One Hundred Fortieth Condensed Quarterly Report

ANDOVER STATE BANK

ANDOVER, N. Y.

as rendered to

NEW YORK STATE BANKING DEPARTMENT

MARCH 22, 1929

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$266,174.10	Capital Stock	$ 25,000.00
Bonds	86,242.95	Surplus Fund and Undivided Profits	80,604.26
Real Estate Mortgages	42,776.98	Deposits	329,471.94
Real Estate	2,500.00	Unearned Discounts	1,995.00
Accrued Interest	2,689.81	Reserved for Taxes and Interest	7,742.07
Overdrafts	547.19		
Cash and Due from Banks	43,882.24		
	$444,813.27		$444,813.27

A. D. FULLER, President FRANK S. CLARK, Vice President R. O. SNYDER, Cashier

DIRECTORS

C. E. Brown, F. S. Clark, A. D. Fuller, Henry Horan, W. F. O'Connell, B. S. Brundage, J. L. Williams

PERSONALS

—Clay Jordan is an Andover visitor this week.

—Frank Graves was a business visitor in Rochester, Tuesday.

—Atty. C. L. Earley and R. E. Shaff were in Bath on business, Wednesday.

—W. S. Calhoun, Henry Stephens and R. E. Shaff were in Rochester on business, Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Henning of Cuba were Sunday callers at the home of Henry Bennett.

—Will Pingrey and son, Carl, of Bemus Point, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kaple.

—Miss Frances Beebe of Buffalo, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Beebe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Joyce and George Hallett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Scribner Sunday.

—Miss Kathryn Doran has been a recent guest of her sister's Miss Mayme Doran and Mrs. Robert Dean.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Southerland were called to Shippenville, Pa., by the death of Mr. Southerland's cousin.

—Mrs. Maude Driscoll and daughter and husband from Canal Fulton, Ohio, were week-end guests of relatives in town.

—Miss Agnes Fisher of East Wales, N. Y., was a guest of her sister, Miss Grace Fisher, from Saturday until Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kaple passed Friday and Saturday, guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson.

—Prof. and Mrs. Earl Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beckwith were callers at Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Green's, Saturday afternoon.

—Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Sheppard of Hinsdale were calling on Andover friends, Tuesday. Mr. Sheppard was a former pastor of the First Baptist church of this village.

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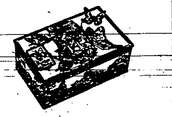
A TOKEN
OF YOUR LOVE



Mother's Day Candy

$1.50, $3, $4.50

On Mother's Day, give Mother this beautiful package of ARTSTYLE CANDY

The metal package is magnificently decorated with a motif of butterflies hovering around Mother's Castle of Dreams. The candy inside is as good as the outside appearance indicates. By all means give Mother this package of candy—a true symbol of your love and appreciation. We can mail these to any part of the country. Sold only at

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—R. E. Shaff was a business visitor in Bath, Wednesday.

—E. C. Langworthy was in Rochester on business, Wednesday.

—Mrs. Jennie Flint was the guest of her daughter in Hornell Friday night and Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cannon were business visitors in Buffalo, Wednesday and Thursday.

—Herbert Caffery of Jasper was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Trowbridge, Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Ivens of Canal Fulton, Ohio, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gee.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Coleman of Jeannette, Pa., passed the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Addie Coleman and Andover relatives.

—Mrs. Robert Moran and two sons of Wellsville passed the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Casey.

—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Murphy of Hornell passed Sunday with Mrs. Murphy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Quigg.

—Burton Seely and Lloyd Gee were in Friendship, Friday and Saturday in attendance at the Y.M.C.A. Conference.

—Miss Mary Cable and Miss Julia Miller of St. James Mercy hospital, Hornell, passed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cable.

—Mrs. Ila Clarke, who has been in Canisteo with her daughter, Mrs. Rene Thompson several weeks, returned home Wednesday.

—Mrs. George Wereley is passing the week at the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wereley of West Almond.

—Mr. and Mrs. DeForest Truman and little daughter motored over from Alfred to call on Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Green, Saturday afternoon.

—Misses Gertrude Beebe and Rachael Evans and Jacoby and Earl Littell of Bradford, N. Y., were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. G. H. Beebe.

—Mrs. Nellie Brundage arrived in Andover Friday evening from Los Angeles, Calif., and is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wood of Elm and Church streets.

