

The Hi Herald

VOL. VI. ANDOVER, N. Y., FEB. 5, 1937. NO. 22.

THE HI HERALD

Published by Andover High School
Printed by the Andover News

Editor
MISS JEAN MILLSPAUGH
Faculty Advisor
MISS MARY LOU DAY

EDITORIAL

CAN'T SWING IT?

No fun? Where? Social Hour? Tsk! Tsk! It couldn't be! The reason must be purely the fault of the non-participants, because there floats forth from the radio-victrola the newest and best of "swing songs."

Last year Social Hour had more "pep" because everybody would swing someone else (or push 'em). But this year too many people find themselves among the collection left standing and sitting around.

The girls have shown the good old spirit by dancing together where the "lads" didn't do the right thing by the "lassies" and murmur "May I have this dance?"

If we're going to take up one of Mr. McGee's few free evenings and let him top records for us, why not go out with the intention of making the evening a success a real Social Hour?

HERE'S HEALTH!

During the past month a series of tests designed to test the physical fitness of a pupil have been given in physical education classes. These tests are made up of several parts, each part testing the strength of different muscles of the body. The total score for the series of tests is then compared with the average score obtained by students of the same weight and age throughout the state. Mark's are then figured on the basis of 100 as a normal or average score. A score greater than 100 would mean that the pupil thus achieving that score was also a achiever in general health and physical fitness.

The tests have already been completed for the boys' classes and the results show an extraordinary increase in scores during the past year. The school average for the boys is now 112 or 12 points above the average in New York State. This represents an increase of nearly 14 points over last year. Of the 48 boys tested, 38 are above normal, while only 10 fall below the average for their age and weight. Six scores of over 140 were recorded with Lawrence Dean having high score of 148. Others over 140 were Henry Antan, Donald Hardy, Gerald Dolan, Farnum Pope and Bruce McGill.

LIBRARY NEWS

Upon entering the library, if one looks to the left one will find there a different display of books each week. This week the books are related in subject matter to the new class in Guidance which is to be under the direction of Mr. Lawrence E. Host:

"Choosing Your Life Work," by Rosengarten.
"Practical Salesmanship," by Howler.
"Occupations," by Gowan and Wheatley.
"Opportunities of Today for Boys and Girls" by Jackson, Deming and Bemis.
"The Romance of Business," by Horbes.
"Making a Living," by Lyon.
"Our World of Work," by Holbrook and MacGregor.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

- 1—What are X-rays?
- 2—What early scientist caught cold and died while proving that extremely cold temperatures would preserve meat?
- 3—What's the origin of the quotation "birds of a feather flock together"?
- 4—Who was the Italian Nobel prize winner for literature in 1934?
- 5—What is Hitler's latest violation of the Treaty of Versailles?
- 6—What magazine sponsors a cash prize contest for the short story, poetry, essay, visual arts and the craft?
- 7—What is the past participle of the verb "to get"?
- 8—Who discovered vaccination for smallpox?
- 9—What does the smallpox vaccine contain?
- 10—When was the first public vaccination performed?

A. H. S. DEFEATS LEAGUE LEADING FRIENDSHIP TEAM

The Andover High School basketballers turned the tables on the league-leading Friendship quintet on the latter's court last Wednesday by the score of 29-27.

The local boys led thruout the game, but during the second half they were thankful for the 23 to 7 lead that they had amassed during the first half. The scoring was quite evenly divided among the players.

This win over Friendship puts the boys within striking distance of the league championship, altho Friendship must lose one more game to enable the locals to nose up to a tie.

The summary follows:

Andover		Friendship	
field	foul	field	foul
McGill	2	1	5
Fulkerson	3	0	6
D. Joyce	2	0	4
R. Briggs	3	4	10
Kemp	2	0	4
Pease	0	0	0
Totals	12	5	29

Friendship		Andover	
field	foul	field	foul
Walker	2	1	5
Tuttle	2	1	6
Whitwood	0	0	0
McCarthy	2	3	7
Muench	4	1	9
Totals	10	7	27

Referee: Law.

TRIPLE HEADER SATURDAY NIGHT

Saturday night the sport fans of Andover will again be given a chance to see three games for the price of one.

Andover High School will meet Fillmore scholars in the second game of a triple bill which promises to be good. Fillmore having dropped a tight game to Wellsville, is expected to prove to be a much better ball team when they meet the local boys. A win for the high school boys would keep them up within striking distance of the league leading Friendship team.

