

**The Clergy Corner**

Rev. R. J. MacCumber  
**Andover First Baptist Church**  
 The Apostle Matthew in his gospel, the twenty-second chapter and the fourteenth verse states, "For Many are called, but few are chosen. I would like to rephrase his words, as found in the King James version, of the scriptures to say, "Many are called, but few choose to come to Christ." Why is it so many fail to choose the way of Christ? Why is there such a poor response to His pleas of "Come unto me?"

The first reason might state, is that they are too preoccupied with other things, that they give little thought to spiritual matters. You remember the farmer, that Jesus spoke about in His Parable, how he was taken up with his large harvest. He decided without thinking of the future, being in God's hands, that he would build a new and larger barn to store his crops in the next year. God reminded him that there might not be a next year. For God called for his soul.

The second reason is that we often postpone our decision to a later date. We are like the man Felix, when spoken to by the Apostle Paul; concerning his soul, turned to Paul, and said, He would call for him to consider his spiritual decisions, at a more convenient time.

The third reason some might now list, is because they feel it is too much of a risk, they might have to give up too much; the rich young ruler that Jesus spoke to reacted in this manner when Jesus asked for his soul and his wealth, as well. The young man went away sorrowful.

There is a book called the Prophet, by Asch, has this underlying theme. The prophet tried to get his people to go home from the captivity, which they were under. But they would not listen. It was too much of a risk, they now had business in the land of captivity and had they gone back, they would have had to start all over again, had they gone back to Israel.

Then of course, there are the honest ones, feeling unfit, or unworthy. Moses felt unfit to lead the children of Israel. Other biblical men of God discovered none are worthy. It is only by the grace of God that we do become worthy and it is by God's gift of his son Jesus Christ, that we do become worthy in his sight.

The solution is simple. We are to come to God as we are, as the Hymn Writer says, "Just as I am without one plea, but that thy blood was shed for me. And as thou biddest me come, to thee O Lamb of God, I come, I Come."

**From Our Files**

ceived an invitation to attend the Genesee County Music Festival to be held in Cuba this Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Wood and daughter, Ann were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Wood's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Canfield in Belmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nye and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge and family attended the 25th wedding anniversary of their brother Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dodge, held at their home in Wellsville, Sunday. The Friendly Class of the Methodist Church held their Feb meeting at the home of Mrs. Harold Emery, Tuesday evening. A 7:30 dessert was followed by a business meeting and entertainment. It was a Valentine party with Valentine decorations being carried out.

February 19, 1948

The proposed new basic formula for State Aid to Central Schools as released this past week by the Governor's Committee on the State Educational Program, would raise the State Aid for Andover Central School from \$81,500 to \$96,200, an increase of \$14,700.

The Elm Valley Hustlers 4-H Club led by Lawrence Perkins, won \$30 in the Third Annual, "Better 4-H Club Program Contest" which is conducted thru the office of Dairy Specialist H. A. Wellman of Cornell University and sponsored by the Sears Roebuck Foundation.

A daughter, Patricia Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gath February 16.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Thies of Niagara Falls are parents of a daughter, Susan Aileen. Mrs. Thies is the former Aileen Walsh of Andover daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fisher of Syracuse are parents of a daughter born Feb. 18. Mrs. Fisher is the former Dorothy Nobles of Andover and Mr. and Mrs. John Nobles are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carson are parents of a daughter born Feb. 18.

Bayless Sheffield Bassett of Alfred, died Feb. 14 at the Benson Nursing Home in Almond. A son Harold of Oneida survives. Burial was in Alfred Rural Cemetery.

Mrs. R. J. Cook brought to The News Office, Wednesday, an oddity in the world of eggs. The egg was laid by a Red Rock Hen was a doubler with two complete eggs in one. The outside egg was 3 1/2 inches long and 2 1/4 inches high. Inside it was the usual white and yolk and another complete normally formed egg, shell and all.

Andover raised \$812.16 in the March of Dimes Drive which ended Feb. 14. Mrs. R. E. Temple was Andover's Chairman for the 1948 Drive.

Ernest G. Greene died at his home on Center Street, Feb. 15

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

**FOR RENT**

FOR RENT - Small Apartment in Andover. Available immediately. Phone: 478-8978 or 593-4037.

**SERVICE AND REPAIRING**  
 Washers, Dryers, Ranges, Repaired by experienced Serviceman. Work Guaranteed. Call Ralph E. Andover, N. Y.

**Legal Notice**

**Collector's Notice For The Collection Of School Taxes**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned collector of Andover Central School has received the tax list and warrant for the collection of school taxes in said District and that we will receive voluntary payments during the regular banking hours at the Citizens National Bank & Trust Co., in Andover.

We have been instructed by the Board of Education to collect all taxes free of fees from September 7th to October 6th, 1978. From October 8th to October 31st at 2%, in compliance with Chapter 687, print 3215 of the Education Laws of the State of New York which provides that the tax returns to the county treasurer must be made on or before November 15, following the tax levy.

No renewal of tax warrants which expires November 7, 1978 can be made.

Dated: September 6, 1978  
 ANDOVER CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK & TRUST CO. 45

following a five year illness. He was born in the Town of Alfred Jan. 26, 1893, a son of Maxon and Mary Capin Greene. In 1926 he married Mimmie L. Brandt, who survives with three brothers, Edward of Alfred Station, Harry of Tampa, Fla., and Clarence of Silver Valley, one sister, Mrs. Milford Crandal of Independence. Burial was in Alfred Rural Cemetery.