—Mrs. W. L. Greene was in Belmont, Monday, to attend a meeting of the board of directors of the Home Bureau. The ladies were entertained at luncheon at the home of the chairman, Miss Janet Cameron.

—Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Oakes, Mr. and Mrs. John French and family of Hardy Creek, C. D. Wood of the Hornell-Canisteo road and Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson of Hornell passed Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kaple.

—Miss Frances Dymond passed the week-end in Rochester.

—Miss Grace Young spent the week-end at her home in Greenwood.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Calhoun of Penn Yan were week-end guests of friends in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward McAndrew and Mrs. J. K. Boyer were shopping in Hornell, Monday.

—Ernest Higby was at Birch Hill, near Perry, over the week-end. Mrs. Higby returned home with him Tuesday.

—Mrs. Michael Folsing and daughter, Miss Emma and Fay Boyd motored to Olean, Sunday, guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Storner.

—Miss Flora Warren was in Nile over the week-end, at the home of her brother, Rev. Hurley Warren and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Perkins and daughter, Wilma, of Bolivar, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bloss, Sunday.

—Mrs. Henry Bennett and son, Clayton, passed Tuesday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilcox at Hornell.

—Mrs. A. B. Cook and son, Clarence, were in Geneseo Sunday to visit her daughters, Mildred and Louise Cook.—Almond Cor.

—Mrs. Edna Kaple and Miss Emily Munro returned to Buffalo, Monday, after passing the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hann.

—Miss Ruth Robinson returned to Maplewood, N. J., Sunday, after passing a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Robinson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bennett and son, Clayton, went to Rochester, Saturday, guests of relatives over Sunday. Mr. Bennett remained for a longer visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Coleman of Olean and Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and children of Duke Center, Pa., were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Backus.

—Miss Alice Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clarke and Mrs. Maude Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Al Brown, Mrs. Martha Bloss and Mrs. E. P. Rogers were in Canisteo Wednesday in attendance at the funeral of Letts Thompson of that place.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Grenolds of Westerly, R. I., arrived in Andover this week and are at the home of Mrs. Grenolds' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Vars on Dyke street. The many friends of the doctor are glad to greet him and learn that he is gaining nicely from his recent severe illness.

Chain RED & WHITE Stores

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SPECIALS for FRIDAY, SATURDAY, MONDAY

(These Prices For Cash Only)

HONEY Per box — 12c	COMPOUND 2 pounds 27c
CHOCOLATE CHERRIES 70c box, special — 59c	FLETCHER'S CASTORIA Per bottle — 29c
PEANUT BUTTER 2 lbs. — 35c	Serv-us TOILET PAPER 4 rolls — 25c
Men's Fancy DRESS HOSE 3 pairs — $1.00	AHERN'S HAMBURG Per pound — 28c
ORANGES Per dozen — 19c	CIRCUS PEANUTS Per pound — 23c

Complete line of FRUITS and VEGETABLES!

—Mrs. Hattie Broderick was up from Hornell to pass Sunday with her brothers at the Dean farms.

OUR CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST

J. H. Seely, Pastor

10:30. Preaching.
11:45. Sunday School.
6:15. Christian Endeavor.
7:30. Union Service in this church.

SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST

Rev. Walter L. Greene, Pastor

Sabbath services at 2:30 with sermon by the pastor.

Bible School following the church service.

Devotional and Bible study meeting Friday evening at 7:30.

INDEPENDENCE

Morning worship and communion service.

Sabbath School following the church service.

METHODIST-EPISCOPAL

Rev. Walter Dynes, Pastor

Come and worship with us next Sunday at 10:29 a. m.

The Men's Bible Class will meet for study at the close of the morning service. Questions for Bible study next Sunday: "Was Adam the First Man?" and "Was Adam The First White Man?"

The young men's class will be glad to Welcome you.

The young women's class invite you to visit their class.

PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. Charles F. Parsons, Pastor

Morning service, 10:30. Josephine Baker will sing a solo.

Sunday School, 11:45.

Evening Union Service at 7:30 at the Baptist church.

You are cordially invited to these services.

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Andover, N. Y.