A girls' team made up of the local high school girls will provide the excitement in the opening game. This is the second time the high school girls have made a showing on the local hardwood.

The third game is between the Keystone hoopers and Almond of the Evening Tribune Times league. If Andover defeats Almond, they will virtually cinch that league. These three games are a special offer at the usual price of one.

The English II Class have started on a project of making poetry booklets. Altho the inartistic people may not favor this project, their knowledge of the various types of poetry will be greatly widened and some few, who have never enjoyed reading poetry, may find reading it a pleasure.

A type of poem is chosen and the students obtain all the poems on the selected subject, such as poems of patriotism, of the sea, concerning history or any subject in which he or she is at all interested.

These poems, if the student is so inspired, may be original, or if not the least poetic, the energetic students will copy poems from any one of many sources.

The Sixth Grade are having a spelling contest. The averages are taken every day and the leaders at the end of the week are the winners. The leaders up to date are Walter Storm and Dorothy Ellis. Monday the sides tied. The prospects are for a close race.

The Second Grade has started a "Sports Project." The pupils began their project with a class discussion of winter sports. Each pupil is bringing pictures for class study.

GRADE NEWS

1—Pupils were allowed to read newspapers and magazines in the study hall.

2—All work done outside of the school, such as washing dishes, tending furnace, peddling papers, were given school credit.

3—Students knowing their lessons received double credit.

4—There was the graduation requirement stating that you must be able to chin yourself.

5—Girls could continue interschool basketball.

6—There were square dances every Saturday evening.

WOUNDT THERE BE FUN?

Because conditions of modern life are continually changing and becoming more complicated, the youth of today needs more help and guidance in his activities than ever before. Because of the realization of this by the leaders in education, a new subject, termed "Guidance," is being rapidly introduced in the required curriculum of most high schools in New York State.

Up to a very short time ago, guidance was carried on by the various teachers in their classes and by the principal, but this method has proved more or less inadequate. More time should be given each individual and more things should be studied than time permits in the separate classes.

Therefore, a special guidance class for high school freshmen is to be included in the Andover High School curriculum and has for its main purposes the following:

- 1.—To correlate the activities of the various classes into one unit with a common purpose.
- 2.—To encourage each pupil to develop his body, mind and character thru his own efforts to the limit of his capacity.
- 3.—To aid the pupil in discovering fields in which he has special aptitudes and to help him make use of the aptitudes in his preparation for a vocation.
- 4.—To acquaint pupils with various occupations and the training courses that would lead to these occupations.

GUIDANCE COURSE ADDED

Therefore, a special guidance class for high school freshmen is to be included in the Andover High School curriculum and has for its main purposes the following:

- 1.—To correlate the activities of the various classes into one unit with a common purpose.
- 2.—To encourage each pupil to develop his body, mind and character thru his own efforts to the limit of his capacity.
- 3.—To aid the pupil in discovering fields in which he has special aptitudes and to help him make use of the aptitudes in his preparation for a vocation.
- 4.—To acquaint pupils with various occupations and the training courses that would lead to these occupations.

Mr. Host presided as an able chairman and after announcing the purpose of debate to present facts for thought, he introduced the first speaker, Carol Burdick, who with Helen Dean and George Joyce, all Juniors, defended the affirmative side.

The negative team from the Senior class was composed of Bruce McGill, Raymond Briggs and Alan Tuttle.

Some of the points of contention were that taxation would increase if the government owned and operated public utilities; and that government ownership was unconstitutional.

The points at issue were:

- 1.—Would the expense of operation of utilities be less under government control?
- 2.—Is government ownership constitutional?
- 3.—Does government ownership give better service to the people?
- 4.—Has government ownership been successful during the past?

The rebuttal proved to be the most interesting part of the debate. Both teams presented thought-provoking facts. The Seniors with their additional year of debating experience, were naturally more at ease and also more entertaining. But the Juniors did well in their initial appearance as future statesmen and diplomats.

"This Friday's debaters should be able to profit by last Friday's experiment and give a really red-hot debate.

There were no judges, each student decided in his or her mind which arguments each thought were the best.

A. H. S. students gladly contributed a portion of their allowances toward the flood relief fund. All could readily see, with the aid of radios and newspapers the great strain which the people in the flooded areas were suffering. These people are bearing this misfortune with the utmost courage.

Some teachers contributed thru their separate contributions.

An account of the Andover school contribution can be found on the front page of the Andover News.

