board of Legislators of the County.

Polled: Howard Burdick Yes, Harry Kemp Yes, Lee Meyn Yes, Erwin Lewis Yes. Carried.

A motion by Harry Kemp and seconded by Lee Meyn to close the Preliminary Budget Hearing for 1978 at 8 P. M., at the Town Hall in Andover, New York.

GLADYS FOX, Clerk

## Nine Professional Dance Companies To Perform At Harder Hall Auditorium

Alfred University will sponsor a four-week series of master classes and performances by nine professional dance companies on January 9 through February 3.

Each of the groups will appear on campus for a three-day residency. Public performances are scheduled for 8 p. m. in Harder Hall auditorium. Tickets will be available at the door.

The Rod Rogers Dance Company said to be the "soul" of black dance today, will open the series with a performance January 11. The Ballet Hispanico will appear January 13, followed by the Carillon Minstrel Opera Theatre January 16.

The All Nations Dance Company will present a program of ethnic dances January 18. Antabelle Gamson, who performs in the styles of Isadora Duncan and Mary Wigman, will be featured January 20. The Eglevsky Ballet and the Erick Hawkins Dance Company will appear January 23 and 25 respectively.

A performance by the May O'Donnel Company is scheduled for February 1. Chive Thompson and Tina Yuan, leading dancers of the Alvin Ailey Dance Company will close the series with a performance February 3.

## Mrs. Mattie Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Church were called to Dozier, Alabama Tuesday, December 27, 1977, by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones. Mrs. Jones died on Saturday, December 31, 1977, after a long illness.

Funeral services were held on January 2, 1978. Susan Church of Rochester and Anne Church of Albany, were among those who attended the service.

Besides the daughter, Mrs. Conrad (Kathryn) Church, Mrs. Jones is survived by two sons, McNeil and John Frank Jones, both of Dozier, Alabama, as well as grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

## News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

Marine Lance Corporal Charles P. Dougherty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Dougherty of Route 2 Andover, N. Y., has been promoted to his present rank while serving in the Marine Corp Air Station, El Toro, Santa Ana, Calif.

A 1975 graduate of Andover Central High School, he joined the Marine Corps in September 1976.

Navy Hull Maintenance Technician Third Class Kenneth W. Geer son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton L. Geer, Rochambeau Ave., Andover, N. Y., recently participated in a search and rescue mission in the Mediterranean Sea.

He is serving as a crewmember aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Guadalcanal, homeported in Norfolk, Va. His ship is operating as a unit of the U.S. Sixth Fleet.

On Nov. 25, his ship was involved in the search and rescue of five sailors who were adrift at sea in a utility launch. Marine Corps helicopters embarked aboard the Guadalcanal located the disabled craft in the Gulf of Salerno 20 miles south of the Italian island of Sapri. All five sailors were found to be in good condition and were hoisted aboard the Marine CH-46 "Sea Knight" transport helicopter.

The Guadalcanal is 592 feet long, displaces 18,300 tons and carries a crew of 628 officers and enlisted men. She is designed to transport assault force for amphibious operations and normally embarks a Marine battalion landing team and Marine helicopter squadron during a deployment.

A graduate of Andover Central School, he joined the Navy in August 1974.

Navy Seaman Recruit Timothy L. Heckman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Heckman of P.O. Box 711, Greenwood, NY has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois.

During the eight-week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic occupational fields. Included in his studies were seamanship, close-order drill, Naval history and first aid.

A graduate of Greenwood Central School, he joined the Navy in September 1977.

Navy Seaman Recruit Michael G. Holt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley E. Holt of PO Box 765, Greenwood, NY, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

During the eight-week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic occupational fields. Included in his studies were seamanship, close-order drill, Naval history and first aid.

A 1977 graduate of Greenwood Central School, he joined the Navy in December 1976.

## Hospital Notes

Miss Mary O'Leary has been at the Maryvill Home For Adults since January 1. Her address is R. D. 1, Avoca, NY 14809.

Commercial Printing at The News Printing House.

## Help Available For Needed Home Repairs

The Housing Action Corporation of Belmont which assists low income citizens in Allegany County announces that forms are now available at the Andover Village Office for home improvements.

The Housing Corporation furnishes the labor for approved applications and the home owners are only responsible for the materials that are used.

This program includes winterization — storm windows, insulation, weather-stripping, etc., as well as home repairs to include, inadequate wiring, leaking roofs, plumbing repairs, etc.

Anyone interested in having repairs made that think they qualify under the program, stop in at the Village Office for an application or call Manley Baer, Construction Supervisor at Belmont 716-268-5253.

## Town Board Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular monthly meeting was called to order at 8:15 P. M., November 10, 1977 at the Town Hall in Andover, New York.

Those present: Howard Burdick, Supervisor; Harry Kemp, Justice; Lee Meyn, Justice; Erwin Lewis, Councilman; Edna Baker, Clerk to HWY; Reginald Sootheran, Attorney; Gladys Fox, Clerk.

A motion by Harry Kemp and seconded by Erwin Lewis to accept the October 13, 1977 minutes as read. Carried.

A motion by Lee Meyn and seconded by Harry Kemp to advertise for Bids on a old 1972 Ford Pickup. The Bid will be open December 8, 1977 at the regular Board Meeting. The Clerk was instructed to advertise in the Andover News on Nov. 23, 1977. Carried.

The Supervisor informed the Board that the Greenan Rd was completed and have applied for Donavan Rd. A. And will receive the money by December 31, 1977.

A motion by Erwin Lewis and seconded by Harry Kemp to appoint Gladys Fox as Tax Collector for the year 1978. Carried.

Two reports were issued to E. Ryan of Rochambeau Ave., and Richard Wittie, Shovel Hollow Rd. Highway Vouchers were Audited with a

Balance Oct 14, 1977	1300.26
Deposits	5090.00
Paid Out	3781.35
Balance Nov 15, 1977	2518.91

General Vouchers were Audited with a

Balance Oct 14, 1977	14,482.47
Deposits	274.00
Paid Out	9,200.87
Balance Nov 14, 1977	5,555.80

A motion by Erwin Lewis and seconded by Lee Meyn to adjourn until December 8, 1977 at 1 PM at the Town Hall in Andover, New York.

GLADYS FOX, Clerk

## Annual Meeting Of Andover Free Library

The Annual Meeting of the Andover Free Library will be held at the Library on Friday, January 27, 1978 at 4:00 P. M.

Annual reports will be given and such other business transactions as may come before the meeting. Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. William Beyer (Emily Alvord) of Falls Church, Va., are parents of a daughter, Colleen Louise, born Sunday, January 1, 1978. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Alvord of Andover, are the maternal grandparents, and Mr. and Mrs. William Beyer of Chicago Illinois, are the paternal grandparents.

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