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Which Opens

Saturday Afternoon and Evening

May 4th

In the Jorden Basement

Hat and Dress Shop

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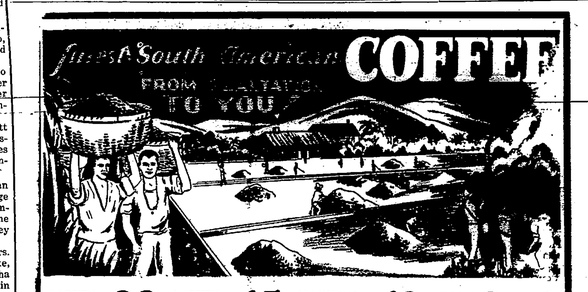

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Cheese	Mild Cream	lb. 27c
Pickles	Bread & Butter	Jar 18c
Margarine	Daisy Maid	lb. 19c
Malted Milk	Krafts Chocolate Flavored	Lb. Can 35c
Camay Soap	4 bars	23c
Davis Baking Powder	6-oz. Can 11c	12-oz. Can 19c
Marshmallows	Camp Fire	lb. Carton 25c
Grapefruit Juice	Florida Gold	No. 1 2 cans 25c
Orange Slices—Candy		lb. 19c

Land o'Lakes BUTTER

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1 Pk. IVORY SOAP FLAKES
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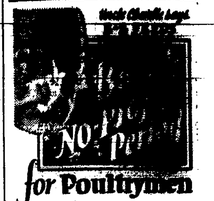
Wedding Anniversary

A surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. George Vickers at I. O. O. F. Hall, Saturday evening in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary.

There were about 50 in attendance. Refreshments were served and dancing enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Vickers were presented a silver casserole.



RIGHT about now, many a poultryman is approaching the "zero hour" as far as profits are concerned. His laying hens are beginning to "lay off." He's waiting for the young chickens to grow up and put on flesh. Often he has to wait too long.

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MAY HATH XXXI. DAYS

The word "May" means figuratively, "the springtime of life." The Emerald is the birthstone.

ANDOVER NEWS

MAY 10, 1929.
Sun rises 4:48 a. m. Sets 7:08 p. m.
Day's length 14 hours, 23 min.
Moon sets at 9:12 p. m.

A PROGRESSIVE FAMILY NEWSPAPER, FOR ALLEGANY COUNTY PEOPLE, IN POLITICS INDEPENDENT BUT NEVER NEUTRAL.

VOL. XLIV., NO. 19. ANDOVER, N. Y., FOR THE WEEK ENDING FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1929. Se the Copy $2.00 the Year

Leon Cronk Sentenced to Ten Years at Auburn

Allowed to Plead Guilty to Manslaughter, First Degree. —County Officials Commended for the Efficient Manner Case Was Handled, by Justice Harris.

The trial of Leon Cronk for the murder of Oscar Willard, came to an abrupt ending Monday night after an all day session trying to get jurymen. The day's work netted but four jurors and exhausted an extra panel of 100 jurymen.

The termination of the trial came after a long conference between the District Attorney and attorneys for Cronk, when Cronk consented to plead guilty to a lesser crime, that of manslaughter, first degree. Tuesday noon Justice Harris sentenced Cronk to not less than ten years or more than 20 years in Auburn prison.

The speed with which the entire case was handled reflects a great deal of credit on the authorities of Allegany county and upon Sheriff E. Brigham and his men in particular. The alleged slaying took place on March 29th, less than two months ago, and the body was not found until five days later. It was Thursday, April 4th before the authorities were aware of the fact that Willard had been slain.

It was on the morning of April 3rd that Florence Tate, 12 years old, daughter of Charles Tate, a farmer living on Niles Hill, found the body of Willard face down in a pool of water a short distance away from the highway about two miles from Wellsville. With her father she was on the way to Wellsville when their automobile broke down near the spot. While her father was making repairs to the machine she wandered off into these fields in search of pussy willows when she came upon the body.

The proper authorities were notified and the body was removed to Wellsville, where Coroner H. E. Cooley ordered an autopsy. At the time it was believed that Willard, intoxicated, had wandered off the road and had fallen into the pool of water and drowned. Willard lived in the neighborhood.

The autopsy was not performed until the following day, April 4th. The surgeons who performed it were Dr. L. S. Benedict, and Dr. Virgil C. Kinney under the supervision of Coroner Cooley. The report showed that Willard had not drowned and that death was the result of a bullet wound. The bullet passed thru both lungs, heart and also pierced the right arm.

