

# THE ANDOVER NEWS

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OUR KEYNOTE:  
"If there is not a Way, Cut I Way."

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"Hit or miss" usually ends in a miss.

And still we are a nation of peace to-day.

A well cooked meal is a powerful aid to love.

Every editor likes criticism—provided it is favorable.

A peaceful calm still pervades the peace palace of The Hague.

The fellow, who brags most is the one who "almost succeeds."

"Back to the farm" is good, but "stay there" is some better.

To insure a welcome, take your bank account along with you.

Three cheers. Not a single irate subscriber tried to lick us this week.

This is a day of work, but many a cuss doesn't know it is to-day.

No, the real heroes of to-day are not the ones of shot and shell. They are the movie stars.

It is quite possible to bring joy into the lives of your friends by keeping away from them.

That widespread plot to blow up American ships seems to have hoisted the plotters instead.

Family jars may come and family jars may go, but new jars keep on jarring us forever.

If you know of a good item of news be sure there are others who would like to know it. Tell us.

A Canadian has invented a revolving tooth brush—who wants to admit that they wear false teeth?

The press certainly slipped a cog in not quoting General Huerta on the recognition of Carranza.

No, indeed, a giggling girl and a cackling hen are not akin. The hen is of practical value in this world.

There's a lot of glory in running a country newspaper, but the editor seldom connects up with it.

In a new play they are advertising "5,000 persons and 4,001 costumes." Gosh, what a drawing card.

Even the most procrastinating man on earth can lower himself into a dining-room chair right on the dot.

Let's hope it has been a prosperous week for you—and the same for the next, and the others to follow.

If the European governments want to recoup their losses rapidly we humbly suggest a monopoly on the movies.

When the finest home-buying chance in years is open to you, you'll get the news in the "Real Estate For Sale" columns.

In California a young man held his breath for ten minutes and is still telling the story. We note, however, that the hero is a man.

Don't toss a nickle into the collection box and then expect St. Peter to pass you through the pearly gates. Peter is no cheap guy.

It is now possible for a wireless telephone conversation to be conducted between Arlington and Paris. What an opportunity for the gossips.

Doubtless every woman of legal age should be allowed to vote, but if some women's opinions of other women are correct, the question is open to doubt.

Chicago has 20,702 Y. M. C. A. members, and yet it took about forty years to screw down that Sunday lid. They had to wait until the women voted. They dare do it.

## A GREAT AND SIGNIFICANT VICTORY

It is with great pride that the News records the splendid victory made by Andover people this year in their efforts to "keep the town clean."

We congratulate Andover. It has taken a step forward again. All of the efforts recently made for a prosperous, get-together town, would have been seriously hampered if our people had not decided to keep the saloon parasite from destroying it. We can now take up the work and go forward with renewed activity for a still better and bigger "Andover—the town with Opportunities."

We sincerely congratulate the electors in the town for their good judgment.

They have taken a step in advance, rolling up a splendid majority, more than double that given two years ago, and the greatest majority ever given in Andover against the liquor business.

In 1907 Andover voted dry after having had more or less experience with hotel license for years, by a majority of 43. In 1909 the majority against was 30; in 1911, 89; in 1913, 43; and in 1915, 91.

The booze banished for such a period, and the majority growing larger, it will be seen that Andover means business, that it intends to look after the best interests of its citizens.

There is a future for a town composed of such aggressive, manly citizens.

The News again congratulates "Andover—the Town With Opportunities."

Now everybody take off your coat and help push the old town forward.

## PATRIOTISM AND PREPAREDNESS

We read much in the press on the subject of national preparedness, and for our country's sake it is well that it is so. No important country ever stood in greater need of it than we stand to-day.

But while taking up the subject of building warships and raising army reserves, let us not overlook the matter of patriotism in local communities, for it is upon these people the nation must learn to a great extent in time of stress.

Newspaper publicity and the eminence of our being plunged into war is doing much to convert the adult mind to the necessity of an adequate preparation for defense against invasion, but we should go farther than the adult.

We should begin to-day to inject a feeling of patriotism into the hearts of the youth of our local communities; a reverence of and devotion to the flag of our country and a determination to uphold the dignity and preserve the integrity of the nation at all times and under all conditions.

Since the days of '61 and '65 the patriotism of the American people has been declining day by day until 1915 finds us a nation of adults with but slight conception of what the flag should mean to us and with less thought as to the future security of our country.

Patriotism has been left to shift for itself and has gone down in the waters of commercialism.

It is time for a change, and the change should begin to-day.

