

Community Letters

FROM NEWS CORRESPONDENTS
All Correspondence Must Be in This Office Tuesday

Elm Valley

(Mrs. Charley Cole, Reporter)

Dec. 16.—The Community Club will hold a Christmas party in the school house on Friday evening of this week, Dec. 19. Supper at 7 o'clock until all are served. Please bring sandwiches and tureen. A cordial invitation is extended to all especially children.

M. C. Karnes was a business caller in Buffalo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Rockwell and son left last week to make their home in Minnesota.

Harold Wyckoff has moved his family from the Joseph Hemmer house to Petrolia.

George Wyckoff has moved from the Frank Mead tenant house into Joseph Hemmer's house.

Mrs. Sarah Burdick and son Richard left last Tuesday evening to visit their son and brother, Private Clifford Burdick in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Hazel Nye and son Lyle of Whitesville were callers at Charley Cole's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mead and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mead attended the Farm Bureau meeting in Belmont Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis McAndrew of Whitesville and Miss Laura Rice of Norfolk, Va., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McAndrew.

Vincent McAndrew visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lloyd Holtenick of Buffalo, Saturday and Sunday.

Voorhees Hill

(Mrs. Raymond Church, Reporter)

Dec. 17.—Hilda and Verna Jean Church entertained the Junior group of the Whitesville Youth's Temperance Council at their home Tuesday night.

Thelma Lewis spent the week-end at Brockport.

Mrs. Raymond Church was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bohne in Whitesville Tuesday.

Mrs. Jessie Lewis and family of Reville and Ralph Fantom of Fulmer Valley were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Abram Slocum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy VanSchaick spent Tuesday p. m. in Whitesville and Independence.



LOCAL BOYS IN UNCLE SAM'S SERVICE

- HENRY LEE ANTAN, U. S. S. Vulcan, c/o Postmaster, New York City
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- PVT. EARL MATISON, P. 812, Co. G, 8th Q.M. Tr. Reg., Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.
- PVT. LYNN MATISON, 41st Evacuation Hospital, Fort Bragg, N. C.
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- CORP. DANIEL REISMAN, Medical Detachment, Fort Ontario, Oswego, N. Y.
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- PVT. VICTOR W. YANNIE, 3rd P. O. T. C., Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Aberdeen, Maryland

Independence

(Mrs. Floyd Clarke, Reporter)

Dec. 10.—Mrs. Willis Jewett returned to Oklahoma Friday after passing a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bassett.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clarke and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke entertained Monday at a 6:30 dinner in honor of Miss Dolores Cook and Stephen Clarke.

Mrs. Cleon Clarke in company with Mr. and Mrs. Merle Mattison and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mattison attended a funeral in Elmira Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spicer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Spicer in Whitesville Thursday, in honor of Bobby Spicer's third birthday.

Master Jerry Clarke spent Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clarke, while his parents were shopping in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Rogers and two sons spent Sunday with Mrs. Bell Snyder in Belmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tassell were in Coudersport, Pa., Sunday, called there by the serious illness of his mother who passed away Monday morning.

Dec. 17.—The community is saddened to hear of the serious illness of Lyle Nye of Whitesville.

Mr. S. W. Clarke returned from Syracuse Saturday where he had been attending a meeting of Dairymen's League.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clarke were in Hornell Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spicer, Mrs. R. A. Clarke, Mrs. Cleon Clarke, Mrs. S. W. Clarke and Floyd Clarke attended the annual meeting of the Farm and Home Bureau in Belmont Thursday.

Sunday at 1 o'clock in the Seventh Day Baptist parsonage in Andover occurred the marriage of Miss Dolores Cook and Stephen Clarke. Miss Lena Smith of Whitesville and Francis Clarke of Coudersport were the only attendants. After the

ceremony, performed by Rev. W. L. Greene, the wedding party had lunch at the Coffee Shoppe in Alfred. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Clarke will be at home in the tenement house of S. W. Clarke which they have newly decorated and furnished.