As soon as this fact became known, Sheriff Brigham and his men began a thorough investigation which resulted a few days later in the apprehension of Wilson Howland, a youth who resides at Duffy Hollow, at Port Allegany. Howland volunteered to return to New York State and from statements obtained from him, Cronk was taken into custody immediately, on a warrant charging murder, first degree.

Later he is said to have confessed to Sheriff Brigham. He was indicted by the April grand jury for murder, first degree, and formally arraigned before Justice Samuel Harris who was holding a term of supreme court in Belmont at the time. In order to facilitate the handling of the case Justice Harris adjourned the term at the completion of the trial business until May 6th for the purpose of taking up the Cronk case.

According to information obtained from the sheriff's office the slaying of Willard took place in the road almost in front of the home of Cronk. A pool of blood was found there and subsequently Howland admitted having sold the revolver from which the fatal bullet was fired to Cronk a short time before. Howland also claimed that Cronk had admitted the slaying to him which was largely the reason that he suddenly decided to leave the locality.

Justice Harris commended District Attorney Walter Renwick on the work upon the case and also the sheriff's department. Lessening the charge will mean a saving of approximately $5,000 to the county which would have been the cost of a lengthy trial.

The commendable remarks of the justice were delivered at the opening of court Tuesday. Cronk was present and appeared calm and when brought before the judge answered in a quiet manner all questions put to him with the exception of one. When asked whether or not he was temperate or intemperate, he paused and apparently debated before answering, "temperate."

Attorney George King made a strong plea for clemency in behalf of Cronk, stating that the defendant had never before been convicted of any crime and that he was a clean-living man. He also stated that petitions circulated thruout Allegany county asking for clemency were not circulated by counsel for the defense but by reputable citizens. There were more than 300 signatures on these petitions.

Justice Harris stated that Cronk had been shown every consideration during the period of his arrest. He said it was an unfortunate situation but one that could not be overlooked. He then pronounced sentence. Cronk accepted the sentence and apparently the calm composure he had maintained was broken. His wife and four children were in court and a pathetic union of the family ensued before he was led back to his cell.

According to the sheriff's office, Cronk was taken to Auburn state prison to begin his sentence Thursday of this week. It is expected that the family will be taken care of by relatives.

Wilson Howland, who has been held as a material witness in the case, was released Tuesday.

Letts Thompson, A Fine Man, Died on Sunday

Letts Foster Thompson, a lifelong resident of Bennetts Creek and well known thruout the community and country side, passed away Sunday, April 28. He was born Dec. 21, 1884 in the village of Greenwood. He moved from there to a nearby farm where he labored diligently, not only in pursuit of his occupation but to lend a helping hand to all those who needed assistance. During his leisure hours, he often indulged in outdoor sports, such as hunting and fishing; the sports that every true American enjoys.

To know him was to love him. Altho, the last ten years of his life he was ailing, a large portion of the time, still he cultivated a wide circle of friends. Everyone with whom he was acquainted held him in high esteem.

To his wife, Mrs. Reva Clark Thompson of Andover, whom he married in 1918, he was a most affectionate and devoted husband. He enjoyed home life with a propensity that made him a warm and sympathetic companion. It is, in moments such as these, that all words of praise seem vain and frigid. But to posterity he leaves, what we all desire to leave, a large circle of friends that loved him for his amiable character.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two brothers, Burr Williamson and Porter Thompson and one sister, Mary Thompson.

The funeral was held from the home of his mother in Greenwood street, this village, yesterday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. H. L. Somers, officiating. Rev. J. W. McGavern of Hornell assisted. Burial in Bennetts Creek Cemetery.—Canisteo Times.

Dodge City Doctor Will Study Aviation Medicine

Dr. C. W. Hardy, who recently received his appointment as first lieutenant in the medical reserve of the army, was today ordered to report May 1st at Brooks aviation field near San Antonio, Texas, for a special three-months' course in aviation medicine.

The course is given free with maintenance expenses to Dr. Hardy and four other army reserve medical officers, and is to include advanced instruction in eye, ear, nose, throat, nervous and mental diseases and general medicine.

Dr. Hardy received his pilot's license in the navy during the World War. He has been practicing medicine in Dodge City for the past year and a half.

