

## Turning Back the Pages Of Andover History

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### South Hill

(Margaret Dean, Reporter)

Dec. 1.—December and wintry her. Anna Benjamin, after passing some weeks at the Livermore, returned to her nursing work at the hospital, before Thanksgiving. Charles Livermore of Bata, Ill., who was called to Wellsville by the death of her brother, Will, visited the Livermore family before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dean were visitors one day last week. Some of South Hill's card devotees attended the party given by Mrs. Hill in the parish hall, Andover, re Thanksgiving. We are pleased to note the marriage of Miss Rose Harrington and Mr. Fortner of Toledo, O., on Thanksgiving Day in Buffalo by Rt. Rev. O'Brien who was for Wellsville pastor of bride and groom. Miss Harrington is well known on the hill, where she was a frequent visitor since childhood at home of her aunt, Mrs. James, and the good wishes and congratulations of South Hill friends extended to the happy couple. Only Dougherty has been drawn potatoes to market this week. After the proverbial horse had been led out the wide open barn doors county officials became very busy in the chase, even to the lead hold-up of some of our lady friends, returning from a social in Andover. Undesirable elements are giving South Hill some anxiety. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schoonover and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Ann Schoonover spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schoonover of Woodhull. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Horan and children enjoyed the Thanksgiving family dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Fredith of Andover. Mr. and Mrs. J. Daniher of Wells, Mrs. M. Dean and Louis Dean attended Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. Dean. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Schoonover and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Prutsman of Troupsburg on Thanksgiving evening. Miss Loretta Harrington of Middletown, N. Y., returned from the marriage of her sister in Buffalo and is a Saturday guest of her aunt, E. James Dean. E. Schoonover and family called Mr. Kenyon of Pingree Hill Sunday who is at present a patient in Eds Memorial hospital, Wellsville. Mrs. McAndrew and Howard spent Sunday and Sunday nights at the home. Notice of the sudden death in the village of Mrs. P. F. O'Connor of asset street was received Tuesday evening by Dean residents, who are relatives of the deceased lady.

### Independence

(Mrs. Floyd Clark, Reporter)

Wallace Clarke was home from Ireland for Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turk and two sons of Alfred spent Thursday with B. and Anna Laura Crandall. Mr. Drew and children of Olean assisted Thanksgiving with Mrs. Drew and Amelia Cottrell. The neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Potter made a beautiful wood for them on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Densmore are ill with the fashionable distemper which is calling at many homes in the hill. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Chase spent Thanksgiving in Shinglehouse, Pa. W. J. Potter is slowly recovering from a cerebral hemorrhage suffered a week ago Sunday evening. Over one hundred people enjoyed Thanksgiving Day together at the Parish House. Everyone doing justice to the bounteous dinner served at 1 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wood and brother of Henrietta are visiting at Frank Nye's for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Carl V. Clarke also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke are guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Whitford at Watsontown, Pa. Miss Mae Wood of Andover spent Wednesday and Thursday with Miss Mary Etta Spicer. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Crandall of Andover are spending the Thanksgiving vacation with their daughters and families. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Howe of North Bingham were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl V. Clarke. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spicer and Mary Etta and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Crandall were shopping in Wellsville, Friday. The boys and girls 4-H Club met at Floyd Clarke's Saturday evening to arrange their program for the achievement meeting at Almond next Saturday evening, Dec. 5th. Every club member and their parents are urged to attend the meeting. A motorcycle that weighs only 167 pounds and sells for about \$121 has been introduced on the British market.

### Davis Hill

(Mrs. Floyd Slocum, Reporter)