PARTY DATE CHANGED

The dancing party which was originally being planned by members of the girls' chorus for February 12 will now be held Tuesday, Feb. 9th. This party will include the girls' chorus and their invited guests.

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



ACROSS THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

One day last week the telephone rang and upon answering it, a lady's voice announced that she wished to give a series of prizes thruout the school for excellence of scholastic work. I eagerly assured the donor that I would be much pleased to accept her offer, and as I sat back to reflect on the incident with a warmth of satisfaction in my heart, it occurred to me that if one person would take this initiative to call and offer prizes, perhaps there were others who would do likewise, if assured that such offers were needed and welcome.

The rules governing the issuance of a prize, in general, may be set up by the donor. It is usually preferable to restrict the prize to some particular subject, class or grade and it may be based on yearly marks, examination, or competitive essay or project. Often prizes are given to the pupil showing the greatest improvement in a subject.

Up to the present time there have been only two yearly prizes offered in Andover High School, an American history prize of \$10 by the American Legion and a freshman prize of \$2.50 by the local Grange.

I would be glad to have any other organizations or individuals communicate with me in regard to the establishment of yearly prizes.

FUTURE HEADLINERS

There will be headlines for the Hi Herald when—
Henry Antan stops making a disturbance in class.
Gerald Doan doesn't have to be asked to leave class.
George Joyce refrains from teasing the girls.
Delores Farwell stops whispering.
Leo Fulkerson pays perfect attention in History B class.
Thelma Callaghan uses the high school entrance.
Laura Backus has a perfect attendance record.
Ray Briggs stays out of the library at noon.

Carl Will, Liwun Howland, John Baker and John Walter don't hold an Elm Valley convention in the library at noon.
June Babcock stops studying.
Miss Day forgets an English assignment.
Miss O'Connell doesn't have to ask Lester Regan to pay attention.
Mr. Host doesn't look as "sick as a pin."

FACULTY FACTS

Miss Mary Lou Day attended the President's ball at the Hotel Baron Von Steuben in Corning.
Mrs. Harriet Schwartzbach entertained her parents over the weekend, the occasion being a birthday party.
Principal and Mrs. Glenn Bretsch had as their guest Mrs. Bretsch's mother, Mrs. Martin Seamon of Elmira Heights over the weekend-end.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Joyce entertained the following over the weekend-end: Mr. and Mrs. William Hamill, Seneca Falls; Messrs. Clair Kelley and Leonard Kelley; Almond; James Kelley of St. Bonaventure faculty, and Miss Althea Knapp of Hornell.

STUDENTS GO DRAMATIC

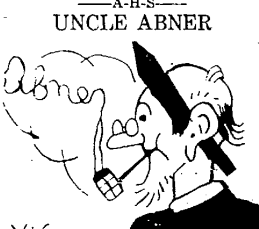
The English IV students are in the dramatic mood. The drama is going to get more than a mere "reading over," as it generally gets. They are going "in for it" in a very serious way; even to writing plays. "To be or not to be" a Senior, "that is the question." For a Senior must come to the realization that every good drama must have a conflict. The Seniors are now having a conflict between brain and playwright in three to five rounds. If the Seniors get the gray matter working and absorb all they are being exposed to what a grand and glorious cultured feeling! If the gray matter won't function one may hear gasped, "Oh, to be a Junior again, so I wouldn't have to think."

STILL FIGHTING

The Juniors and Seniors just began to get "wound up" last week about "Utilities." This week they should present a regular battle on a subject of interest to all—Resolved, That the United States should adopt the central features of the British system of radio control and operation.

The three who will represent the Senior Class are Maxine Crandall, Jean Millsbaugh and William Woodruff. Their adversaries, the Juniors, will be Donald Hardy, Doris Honegger and Marion Swarts.

UNCLE ABNER



Dear Uncle Abner:
I am in the tailoring business. Needles to say I wish I had some other occupation. I was stitched up in this business before I realized it. Business is just sew sew, but the depression has depressed depressing business. I have made a lot of money in the past few years. At the present, I am hard pressed for cash. I have a helper who is certainly a knittwit. He spends almost as much money as I "take in." What would you do in a suit like mine? Life is one continuous thread, broken now and then as one gets Hooked.

I think that knittwit (so-called helper) is trying to string you along. He thinks he can pull the wool over your eyes. It seems to me that if you would discontinue the services of your employee there would be less cutting up around your shop. If you still can't make a profit I advise you to button up and join the Laundryman's Union. If you become disgusted you will have enough line to hang yourself anyway. Some yarn, eh, wot?