Dr. and Mrs. Hardy will leave Sunday for Hutchinson to spend the day with relatives before leaving by motor for San Antonio. Mrs. Hardy's sister, Miss Margaret Painter, who has been visiting here, will accompany them to her home at Hutchinson.

The above clipping was handed us by Harold Hardy of this village, brother of Dr. Clarence H. Hardy. A letter received by Mr. Hardy tells that his brother and wife are now nicely located at San Antonio and are enjoying the work and their new home greatly.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all the relatives and friends who have been so kind and helpful during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

Oscar A. Potter,
Mr. and Mrs. Linford Potter
and family.

BIRTH OF G. O. P. TO BE CELEBRATED

Seventy-fifth Anniversary of the Organization of Party To be Held at Friendship Next Thursday.

Seventy-five years ago, the 16th of May, 1854, the Republican Party was born in Friendship, Allegany county, New York. A celebration will be held in Friendship Thursday afternoon of next week, the 16th, commemorating that historic event. State and county Republican Committees are giving their support and the citizens of Friendship, irrespective of their political affiliations, are working hard to make it a memorable occasion. The local Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the celebration.

The complete program has not yet been announced. But it is expected that at least one cabinet member will attend and speak. Congressman Daniel A. Reed has accepted an invitation to speak. Other prominent party leaders are expected to take part. Stirring music and other features are promised. Plans are being made for the entertainment of a great number.

It is Friendship's claim that the first actual organization of the party and the adoption of the name "Republican" was in Friendship on May 16, 1854. The Friendship Convention, as it has since been called, was the result of two years of effort by A. N. Cole, "Father of the Republican Party," editor of the Genesee Valley Free Press, the "Pioneer Republican Journal of America." Mr. Cole presided over the convention and proposed the name "Republican" which had been suggested to him by Horace Greeley, editor of the New York Tribune.

Friendship claims have been disputed by several other places but the contest appears to have been given up by all except two, Ripon, Wisconsin and Jackson, Michigan. Both these places have announced celebrations for this summer, Ripon in June and Jackson in July. Ripon bases its claim on the fact that as early as February in 1854, a meeting was held in that town at which it appears that a new party was discussed. But it has not been clearly established that a party was actually organized and named there until much later in the year. At least, that is Friendship's contention.

Jackson's claim is based on the fact that a convention was held there in July at which candidates were nominated, this, they contend, constituted the actual birth of the party. The national party organization has not attempted to pass judgment upon any of these rival claims.

The Friendship convention was held in the Baptist church, a building which is still standing and is now known as the G. A. R. Hall. It will be the center around which the celebration next week will be held. The ceremonies will begin about 2 o'clock.

Allegany Y. M. C. A. Camp

Plans for the opening of Camp Shenawana are given out as follows:

June 1 to July 3 is the first period for the camping schedule this season. This period is to be used by the Friendly Indians, composed of boys from nine to 12 years.

July 5 to 19 is held for the Pioneers and Comrades, boys from 12 to 16.

July 23 to August 6, Camp Dehgewanus, girls from 12 to 16. On August 8th they will present a pageant depicting scenes in the life of Mary Jamison, the first white woman of the Genesee.

August 10 to 16, Farm Boys' Camp.

August 16 to 18, the Home Makers Week.

Bride's Shower

The Capistrano Beach Club was the scene of a delightful party Tuesday afternoon when the many friends of Mrs. Davis gathered to congratulate her. The lovely gifts were presented by Mrs. Barnes, who spoke of the appreciation of Mrs. Davis' work in school and of her active interest in the social life of the community, mingling with congratulations the regret that she will not teach next year.

The afternoon was spent by the ladies embroidery and heming a set of linen, the gift of the hostess, Mrs. Rickard.

A dainty luncheon was served on the roof garden, overlooking the ocean.

Notice

Please return all pie tins belonging to me to Charles Fisher's store. Orders for home baked pies, cakes, cookies, etc., left at the store will be given prompt attention.

Mrs. Henry Bennett.

ODD FELLOWS WORK WAS APPRECIATED

Local Lodge Gets Many WordsCommending Their Work at Port Allegany, Pa., Last Week.

The following letter from Secretary A. O. Larcom, of the Port Allegany Lodge, No. 259, I. O. O. F., to Andover Lodge, No. 786, speaks for itself:

Port Allegany, Pa., May 2, 1929.
Andover Lodge, I. O. O. F.,
Andover, N. Y.