Mrs. W. E. Densmore is ill with septic sore throat.

Dr. S. B. Scott was called to see D. D. Clarke Sunday who is ill. He is improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clarke of Whitesville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Rogers and two sons were guests of her sister in Whitesville Tuesday.

Sunday evening the church and the community will celebrate Christmas with a program and tree at the church.

Mr. John Lewis, Leo Lewis and Freddie Horn are ill with grippe.

Miss Edna Joyce returned from Buffalo Sunday where she has been spending a week with Mrs. Paul Vincent.

Whitesville

(Mrs. Ella Millsbaugh, Reporter)

Dec. 16.—Pvt. Loren Pritchard arrived home Monday for a ten-day furlough from Fort Landing, Fla.

Miss Alice Robbins has returned from Whitesville where she received treatment in Jones Memorial hospital several days.

Lee Millsbaugh and mother, Mrs. Ella Millsbaugh were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCracken of Whitesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Smith of Revville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith Sunday and attended services at the Methodist church.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. C. C. Folts Thursday for its regular meeting and Christmas party.

The Methodist Philathea Class held its annual bazaar and supper in the Methodist church parlors on Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Editor Glenn Robbins of the News and Miss Alice Robbins, Mrs. Anna Robbins and two daughters, Addie Marie and Ruth were in Ulisses, Pa. Saturday evening, attending the marriage of a relative, Miss Addie Chase of Ulisses to Marvin Wilson of Coudersport, Pa., at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chase.

Christmas exercises will be held at the Gospel chapel on Dec. 26th and at the Methodist church Wednesday evening, Dec. 24th. The Sunday School will hold their Christmas program and tree.

Marine Recruiting Sergeant To Be In Whitesville

Whitesville Veterans of Foreign Wars, 45 strong, themselves unable to take an active part with armed forces in the present war for Uncle Sam, are aiding the young men of the county in their efforts to enlist by bringing to Whitesville Tuesday, Dec. 23rd, a recruiting sergeant of the Marines.

According to Spencer Riley, head of the Whitesville group, young men enlisting now will not have to leave home until after the holiday season. Those with numbers in the Selective Service draft are eligible to enlistment if they can pass the required physical examination. All seeking enlistment should bring a birth certificate with them to avoid delays.

Mr. Riley says that enlistment with the Marines will have the advantage of service with a part of the United States forces which have a reputation for bravery and effectiveness and that service in any one of several branches of the Marines will be under seasoned officers.

To Start National Defense Book Campaign

Helena S. LeFevre, librarian of the David A. Howe public library has been asked by Frank L. Tolman, director of the Division of Adult Education and Library Extension, to serve as director of the local committee for the National and State Defense Book Campaign in this community.

While the real campaign is not scheduled to start until January 12, 1942, Miss LeFevre suggested that book owners look over their personal library collections with an eye to their possible contribution for the armed forces of the United States.

The first quota established for this section is six hundred selected volumes and the slogan for the campaign is "give books you would like to keep."

Study the New State Law

The principal penalty for non-compliance with provisions of the Motor Vehicle Safety-Responsibility Law is the suspension of driving and registration privileges, as explained in earlier articles of this series. These are forfeited until the offending operators or owners comply. If a person who has neither license nor registration becomes subject to the law as a result of an accident, he will be barred from driving or registering a car in this state. Other penalties include the following:

Failure to report an accident constitutes a misdemeanor and is ground for suspension or revocation of the driver's license or registration or both, of the person failing to make the required report.

Willful failure to return license, registration or plates following suspension constitutes a misdemeanor.

Driving while operating privileges or registration privileges are suspended because of failure to furnish proof of financial responsibility or knowingly permitting the operation of a motor vehicle, the registration of which has been suspended under the law, is punishable by imprisonment for not less than two days nor more than six months, in addition to a fine of not more than \$500.

Forging or without authority signing of future financial responsibility is punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000, imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or both.