Pvt. 1st Class Eldon L. Kaple son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kaple of Andover, has been assigned as a Military Training Guard to accompany the bodies of returned American War dead on their final journey home. PFC Kaple volunteered for this duty. A Train Guard he travels on funeral trains composed of special mortuary cars used to transport remains from the Port of Embarkation to the 14 distribution centers which make the

(Continued on Page 4)

**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—12'x65' Late Model Mobile Home. 2 Bedrooms, 2 Complete Baths, many other extras. Phone 478-8203 after 4:00 P. M. or weekends.

**WANTED**

BUYING - Furniture, Antiques, whole Household preferred. Paying Top Dollar Contact Tom Smith after 6 P. M. phone 478-8380.

Use the Classified Ad Section

**WANTED TO BUY** - Springers Cows, Heifers and Beef Cows. Also have a good number of Springer & Fresh Cows For Sale or Trade on hand. Call or Write Frank L. Sackett, Jassoer, N. Y. 14855. Tele. 607-792-2062.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

Earn Extra Money, No Cash Investment No Collecting, No Delivery or Paper Work. Demonstrate Jewelry in your free time. Write Mary Ann Boer, Jeanne Kimberly Jewels, Box 155, Friendship, N. Y. 14739. Also Booking Shows.

**EVERYTHING FOR BUILDING**  
  
 256 W. State Street  
**Lunn Lumber Co.**  
 Wellsville, N. Y.  
 DROP IN OR CALL 593-2426

**GENERAL MASONRY WORK**  
 Over 20 Years Experience  
 Free Estimates  
**Brick - Stone - Block**  
 FIREPLACES-FOUNDATIONS  
 CHIMNEYS & POINTING  
 PATIOS - SIDEWALKS  
 CHIMNEY CLEANING  
**CHARLES GAVIN**  
 607-478-8265 Andover, N. Y.

**ANDOVER DIRECTORY**

**For Real-Estate Action!**  
 WELLSVILLE  
**REALTY COMPANY, INC.**  
 31 W. Fassett, Wellsville, N. Y.  
 "For Appointment only"  
 Phone: Teresa D. McAndrew,  
 Lic. Salesman, Andover 478-8971

Ruth Brown, Lic. Broker  
 Wellsville 593-1494  
**James B. Mulholland**  
**Funeral Home**  
 Church Street - Andover  
 Calls Promptly Attended

**And-Well Producers**  
**Co-operative, Inc**  
 Lyle Danielson, President  
 Victor Austin, Sec'y-Treas.  
 Meet the First Tuesday of every other month

**GLENN E. BRUNSON**  
**Insurance Agency**  
 Hardy Hill Rd., Andover, N. Y.  
 Dial: 478-4611  
 Insurance to meet your needs

**Chamber of Commerce**  
**Of Andover, Inc.**  
 Howard Burdick, President  
 Edward Wilson, Vice-President  
 Barbara Wilson, Secretary  
 Joan Dill, Treasurer  
 Regular Meeting 3rd Wednesday in each month

**For Your REAL ESTATE NEEDS**  
 Contact  
**Peter A. McKenna**  
**REAL ESTATE BROKER**  
 Dryden Hill Road  
 GREENWOOD, N. Y.  
 607-225-4256  
 Serving Greenwood, Andover and Surrounding Areas

**ANDOVER LODGE**  
 No. 558, F. & A. M.  
 David A. Hardy, Master  
 Wayne Carter, Secretary  
 Meets First and Third Monday Evenings of each month, 8 p.m.

**For Real Estate Service**  
**LUDDEN REALTY**  
 14 N. Main St., Wellsville, N. Y.  
 716 593 5391  
 Sales, Rentals, Appraisals, Management  
 National Home Builders

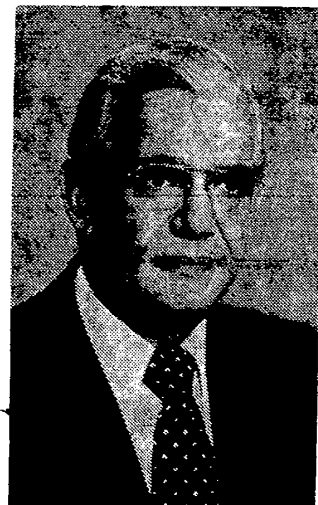
**ANDOVER LIONS**  
**of Lions International**  
 Al Cornell, President  
 Charles Wallace, Secretary  
 Meets 2nd & 4th Thursday, 7:00 P. M.  
 VISITING LIONS WELCOME

**ZENITH**  
**Authorized Dealer**  
 Mullen T.V. Sales & Service  
 Dial: 478-3837  
 Andover, N. Y.

**Tom's 'Tique Shop**  
 Antiques - Furniture - Coins  
 BUY - SELL  
**COLLECTABLES**  
 Weekdays  
 Afternoons & Evenings  
 Week-ends - 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
 23-25 Main St. Tel. 607-478-8380  
 Andover, N. Y. 14806

**Southern Tier M/H**  
**Service**  
**COMPLETE MOBILEHOME SERVICE**  
**INSURANCE ESTIMATES**  
**24 HOUR FURNACE SERVICE**  
 R.D. 3 Wellsville, N. Y.  
 Phone: 716-593-4142

Political Advertisement Political Advertisement Political Advertisement



REPRESENTING AN AREA AS LARGE, AND A POPULATION AS DIVERSE, AS THE 57th SENATE DISTRICT, REQUIRES A KNOWLEDGE OF, AND EXPERIENCE IN, STATE GOVERNMENT. THIRTEEN YEARS AS A STATE LEGISLATOR, HAVE PROVIDED JESS PRESENT WITH THIS VALUABLE KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE.

**ON NOV. 7 VOTE FOR PROVEN LEADERSHIP**

**VOTE FOR SENATOR PRESENT**