Dec. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Arling Briggs, Rosanna and Edna Joyce enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Montgomery of Hornell. Mr. and Mrs. U. V. Davis, son Robert, of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Davis and family were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hoagland and family were Thanksgiving guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ladles of Smethport, Pa. Her brother, Roland, Ladles and wife returned with them for a visit. Mr. Ladles returned to New York Sunday to his naval duties, his wife remaining here for a week's visit. Victor Hoagland is in Smethport, Pa., this week, hunting deer. We hope he gets one. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halsey were Thanksgiving guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee. Trowbridge of Andover. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slocum and son of Binghamton, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Schriener and son of Wellsville, Mrs. Sophia Slocum and Frank Emery of Andover enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at Floyd Slocum's. Miss Rosanna Joyce, student nurse at Binghamton, was a visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arling Briggs and many friends from Wednesday until Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Green visited at Arling Briggs, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halsey visited Cass Kenyon at Wellsville hospital, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Arling Briggs were business visitors in Wellsville and Hornell, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Young and family of Rochester visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Amesbury, Thanksgiving, remaining over the week-end. Miss Kathleen Slocum visited her mother, Mrs. Barney Schriener from Thursday until Sunday. Mrs. Chester Green and family visited her father, John Bump of Shinglehouse, Pa., over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bump and family and Bill Madison of Shinglehouse, Pa., visited at Chester Green's, Sunday. The Shinglehouse and Millport checker club consisting of nine members, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Arling Briggs and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Slocum at the home of Floyd Slocum, Friday evening. The others attending were L. E. Davis, Bill Alderson, Ernest Witter, Rob Church, Willard Adams, U. V. Davis of Rochester, Leo Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Will Green. The evening, of course, was spent in checker playing after which a supper was served by the ladies. Millport and Shinglehouse won the honors.

Nov. 24.—Bert Vaughn and Ossie Ploss and daughter of Hornell visited Mr. and Mrs. Arling Briggs Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis were business visitors in Wellsville Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hoagland and daughters visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ladles of Smethport, Pa., Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and son also Mr. and Mrs. Barney Schriener and son of Wellsville were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Slocum Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Davis were in Hornell Monday, also Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis who were met by Mrs. U. V. Davis of Rochester, and returned home with her for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Will Green were visitors at Floyd Slocum's, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Briggs and family were visitors at Arling Briggs Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Halsey, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ordway and family visited at Frank Halsey's, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Slocum, Kathleen and Mabel Halsey attended the I. O. O. F. dance in Andover, Monday evening. Elmer Coats and Mrs. Pearl Davis were visitors in Whitesville on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carlson and babe were visitors in Pennsylvania, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis of Andover were visitors at Leo Davis', Monday evening.

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### Forty Years Ago

DECEMBER 9, 1891

Hamilton C. Norris, Editor

Supervisor John Prest has been in Angelica this week attending the last session of the Board of Supervisors. Mrs. A. A. McCann returned home from Belmont last week, much improved in health. E. E. Swain returned from Canaseraga Friday, having finished the season's cheese business. E. J. Bullard killed a seven and one-half months' old pig last week that weighed 308 pounds. Can anybody beat that? Miss Rachael Slocum has begun teaching the winter term of school in District No. 7, Alfred. Her fall term closed two weeks ago. Miss Kate Gavin left today for Van Buren, Ohio, where she intends to spend a few months with her brother, Thomas Gavin. A meeting of the town board last Saturday, Calvin Slocum was appointed Town Collector to fill the vacancy made by the death of his father, the late Willis Slocum. It is with deep regret that we note the illness of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Burdick of Lanphar Valley. At last accounts Mr. Burdick was somewhat improved, but there was little or no change for the better in the case of his wife. At a meeting of the town board Templars held last week in Richburg, Wallace Richardson was elected County Chief Templar.

Following are the newly elected officers of the Woman's Relief Corps of Edward Seaman Post of this place: Mrs. H. Mourhes, president; Mrs. T. N. Boyd; senior vice president; Mrs. D. E. Randolph, junior vice president; Mrs. Roxy Bundy, treasurer; Mrs. G. B. Herrick, chaplain; Mrs. R. Hardy, conductor; Mrs. Almond Crandall, guard; Miss Minnie Clair, organist. It is reported that the whole family of Charles Mings of Independence, his brother and a sister of his wife, who are staying with them are sick with the grip. Miles F. Livermore, who is attending the Hornellsville Business College was at home on a short vacation last week.



### HUMAN LIFE

By Aubrey Thomas de Vere

Sad is our youth, for it is ever going,  
Crumbling away beneath our very feet;  
Sad is our life, for onward it is flowing,  
In current unperceived because so fleet;  
Sad are our hopes for they were sweet in sowing,  
But tares, self-sown, have overtopped the wheat;  
Sad are our joys, for they were sweet in blowing;  
And still, O still, their dying breath is sweet;  
And sweet is youth, altho it hath bereft us  
Of that which made our childhood sweeter still;  
And sweet our life's decline, for it hath left us  
A nearer God to cure an older ill;  
And sweet are all things, when we learn to prize them  
Not for their sake, but His who grants them or denies them.