Sincerely,
UNCLE (Tailor Made) ABNER

BOWLERS SPLIT POINTS

In spite of being handicapped by a "blind" Monday night, Feb. 1st, the Andover bowling team split first points evenly with the Belfast outfit. This outcome was largely due to some fine bowling on the part of Archie Bloss, who rolled a high game of 213, and high three games of 603. Summaries follow:

Andover (2)		Belfast	
Host	127 147 101 375	McGee	186 164 169 518
Joyce	139 143 181 463	Bloss	185 213 205 603
Blinn	100 100 100 300		
Totals	736 747 756 2250		

GUIDE POST

Friday, Feb. 5—3:30 orchestra.
Saturday, Feb. 6—8:00, Fillmore boys here.
Monday, Feb. 8—3:30, boys' interclass basketball; girls' glee club; 4:15, boys' basketball practice.
Tuesday, Feb. 9—3:30, boys' basketball practice; Library Council meeting; boys' chorus.
Wednesday, Feb. 10—3:30, boys' interclass basketball; girls' glee club.
Thursday, Feb. 11—3:30, Hi Herald meeting; 3:30, orchestra; 7:15, girls' basketball game; 8:00, Andover vs. Wellsville basketball game.
Friday, Feb. 12—Lincoln's birthday—No school.

BRAIN BUSTER

Each week in this column will appear a problem, the solution of which will involve clear and careful thinking. This column was inspired by the Brain Buster radio program, broadcast each Sunday evening at 7:00 over the Columbia network.

All pupils are asked to try their mental skill on these problems and each week the two pupils first presenting the correct solution to the problem will have their names published in the following week's paper, together with the correct answer. Solutions should be presented to Mr. Bretsch.

Here is this Week's Brain Buster
A man visited a prison and stopping before a certain cell said to the guard, "That man is related to me." Upon being asked what the relationship was, he replied as follows: "Brothers and sisters I have none, but that man's father was my father's son."

Question: What relation was the prisoner to the visitor?

GOING TO TOWN

The First Grade have a complete town in one corner of their room. This town has every modern convenience. If your automobile isn't working, employ the train, if that is too slow, take the airplane. The beacon light will direct you to the hangar.

No speeding is allowed. The motorcycle cops are right there to watch.

(Hi-Herald—continued on page 7)

Country

Voorhees H

Feb. 2.—Henry Knox Dan was a caller at the home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William of Petrolia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy VanS.

Mr. and Mrs. Burritt P. tended the Dairyman's League at Wellsville, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Sloan and Audrey Cary, Mrs. James Lewis and Thelma were dinner guests home of Mrs. Gertrude L. Wellsville, Saturday night.

Miss Lenna Church was from Wellsville Sunday, overnight.

Mrs. Etta Benjamin, M Perkins and Mrs. Jessie Wells were calling on Mrs. Burritt Perkins one week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy VanS little son were dinner guests and Mrs. William Marges trofia, Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Miller of U a caller at the home of Mr. Raymond Church, Sunday.

Contributions of food being collected Tuesday flood sufferers.

Mrs. Ina Church spent yesterday with her daughter, Kruger of Meservey Hill.

Independen

(Mrs. Floyd Clarke, R

Mr. and Mrs. Leo John Mr. and Mrs. Carl V. C Wednesday at the Clover Farms at Pittsford New York.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. C. tained Mr. and Mrs. F. Rev. and Mrs. W. L. G. Mrs. Maude Clark of Ar day for dinner in honor of wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles son of Wellsville were the school of Mrs. M. sit.

Dr. Alfred Whitford (Copies of Alfred w Friday of Mr. and Mrs. S. Robert Spicer is recovering from an illness of flu so as again.

West Green

(Miss Margaret Mullen,

If the old "prophecy groundhog is true we have six weeks more of James and Vincent Hallsport called on Da Jr. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan M Margaret and Gerald Alice Stephens were bus in Andover Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Teribury ter, Leola, called on M John Williamson Sator Elmer Ludden of called on Daniel Muller day.

Peter Breiding from Sunday with Mr. and Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelle William Gayhart and wood of Lever Hill call and Mrs. Otie Banks ar er Sunday evening.

There will be an au Mrs. Wilbur Stephens Orvis farm Wednesday

A chemical analysis shows they contain amount of 2 cents worth can, according to a G ist.

McKesson & Ross
Send me a 10 day
free trial.
Name _____
Address _____