

Country Correspondence

Independence

(Mrs. Floyd Clarke, Reporter)

Mar. 22. Charles Bassett, Jr., of Wellsville is spending a week with his uncle, Milford Bassett.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler Drew of Littleton were dinner guests of the Genesee were dinner guests of their mother, Lottie Drew, Sunday.

The students of Wellsville High School are having vacation this week.

Floyd Clarke was in Belmont Monday where he begins work on the soil conservation project.

Mrs. Let Wilson and George Denmore of Oswayo are visiting at W. E. Denmore's.

John Illig returned from down country Wednesday night.

Raymond Wallace of Greenwood and Miss Caroline Bank of Canisteo were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Wallace.

Dean A. C. Whitford of Alfred spoke at the church service Saturday.

Messrs. M. A. Bassett and W. D. Clarke were in Olean, Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl Clarke spent Wednesday with her aunt, Miss Alice Clarke in Andover.

The Home Bureau met with Mrs. Floyd Clarke, Tuesday and Wednesday, to get the second lesson on "Buying and Making House Dress."

Mrs. Carrol Wallace is helping care for her sister Mrs. Merle Green and baby son at Greenwood.

The students in Andover High School have a ten day vacation beginning Wednesday.

Miss Onnolee Smith of Wellsville is a guest of R. E. Spicer.

Miss Virginia Greene of Bolivar is visiting Miss Betty Greene.

Mrs. Mary S. Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd, Decatur and Miss Naomi Denmore were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Carrie Slade in Andover.

Elm Valley

(Mrs. Charley Cole, Reporter)

(Too late for last week)

Mar. 17. Miss Orpha Green of Andover is spending some time at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wilmer Atwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Krusen and daughter Vera Jean of Greenwood were callers at Earl Atwell's one evening last week.

Mrs. Lester Baker of Whitesville spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Nye.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Atwell and Wilmer Atwell attended the funeral of a cousin in Friendship last Thursday.

Mrs. Eva Cramer and Mrs. Mary Cole were in Hornell Thursday.

Donald Lewis of Stannards spent the week-end with Lyle and Arlon Nye.

Mr. and Mrs. George Murray are the parents of a baby boy, born on Monday, March 12 in the Tullar Maternity hospital.

Arthur Leonard and family of Olean spent Saturday afternoon at Mrs. Lovina Osborne's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McKinley and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stebbins and little son were Sunday guests of Charles Sutor.

West Greenwood

(Miss Margaret Mullen, Reporter)

Mar. 24.—Mrs. Edward Carson and son Clarence called on her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Terbury and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Joyce and family and Tom Carbury were business visitors in Canisteo, Monday evening.

Miss Bernice Hartigan of Andover is teaching school in Dist. No. 7 for her sister, Mrs. Ernest Padden, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Robbins of Belvidere called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mullen and son Daniel, accompanying them to Bath on business.

Miss Margaret Mullen has returned home after spending several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gravelle in Fremont, where she has been employed.

Howard Brewster accompanied his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gravelle of Fremont to Rochester, Monday.

The school children of this vicinity are enjoying an Easter vacation.

Mrs. Grace Brewster, son Howard and daughter, Idanette spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gravelle in Fremont.

David Plaisted has been spending several days with Erwin Fisher.

Cora Smith has moved from the Hand farm to the Hurst house.

Davis Hill

(Mrs. Floyd Slocum, Reporter)

Frank Davis of Andover was helping saw wood at his farm Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Halsey visited her daughter Mrs. Lawrence Ordiway and family Wednesday.

Pat Barrett of Whitesville was a Sunday visitor at Lawrence Ordiway's.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coats of Andover, were Sunday visitors at the Davis home. Mrs. Mae Davis, and Marjory accompanied them, and attended the show in Andover Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ordiway, son Dale and daughter Ruby visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perry in Andover Monday.

Lawrence Ordiway's family are enjoying new maple syrup.

Maxine Davis is spending her Easter vacation at home.

Charles Halsey of Angelica visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halsey and sister Mrs. Lawrence Ordiway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Halsey and family of Andover were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halsey.

Mrs. Orville Green received the sad news of a serious injury to her brother, Jesse Kemp of Shinglehouse, Pa. He was crossing the road in front of his house, and was struck by a car. He is in a very serious condition at the Olean hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Trowbridge and son O. B. Trowbridge of Pulaski were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Green and family of Richburg were Sunday guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Orville Green, Mr. and Mrs. Green accompanied them home and were visitors of her brother Jesse Kemp at the Olean hospital, returning home Monday.

Miss Josephine Butler of Andover is spending her vacation at the home of her mother Mrs. Earl Hyland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hoagland visited his brother, Ronald Hoagland at Elm Valley Tuesday evening.

Richard Ladlee is working the sugar bush for Victor Hoagland.

Floyd Slocum is doing carpenter work for Albert Rogers at Andover.

Slate Creek

(Mrs. Raymond Stewart, Reporter)

Mar. 24.—Robins and bluebirds are back. Pussy willows are beginning to come out and there's a hint of spring in the air.