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### Thirty Years Ago

DECEMBER 4, 1901

Mosher &amp; Backus, Owners

A very unfortunate accident occurred Thanksgiving Day while Ray Smith, accompanied by other friends was out hunting. As they were marching along in quest of game, with their guns cocked and finger on trigger, Mr. Smith spied that on the muzzle of his gun there was a quantity of snow. He reached with his left hand to brush it away. The effort to reach the muzzle of the gun with his left hand gave pressure enough to the finger of the right hand that was upon the trigger of the gun to spring the locks and explode the charge of powder, blowing off the ends of his first two fingers.

H. F. Wilcox, formerly of Andover, has accepted the position of manager of the Democratic Times plant at Cuba.

H. A. Benedict was working telephone business at Whitesville, Spring Mills, North Bingham and Bingham Center this week.

G. E. Brown has placed in his mill a new McEwen steel stationary boiler of 30 horse power, and has had it placed in a new brick arch. It is a fine addition to his equipment.

Tim Regan's large mastiff dog got in front of Train 10 the other night. The train did not stop, neither did the dog until his lifeless body reached a rod or so the other side of the tracks.

E. S. and W. E. Baker were called to Bradford yesterday morning on account of the sudden death of their uncle, Schuyler Lee.

Don't get gay with the editor, says an exchange. A young woman poked fun at an editor of the Buffalo (Ind.) Banner because his trousers were patched. The editor went home and sued her husband for \$10 he owed on subscription.

G. E. Mead of Andover and Miss Isabelle Halladay of Wellsville were married Thanksgiving Day.

Tramps wrecked terrible vengeance on Forest Elwell, a farmer near Wellsville. Sunday night he drove a party of tramps out of his barn and when Elwell rose the next morning he discovered that his barn was on fire. He ran to save his live stock. His wife saw him enter the barn, but he never came out. The roof fell in and buried him.

Ernest French met with a serious and painful accident yesterday while getting out timber for the Mutual Gas Co. He was using an adz and in some way it got the better of him slipping and going into his leg, almost half way between the foot and ankle inflicting a fearful wound cutting out at least two inches of the shin bone.

### Isn't It Funny?

Isn't it funny?  
That so many  
Business men  
Will get up in the morning,  
Shave with an advertised razor,  
And advertised soap,  
Put on advertised underwear,  
Advertised hose, shirt, collar, tie,  
shoes and suit;  
Seat themselves at the table  
And eat advertised breakfast food  
Drink advertised coffee or substitutes,  
Put on an advertised hat  
Light an advertised cigar  
Go to their business in an advertised automobile  
And then  
Turn down an advertising plan  
On the ground  
That  
Advertising doesn't pay?

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## OUR CHURCHES

### SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST

Rev. Walter L. Grasso, Pastor

Sabbath services at 2:30 p. m. The pastor will speak.  
Bible School following the church service.

Independence  
Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon by the pastor.  
Sabbath school following the church service.

### PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. Frank H. Bisbee, Pastor

Sunday morning, the pastor will begin a series of sermons about the seven churches in Asia. The series will not be given every Sunday but probably about once a month. The first sermon will be based upon "The Letter of Christ to the Church at Ephesus." The letter also applies to churches today. Come and worship with us and hear this message. "Home and Beyond," will be the Sunday School study. The teachers and officers of the school met at the manse on Wednesday night to consider the needs and problems of the school and to make plans for Christmas.

The Missionary Society met with Mrs. Erwin Baker on Tuesday night for a mission study.

If Christ is kept outside something must be wrong inside.

### METHODIST EPISCOPAL

R. C. Shergur, Pastor

Sunday morning worship, Dec. 6. District Superintendent of Olean District, J. F. Leffer will preach.

Church school, 11:45.  
Junior Epworth League, 3:30.  
Senior Epworth League, 6:30.  
Subject: "Why Should I Pray?"  
Leader, Howard Gath.

Cottage prayer meeting, Thursday evening, Dec. 10th, at 7:30 p. m. at Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Earley's.

Sunday evening service December 6th at 7:30, beginning with a 15-minute song service.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. John McIntosh, Pastor

Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.  
Holy Communion, 11:25 a. m.

Every member urged to attend.  
Sunday School, 11:45. Superintendent, Mrs. Gates Pope. Classes to suit all ages.

C. E., 6:30 p. m. Topic: "How Jesus Reveals God's Love." John, 14:1-11. Leader, Marion Lever. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. The bright hour. Brief sermon, instrumental and vocal solos. Bright singing. Come to our popular services. You will receive a hearty welcome.

Thursday evening, 7:30, Prayer and Fellowship Service.

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