Dear Sirs and Brothers:

At our last meeting I was instructed to write you a letter of thanks and appreciation for the beautiful and impressive work which you so ably put on for us in conferring the third degree.

I do not suppose that they thought what a hopeless task they had put before me, as I do not think it can be justly done with mere words. But I wish to assure you that every character deserves the very highest praise, for the way they handled their parts, each one of equal importance to complete such beautiful work. This will never be forgotten by any that saw it, and is still being commented upon freely and many nice things have been said in your favor.

Begging you to accept the many, many thanks of Port Allegany Lodge No. 259, and hoping to have the pleasure of seeing more of your work, I am

Yours in F., L. & T.,
A. O. LARCOM, Sec'y.

The newspaper at Port Allegany, in speaking of Andover degree team's work, gave the following tribute:

"Upon an invitation from our Odd Fellows lodge, Andover lodge met with us last evening, Wednesday, and conferred the Third Degree upon a class of candidates from Roulette, Emporium, Austin and this village. Thru a special dispensation from the Grand Lodge, permission to use Weinman Hall was granted. The Degree work which proved to be the most pretentious and magnificent ever seen in this section was exceptionally well given, we being made of a close lodge of special equipment. About 250 Odd Fellows witnessed the work, representing lodges at Austin, Coudersport, Emporium, Roulette, Eldred, Smethport, Mt. Jewett, Altoona, Kane, Olean, Wilcox, Belmont, Renovo, Lockport and Tiadaghton. After the degree work a fine hot roast beef supper was served in our club rooms under the direction of the local Rebekahs. Having the Andover Lodge here for this degree entailed considerable hard work, thanks for which should go to all Brothers and Sisters who so gladly helped. However, the exceptionally fine quality of the work given certainly paid well for the effort and we feel grateful to Andover Lodge for traveling so far to present the degree for us."

Davis — Clark

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Lillian Warfield Clark to Jack F. Davis, of Los Angeles, have been received by Andover friends. The wedding took place March 23rd, at Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Davis was a student of the Andover High School, graduating in 1923. She attended Alfred University 2 years and then the University of California, graduating in 1927. For the past two years she has been teaching at San Juan, Capistrano.

Mr. Davis is also a graduate of the University of California, class of 1926 and is now associated with the Singer Sewing Machine Co., as assistant manager of their Hollywood store.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis will make their home in Los Angeles.

Coming Home

A letter, dated at Albuquerque, New Mexico, May 3rd, reads:

"We are leaving here tomorrow so please do not send News next week. Put it in the home office.

"We are stopping over at Kansas City and I think we will be home some time in early June. Traveling should be good by that time.

"Sand storms seem to be the order of the days here and we will be glad to get into the country of big trees and green grass.

Very truly yours,
MARY SNYDER"

Halsey — Clarke

Fred Halsey of Andover and Miss Marion Clark of Hartsville were united in marriage Wednesday evening, May 8th, by Rev. J. H. Seely at the Baptist parsonage.

They will make their home on the James Joyce farm which Mr. Halsey will work this season.

SUNDAY NEXT, MAY 12, IS

MOTHERS' DAY

50TH ANNIVERSARY WORLD WIDE GUILD

Andover Chapter Celebrates Its 50th Birthday at the Church Saturday. The Program.

The 50th anniversary of the Andover chapter of the World Wide Guild was held in the session room of the First Baptist church, May 4, 1929. Mrs. H. B. Eggleston (counsellor) as hostess.

At 4:30 p. m., all took their places. Mrs. Vivian Sweet said grace after which all joined in singing the table blessing.

A very delightful luncheon was served, covers being laid for 30. The hostess then asked Miss Eleanor Demer, president of the Guild, to proceed with the regular May meeting.

The meeting opened by singing two Guild songs. The president proceeded with the devotions: Scripture Ex. 12:1-14 and talk based on the 14th verse—And this day shall be unto you for a memorial. Taking this up to the time of the memorial of this, our 50th anniversary. All bowed in prayer led by the president. Regular business meeting held, closed by singing another Guild song. At respective intervals the hostess then called upon the speakers and introduced their topics.