John Mullen is slowly improving from his recent illness. He was in Hornell last week having x-ray pictures taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bassett and family of Bennetts Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Warner of Greenwood called on John Mullen and family, Sunday.

A series of meetings are being held at community hall this week by a young Bible student, Mr. Francis of Hornell. Miss Dorothy Allen also of Hornell is song leader and Miss Bernita Ellis of Canisteo pianist.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Childs of Hornell and Mrs. Elnora Childs of Canisteo called on Mrs. William Mullen Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart and little daughter, and Mr. Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Baker near Andover, Sunday.

Miss Isabelle Caward spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Dan Mullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Erskine and son have moved to Batavia where he has secured work.

Mrs. Leo Cummings and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hale, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keough and family and Stanley Dibble visited friends in Canisteo, Sunday.

George Bassett was an overnight guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Leon Burly, Saturday night.

School is rather small this week as a large number of pupils were compelled to stay home as they were exposed to whooping cough. School will close Friday noon for a week of Easter vacation.

Mrs. William Mullen called on Mrs. Sarah Clarkson in Canisteo, Tuesday.

Andrew Spencer was thru this place collecting telephone dues Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stewart and children, Charlotte and Billy, attended the ladies Grange Auxiliary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd

Lane School District

(Harold Church, Reporter)

(Too late for last week)

Lawrence Knight of Bennett's Creek was thru this place Saturday buying calves.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brutsman of Canisteo called on friends here Sunday.

Edward Brewster of St. Bonaventure passed the week-end with relatives and friends here.

Clair Jackson and Dan Haist of Andover passed Thursday evening with Wilmer Cronk and family.

Clarence Wittie was in Andover Saturday evening on business.

Alon Coombs motored to Garwoods Sunday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lyman of Elmira spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Van Coombs.

Van Coombs was in Andover Monday on business.

Prin. and Mrs. Raymond Brutsman and Alice Brutsman of Olean passed Saturday and Sunday at their summer home here.

Wilmer Cronk was a business visitor in Hornell Thursday.

Ellis C. Drew of Bolivar was thru this place Monday, delivering Mc-Ness products.

William Coombs has returned home after spending several days with his son Van Coombs and family of this place.

Mar. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Walsh and daughter Patricia of Eldred, Pa., passed Wednesday of last week with their aunt, Mrs. John Church of this place.

Robert Flynn, Jr. of Andover passed the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flynn of this place.

Van Coombs was in Andover Saturday on business.

Daniel Redmond passed Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brewster and family.

Mrs. Kathryn Freeman of Larchee, Pa., passed Wednesday of last week with relatives here.

Herman Wallace of Greenwood was a business visitor on our street Tuesday.

Alton Coombs was a visitor in Andover, Saturday evening.

Howard and Nelson Brewster were visitors in Greenwood, Thursday evening of last week.

Whitesville

(Mrs. Ella Millspaugh, Reporter)

March 23.—These beautiful sunny spring days are a very welcome change from the past week of rain, snow and blizzard weather.

"They say" the sap is running like the "Dickens" if you know what that means.

Holy week is being observed at the M. E. church this week. Rev. G. S. Brewster of Westfield, Pa., brought the message on Monday evening. Rev. R. B. Cramer will preach on Wednesday and District Supt. Wesley J. Searles of Hornell will preach on Friday evening and preside at a communion service.

Rev. C. E. Swearingen attended the ministerial association in Wayland on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Frost are parents of a son, Clifford, Jr., born Saturday morning, March 20th.

Mr. VanGuilder of Cuba was doing business in town on Tuesday.

The M. E. Philathea Class are being entertained at the home of Mrs. C. L. Travis this Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ella Millspaugh and son Lee attended the funeral of their cousin, Jesse W. Sawyer of Stannards on Monday afternoon.

Norman Rogers of Whitesville and Mrs. Anna Musto of Westfield, Pa., were married March 14th at Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Millspaugh visited Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Heselton Sunday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Russell who have been living in the J. A. Crittenden, apartment for nearly a year have gone back to Buffalo where he has employment.

The Methodist men cleared over \$30 on their roast turkey supper, March 17th.

Mrs. Howard Smith returned to her home in Rexville Monday with her new baby girl, born here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith about two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith, Mrs. Leon French and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Paddock attended the funeral of Frank Paddock, brother of Lewis, at North Fork last Sunday.

The swordfish reaches a weight of more than 600 pounds.

HOW, WHAT and WHY?

The Andover News has arranged with the Office of Information of the New York State Colleges of Agriculture and Home Economics to answer questions about problems of farm and home. If you enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope and mention the name of this paper, you will receive a direct reply from the colleges. Do not ask more than one question in one letter or on one post card. Ask as many questions as you like, but make each one a separate communication.