In every school and in every home of the country little children should be taught to love and respect the stars and stripes, to look upon them as the symbols of liberty and the champion of right and of the weak and oppressed.

They should be taught that love of country ranks next to their love of God, even to the giving of life in its defense.

If the same policy had been pursued in our homes and in our schools and other public places, during the past fifty years the nation would not be in its present precarious condition. Patriotism alone would have demanded and secured action by the government and the Congress and the United States to-day would have been in a state of defense sufficient to guarantee it against aggressive action by any foreign government.

It is useless now to weep over the errors of the past, but we can at least take action to prevent our children facing the same condition of affairs after we have passed away.

If you want a forceful illustration of the lack of patriotism in this country, and of the ignorance of the symbolism of the flag, just watch the little children at the close of some parade. You will most likely see them sitting on curbstones wiping the dust from their shoes with miniature flags of this country.

When you have seen this, be a patriot yourself and go home and begin the imparting of patriotic impulses to your own offspring, and insist that the teachers in our schools do their duty to their country as well as to the community.

Protect the adults of to-morrow from the fate that menaces these of to-day.

## HOW THEY VOTED ON THE SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT

Many a man so hard pressed in making a living that a dollar was his measure of all things voted "no" because he believed that woman suffrage would double the cost of elections.

Other voters, who dreaded extra expense, voted "yes" because they saw the press report of the telegrams received from the governors of all the equal suffrage states to the effect that woman suffrage did not appreciably increase taxation.

The politicians were early at the polls and cast an almost solid vote against the amendment. Politics was their game and they did not propose to have women "butting in."

The liquor interests were solid against the amendment. They felt they were having a hard enough time in holding their own against men voters who had the pleasure of drinking. What chance would they have, so they asked, with

women who had none of the pleasure and most of the misery due to alcohol?

Labor, one would think, would cast a solid vote for suffrage, but it didn't. Labor still believes that women compete with men and lower wages from choice and not necessity, and labor, as a class, is not yet educated enough to know that the only way to keep men's wages up is to keep women's wages up and to that end the vote for women is imperative.

The splendid testimony as to the results of woman suffrage secured by a questionnaire sent out by The Survey to all its subscribers in equal suffrage states probably added a few votes in the affirmative. It reached too few people.

But all in all it was a splendid campaign in it hosts of women received a training in practical politics which temporary defeat cannot take from them. What New York said to women on elec-

tion day was not "no." It was "not quite yet."

ANNA CADOGAN ETZ,  
Up-State Woman Suffrage Press.

## CONCERNING THE SUFFRAGE ELECTION

The men who voted "no" on election day did not see that there is a much more intimate connection between homemaking and politics than there is between politics and most of the occupations followed by men.

From the time the homemaker takes in the milk bottle in the morning till she turns out the gas at night, homemaking is dependent on public service organized through politics.

## THE ANDOVER HIGH SCHOOL

Conducted under Supervision of Prin. C. Sterner, Faculty and Pupils.

Next week Wednesday and Thursday we will have our quarterly tests. The only excuse which will be accepted for absence from these tests will be actual illness of the student. Parents please keep this in mind, and co-operate with the school for the good of the children. Attendance of Academic students will be required only during the holding of the tests. Pre-academic students are required to be in constant attendance unless personally excused by the Principal.

Program for Tuesday, Nov. 16.  
Song  
Current topics Tom Lynch  
Recitation Inez Yoemans  
Reading Mary Joyce  
Recitation Loyd Mead  
Song

School was in session Columbus Day and Election Day. In return for these two days, there will be a vacation the Monday following Thanksgiving. In other words the Thanksgiving vacation will begin Nov. 24th, at 3:30 and close Nov. 30th, at 9:00 a. m.

He did not see that if a woman can go to the tax office three times a year she could go to the polling booth once a year.

He did not think of a woman as a person with exactly the same right to a voice in the government as he had.

The man who voted "yes" did not believe that women would bring with the vote a perfect state, but he thought it only fair that women should have the same right to the benefits of self-government that men have. He thought it better for women to have responsibilities than to have privileges and the vote he considered the greatest responsibility of citizenship.

And the result of the election was the measure, not of the intelligence and virtue of women, but of the justice and broad-

## Home Baked

Everything in Baked  
Parker House Rolls  
Vienna Rolls, Biscuits  
Rolls, Cinnamon Rolls,  
Cakes, Sugar Cookies,  
Drops, Walnut and  
Cup Cakes, all at home  
but the quality is much  
than goods offered else-

We Bake Daily

9 to 11 A. M.