Operation of a motor vehicle in this state by a non-resident whose New York State driving privileges have been withdrawn under this law, is punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000, imprisonment for not more than 30 days or both.

Violations of this law for which another penalty is not prescribed are punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90 days or by a fine of not less than \$100 or more than \$1,000, or both.

Practically all of the nearly 3,000,000 motor vehicles on the streets and highways of New York State will be affected by the new law. The only groups that are exempt are the following:

(1) Motor vehicles for which security is required under Section 17 of the Vehicle and Traffic Law, such

as taxicabs and other cars carrying passengers for hire;

(2) Motor vehicles subject to the supervision of the Public Service Commission or the Transit Commission of New York City, including those for which a certificate is required under Section 18 of the Vehicle and Traffic Law;

(3) Motor vehicles owned by the State or any of its political subdivisions.

The law will not apply to self-insurers. A self-insurer, within the meaning of the law, is a person having registered in his name in this state more than 25 motor vehicles, if such a person obtains from the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles a certificate of self-insurance. The Commissioner is authorized to issue a certificate of self-insurance, in his discretion, if he is reasonably satisfied the applicant is and will continue to be able to pay any judgment for damage. A certificate of self-insurance may be cancelled following notice and hearing.

The new law does not apply to any judgments or civil actions arising out of accidents occurring before Jan. 1, 1942.

If a motor vehicle involved in an accident is operated by an individual in possession of the car without the owner's expressed or implied consent, provisions of the law do not apply to the owner.

The purposes of the law cannot be evaded by bankruptcy. A discharge in bankruptcy following the rendering of a judgment does not relieve the judgment debtor from any of the requirements of the law.

Any person aggrieved by an order or act of the Commissioner under the Safety-Responsibility Law may have the order or act reviewed by the Supreme Court.

Farm and Home Bureaus and 4-H Clubs to Support War Program

The directors of the Allegany County Farm and Home Bureau and 4-H Club Association meeting last Thursday in Belmont, before the annual meeting sessions, adopted resolutions pledging the support of this farm organization in the program of increased production of milk, eggs and other food products, in a plan for better nutrition and health and conservation of all human and material resources, and in the program for the defense of this nation by an all-out war effort.

Meeting in separate sessions during the forenoon to hear reports of agents and committees, over 350 members joined together at noon for a pancake and sausage dinner served by Farm Bureau committees. The joint meeting was held in the afternoon with Francis M. Alvord, presiding.

The principal speaker was Erwin H. Forbush, secretary of the production Credit Corporation, Springfield, Mass. He urged the co-operation of farm people in solving their own problems and making individual effort of more value in the defense program. He proposed that each individual keep himself physically and mentally fit, buy defense bonds and stamps, and do his part in the increased production of food.

The Alfred University Women's Glee Club, directed by R. W. Wingate, furnished music and entertainment at the meeting. Leland Kreidler of the town of Burns, was elected president of the association for 1942. He succeeds F. M. Alvord of Friendship, who declined re-election.

Other directors elected were James Young, Angelica; Milton Sisson, Almond; and H. L. Hodnett, Fillmore, to the Farm Bureau; Mrs. Nora Hess, Canaseraga; Mrs. Lena Francisco, Belmont; and Mrs. Paul Regan, Whitesville to the Home Bureau; Mrs. Milo Pitt, Allen; Mrs. Lester Rees, Fillmore and William Garwood, Canaseraga, to the 4-H.

More than 2,600 employees of the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, now in military and naval service are receiving compensation from the company at the rate of \$700,000 a year in addition to their regular government pay, John A. Hartford, president, reported recently. The military compensation plan provides A & P employees in service with 20 per cent of their annual salary in equal monthly installments.

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The chief salesman of a certain business firm had a very loud voice. One morning when the manager arrived at the office he heard a terrible noise coming from the salesman's office.

"Who is that shouting," asked the manager.

"That's Mr. Hill talking to Chicago," replied the secretary.

"Well, tell him to use the telephone."

Lingual Limerick
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