Removing Printing
Mrs. D. S. B. asks: "What is the easiest and most effective way to remove the printing on flour sacks and sugar bags, when making them into towels?"
The answer: "The ease with which printing may be removed from sacks depends upon the kind of material used in printing," according to Cornell bulletin E-356 on spot and stain removal. "Paint, dye and ink are frequently used, and of these printer's ink is the most difficult to remove."
"Rinse the sacks first in cold water, then rub any good laundry soap on the printing. Soak the sacks overnight in kerosene and in the morning wash them in heavy suds."
"If the printing still remains, boil the sacks in a lye solution made by dissolving one teaspoonful of lye in one gallon of water and straining the solution. Add the lye solution to plenty of water for boiling. Then rinse the sacks in vinegar water, using two tablespoons of vinegar per one gallon of water to neutralize the effect of the lye. Rinse the sacks three times in cold water."
The bulletin also suggests a method that will sometimes remove printer's ink.

Patching Concrete
R. N. writes: "The concrete foundation wall under my barn is badly cracked and has settled in places. Can I patch it now? How can it be kept from freezing?"
Professor B. B. Robb of the agricultural engineering department answers: "To patch the cracked wall, chip out the edges of the cracks with a hammer and pointed chisel so as to remove all loose material and to make room to crowd in new concrete."
"Set the old concrete wall, then fill the cracks with concrete made of one part cement to two parts sand. The addition of about half as much lime as cement will make it stick better."
"To keep it from freezing, use a quick-setting cement and add common salt and calcium chloride to the mixing water."
"I would not recommend, however, that concrete work be done on the farm during freezing weather, if it is possible to do it at another time. More failures result than good jobs. Contractors, it is true, set concrete in winter, but they are equipped to prevent it freezing."

A DISH FOR THE WEEK

Casserole dishes often save time, energy and fuel, and a dish such as Liver en Casserole with Rice is also tasty and nourishing.

Liver en Casserole with Rice
½ pound of liver, chopped
2 slices of bacon
1 cup of tomato sauce
¾ cup of cooked rice
1 tablespoon of butter
1 tablespoon of celery, chopped
¾ teaspoon of salt
1 tablespoon green pepper, chopped
1 onion, sliced
Pepper.
Mix all ingredients together, place strips of bacon on top and bake in a covered, greased casserole for one hour in the oven at about 300 degrees Fahrenheit. Remove the cover at the end of cooking time and allow the bacon to crisp.

Such a dish, says the New York State College of Home Economics, needs few accompaniments. For dinner, for example, it may be served with a head lettuce salad or carrot strips, bread and butter, milk for all, or at least for the children, and cherry cobbler baked in the oven the same time as the casserole dish.

PIANO TUNING

orders left with Mrs. H. D. Rogers or Mrs. Denzel Baker, Dyke Street, will receive prompt attention.

M. L. Fletcher
364 Senect St. North Hornell

A ship figurehead, believed to have adorned a sailing vessel of the ancient Norsemen, has been dug from the sand at Elizabeth City, N. C.

LITTLE BITS OF HUMOR

Tinny Tune
"You know that kettle song?"
"What do you mean, kettle song?"
"Home on the range."

Price of Valor
Telephone Operator: "It costs \$3 to talk to Chicago."
Subscriber: "Can't you make a special rate for listening? I want to call my wife."

Troubles of Her Own
The teacher of the rural school was having her troubles "and at length wrote to the mother:
"George is the brightest boy in my room, but he is also the most mischievous. What shall I do with him?"
Back came this answer: "Don't ask me what you should do with him—that's your business. I have my hands full trying to manage his father and two little brothers."

Living Bouquets
When I quit this mortal shore
And mosey 'round the earth no more
Don't weep, don't sigh, don't sob;
I may have struck a better job.
Don't go and buy a large bouquet
For which you'll find it hard to pay:
Don't hang around me feelin' blue—
I may be better off than you.
Don't tell the folks I was a saint,
Or any old thing that I ain't,
If you have jam like that to spread
Please hand it out before I'm dead.
If you have roses, bless your soul,
Just pin one in my buttonhole
While I'm alive and well today—
Don't wait until I've gone away!

Mistaken
Peeved Customer: "Hey, waiter! I've found a tack in this doughnut."
Waiter: "Why, the ambitious little thing—It must think it's a tire."

The Cause
According to the Watchman-Examiner, a jury brought in the following verdict: "We, the coroner's jury, find that the deceased came to his death, first, by being killed with a handspike; second, by being thrown overboard and drowned; third, he was washed ashore and laid to death."

Nets, swisses and organdies are the important cottons being featured for dance frocks this year.

BRIEF BUSINESS BRINGERS

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—20 ton baled hay.—
Inquire N. A. NELSON.

80 HORSES
On Monday, March 22nd, we received another carload of Horses. This makes over eighty head to pick from, ranging in weight from 1,200 to 2,000 pounds. Sixty head of these horses are acclimated and among them are several good mares. Also four cheap horses. A liberal discount for cash or will take in cattle.

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Altho harness prices have advanced substantially, we have about 30 sets of Heavy Double 1 1/2 inch Harness that we bought last fall and are selling out at the old prices. They won't last long and we won't be able to repeat this offer, so if you are going to need a harness this spring, you certainly can save money at these very special prices. A liberal discount for cash, too.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—R. Hardy farm, one-half mile north of Andover. Inquire of C. A. ROBINSON.

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