J. Capito

## Forging

There is nothing so stimulating as endeavor and a large thought and knowledge that something worth while. The ages of using OUR BANK ACCOUNTING for one's income—no matter as the account grows one can see tangible results accomplished.

WHY NOT CO-

and let us show YOU how to help you accumulate more.

## BURROWS' NATL NEW YORK STATE

Report to Comptroller  
Capital \$25,000.00 Resources \$2

J. S. Phillips, President.  
F. W. Burrows, Cashier.

## MAILS CLOSE.

Going East.  
M. Train 222 ..... 8:55  
M. Train 26 ..... 2:30  
M. Train 224 ..... 6:45

Going West.  
M. Train 25 ..... 11:2  
M. Train 541 ..... 6:05  
Mail for R. F. D. Routes close at A. M.

W. F. O'Connell, Postmaster



## OLD PONES RE-WRIT

Why should the spirit of mortal be proud,  
And why should it boastfulness borrow?  
The chicken we feed on so proudly to-day,  
Will come back in hash on the morrow.

—Thanksgiving, November 25th

—Mrs. B. S. Brundage is at the Wellsville Sanitarium for treatment.

—Remember the Eastern Star Wm. Work Bazaar, Dec. 15th. Chicken-pie supper.

—Jesse Hunt surprised a few of his immediate neighbors the other day by having a birthday.

—The state road is now open from this village to T. C. Turner's, where a detour is made to Alfred Station.

—Rev. E. F. Loofboro of Milton, Wis., has been engaged a pastor of the Seventh-day Baptist church at Little Genesee.

Wm. J. Brannen of Bolivar, company with parties from Buffalo, are drilling a test well upon a lease secured by them near Ashtabula, O.

Atty. C. L. Earley has exchanged his interest in the Commercial Building for the Commercial farm of 278 acres situated in Bufiles from Angellia.

—Mrs. Lillian Hanks of Almond was run down by an automobile last Sunday, while on her way to church. Her ankle was broken and she sustained other injuries.

—The dead body of Fred D. now of Wellsville was found lying upright upon the seat of a wagon upon the road near the village, last week. Mr. Dorr had left his home about 6 o'clock in the morning to assist in moving an oil rig.

—The Auditorium was filled Sunday night to hear the anti-license address by Booth Colwell Davis of Al University. The lecture was a wonderful up to the usual standard of logic and eloquence characteristic of Dr. Davis. Fifteen friends of President Davis came from Almond to hear him, and the speaker said, "to maintain their interest in no-license, this their neighboring town"

## Winter Horse Clothing

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In STABLE BLANKETS we have a much larger assortment and wider range of prices than usual, includes sizes up to 84 inch, which will fit a pound horse well.

We also have included in this stock Blankets made much wider than usual, a feature good takers will appreciate, as they come well under animal; stay on better and are warmer.

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WOOL BLANKETS from \$2.25 to \$9.00

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THE MEN'S STORE



Newest Styles and Color Kinks  
Soft or Stiff  
AETNA THE INSURED HAT  
A POLICY IN EVERY HAT

## Aetna Insured Hats

are here in both the soft and the Derby style. The greatest value for \$3.00

Other Hats \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50

## Overcoats

We have just received a new consignment of Overcoats made from fabrics of our own selection and in the big selling, loose, easy fitting styles. See them. Prices \$9.75, \$12.50 and up to \$20.00

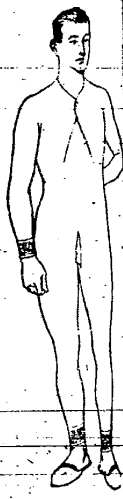
## Underwear for Men and Boys

The Hatch One-button Union Suit is the handiest and most comfortable of all Union Suits. One button does it all. Your Union Suit troubles are all over when you get into a Hatch One-button Garment. See them in our window. \$1.00 a Garment and up

Two piece Underwear in plain ribbed or heavy fleeced lined, part wool or all wool. Prices 45c to \$2 a Garment for Men; Boys 25c to 75c. A new and select line of the new Oxford Brand Shirts. Value \$1.00. Our price 69c

## Children's Department

New Overcoats for Boys, made the same as the men's. Loose fitting Balmoor styles. \$5 to \$9.75  
Juvenile Coats for the little fellows, 4 to 10 years of age, in blue or grey chinchillas, in the new models, \$4 to \$6.75  
We have several very pretty heavy-weight Juvenile, (4 to 8 yrs.) Balmacaans in the Scotch plaids at low prices.



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