"What the Guild Meant in its Earlier Days," Miss Minnie Clair

"What the Guild Meant to Me When I Came In As a Young Girl," Mrs. Angeline Brundage, Alfred

"In the Work With Mrs. Burrows," Mrs. Bessie Herrick

"Home Life at Labrador," Miss Effie Osborne

"What It Means to be President of Guild," Miss Eleanor DeRemer

"What the Guild Means to Me as a Member," Miss Hazel Plummer

Along with these topics, the hostess gave a message, from Mrs. J. G. York of Wellsville who was unable to attend, also a message of love to all her girls from Mother Stearns, who regretted not being able to be with us at this time.

Talks by the hostess, telling what the Guild means to her, how this happy occasion was made possible, and making plans for the furtherance of Guild work.

Singing of Guild song by all.

Closing prayer by Miss Edna Youmans.

In Memory of Mrs. R. B. Burrows

This happy occasion brought to mind
The name of a woman, wonderful, kind;
She was the founder of our mission band,
And a worker with God—hand in hand.
She founded the work—helped it along,
Kept all working with joyful songs.
She was with us in the fortieth year,
But now we all hold her in memory dear.
She pulled us out of ruts and furrows—
By her, I mean Mrs. R. B. Burrows.

Mrs. Myrtle Perry

Mrs. Myrtle Perry died April 26, 1929 in the Buffalo General hospital. The body was brought to the home of her father, Walter Scott, of Elm Valley.

Mrs. Perry was born in Potter Brook, Pa., Dec. 5, 1896. One son, Syvellyn Perry of Willard survives. She was a sister of Murial Scott of Andover. Funeral services were conducted at the home by Rev. J. G. York of Wellsville and burial made in Angelica cemetery.

SILK MILL ADOPTS EARLY HOURS

Employees Overwhelmingly In Favor of Early Start and Early Closing Hours. Will Not Change Clock.

The result of a vote taken by the employees of the Andover silk mills of Albert Godde, Bedin, Inc., disclosed the fact that 78 per cent. of the workers were in favor of the early start and early closing hours.

Supt. John Shaffer informs the News that they will not put the time ahead an hour but will start one hour earlier and quit an hour earlier. The hours of work will be as follows:

Daily	Saturday
6:30 a. m. to 11:00 a. m.	6:30 a. m. to 11:00 a. m.
12:00 m. to 4:30 p. m.	

Mrs. Oscar A. Potter

After a protracted illness of nearly two years, Mrs. Oscar A. Potter died at her home in Independence, Monday evening, May 6.

Mrs. Potter, nee Louise Forsythe was the daughter of Henry and Caroline Heinneman Forsythe and was born on a farm in the town of Independence, Feb. 28th, 1862, on which she has spent her entire life, with the exception of six years residence in the town of Andover.

On February 21, 1883, she was united in marriage with Oscar A. Potter of the town of Andover and to them was born one son, Linford Potter who has always occupied the same home with his parents.

Mrs. Potter was a member of the Universalist church of Whitesville, N. Y., and also of the Ladies' Aid Society of that church.

Her life was one of unselfish devotion to others, and the circumstances have not permitted her to leave her home to any extent and to enter into outside activities, yet the influence of her lovable Christian character has been far-reaching and her hospitality has been unbounded. Besides giving devoted care to both her own mother and her husband's mother during the many years of their residence in her home, her loving ministry has also been extended to other relatives and to guests as well who were in need of such attention.

Many will rise up to call her blessed and like Dorcas of Biblical renown she will ever be held in sweet remembrance by all who knew her, because of her good deeds and her winning personality.

Mrs. Potter is not only survived by her beloved husband, son, and daughter-in-law, but by two grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. George Alword, of the town of Andover and a brother, Chester Forsythe of Bingham Center, Pa.

Funeral services were held from her late home, May 6th, 1929, the Rev. Walter L. Greene of Andover officiating. The large attendance of relatives and friends and the many beautiful floral pieces attested to the great esteem in which the deceased was held. Interment was in Whitesville Rural cemetery.

Allegany Y.M.C.A. Officers

The following young men were elected officers of Allegany Conference, Y.M.C.A., at their annual convention held in Friendship last week: Lowell Button of Wellsville, president; Burdette Thompson, Bolivar, vice president; Robert Sawyer, Bolivar and Stephen Todd, Belfast, secretaries and Claude Vorhees of Wellsville, treasurer.