

Local Happenings

Regular meeting Edward Seaman Relief Corps Saturday night.

Andover had another "trial black-out" as far as street lights were concerned Wednesday evening.

A spudding rope, valued at \$200 was stolen last week from the L. N. Shaner drilling company of Bolivar.

The Allegany Garden Club will meet at Scio April 8. Topic, "Roadside Salad" by Mrs. T. C. Major and "New Garden Books" by Miss Mary Close.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Slocum are moving this week from the Joyce house on West Greenwood street to the farm home of John Wahl, where Mr. Slocum will assist with the farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Dunham and family have moved from the Bridge house on Barney street into the third floor apartment in the Atwood apartment house on West Greenwood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wickwire of Belmont have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Bernice Ruth to Sam A. Hess of Buffalo. No date is set for the wedding.

Fire originating from sparks from the chimney, burned the roof and rafters of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rogers of Scio Saturday afternoon. The home was also badly damaged from smoke and water.

The members of Thomas M. Lynch Auxiliary unit will hold their regular meeting Tuesday, April 7. A 1 o'clock luncheon will be held at Legion hall, Mrs. Julia Joyce and Mrs. Genevieve Backus hostesses.

Miss Betty Jo Ludden, freshman in the Liberal Arts College, is among those placed on the Dean's list issued this week. In order to be mentioned on this list, students must have an average grade of "B" or better for the work of the previous semester.

Regular Masonic lodge Monday night proved an enjoyable occasion. After the meeting the Friendship lodge members put on a fine program, entertainment and general social time, followed by a fine supper. Members of the Hornell lodge were also present. There was a fine attendance.

A party of relatives and friends gave Mrs. A. L. Jones a surprise visit on her birthday at her home Monday. A social time and singing comprised the afternoon's entertainment, climaxed with a tureen luncheon furnished by the company. Mrs. Jones received many useful gifts, cards and well wishes for the future.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Caple Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Clara Hann was hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hulda Brown, Mrs. Elmer Bixby and Mrs. H. W. Boyd. After the usual business meeting a program was carried out and refreshments served by the hostess and her assistants.

The rite of baptism was administered to three infants at the Methodist church Sunday.

The regular meeting of Allegany County American Legion and Auxiliary will be held at Andover Thursday evening, April 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hoagland entertained at supper Sunday night in honor of the birthday of his brother, Victor Hoagland.

Relatives of Miss Sylvia J. Hardy of Sydenham hospital, New York City received word Sunday that she was very ill with pneumonia.

Miss Lois Ruger entertained 12 girl friends in celebration of her eighth birthday Friday. An afternoon of games was followed by refreshments. The little hostess was presented many gifts.

We are sorry to report that a card from Fred Potter who was called to Corning last week because of the illness of his son-in-law, states that Mr. Randall's condition does not improve as rapidly as friends wish.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Clyde Ehret of North Loop, Neb., have announced the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Ogareta Lucille to George Edward Potter of Alfred, to be held Saturday afternoon, April 4th at the First Alfred church.

Robert Rork, 31, a popular Allegany county sport fan was instantly killed when he came in contact with a 2,400-volt power line in Fillmore Friday afternoon. Mr. Rork was a first class lineman for the Rochester Gas & Electric company.

Merle T. Soules of Little Genesee is in Belmont jail awaiting Grand Jury on a forged check charge. The check in question Soules presented to a Bolivar bank and he was placed under arrest. This is the third mix-up he has had with the law.

Drilling contractors of the Bradford and Allegany fields met in Bradford last Friday and organized the "Appalachian Drilling Contractors Association." The new association expects to be of great assistance in ironing out various disputes in the oil fields and thereby assist in the increased oil production program.

A celebration was held March 24 at the Methodist church in Westfield, Pa., honoring the 100th birthday of J. E. Harry of that place. Mr. Harry is a veteran of the Civil War. About 150 attended the supper and nearly 400 the program which followed. The American Legion and Boy Scouts were active on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rogers, Mrs. Ina Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Denzel Baker attended a family gathering held at the home of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Melvina Robbins of North Bingham, Thursday night, March 26th, where a surprise visit was paid Mrs. Robbins on her 80th birthday. Mrs. Robbins received many lovely gifts, cards and two birthday cakes in her honor.

Father Dies Unexpectedly At Friendship

Andover friends sympathize this week with Geil Reynolds in the loss of his father, Grant C. Reynolds, of Friendship, who died unexpectedly Thursday afternoon, March 26 from a heart attack while at work pressing hay on the farm of Chas. Reed. Grant Califax Reynolds was born at Friendship Aug. 6, 1868, a son of Joseph and Margaret Witter Reynolds, and had resided on the Reynolds homestead all his life until three years ago when he moved to Friendship village.

December 22, 1897, he was united in marriage with Lettie Mae Robbins, who passed from life August 16, 1938.

Surviving are three children, Mrs. Reba Martin, Bloomfield, N. Y., Mrs. W. Ray Buell, East Aurora, N. Y., and Geil Reynolds of Andover.

He was a member of the First Baptist church of Friendship.

Services were held at the home Saturday afternoon at 2:30, the Rev. Martz Snyder officiating with interment in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Participates in Concert At Ithaca

Eleanor Northrup, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Northrup, participated in a concert at Ithaca College Saturday evening, with the 204 students in the music department in presenting Giuseppe Verdi's "Requiem." Dr. Victor L. F. Rebmann, director of the music department, conducted the orchestra and chorus.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Northrup attended the concert.

Important Meeting of And-Well Producers, Inc.

An important meeting of the And-Well Producers, Co-operative, Inc., will be held at the C. L. Lynch store in Andover on Tuesday evening, April 7th at 8 o'clock, War Time. Speakers will be present to explain the New Amendments and the CIO activity.

Refreshments will be served. H. W. JACKSON, Secy.

DEFENSE COMMITTEES

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man, Ronald Hoagland, Delmont VanOxx, Howard McAndrew, Fay Wheaton.

Robert Shirey, Curtis Burdick, Jack Rosintoski, Richard Appier, Denzel Baker, Clyde Shellman, Ernest Witter.

Road Repair
Fay E. Boyd and crew, Earl C. Howland and crew, Robert E. Dean and crew.

Drivers with cars
K. D. Bostwick, E. C. Langworthy, Ernest Higby, William Traster.

Messengers
Carl Fribolin, Scoutmaster in charge.

All Boy Scouts.

With the new appointments made necessary to meet the requirements of the Civilian Defense Council, all previous appointments made for the village of Andover will be cancelled and those only on the new setup will be called upon to operate.

WANDERING WITH WILLIE

"OUR only friend" Corp. "Cabe" arose from the dead this week to bombard us in another endeavor to shut us up, but no dice. We have now gotten so used to Cabe giving us his unbiased and unsolicited opinion that our nerves are now like whipcord and the missiles coming in our direction from his vitrol-dipped pen just bounce—yes Cabe, we are now what is termed "hardened" to any feelings whatsoever.

But not having heard from you so long we did have a little idea that your Uncle Samuel was running low on food after you ate out Camp Stewart and forcing them to move you to Camp Edwards that by now the grub in the Edwards section was running low and they had been finally forced to send you to Australia where the birds (those little ostriches) grew a drum-stick large enough to give you a decent bite.

We are glad however, that you are still able to write and have decided to forgive us for past efforts to give the public a general idea of your capacities.—Willie.

The letter follows (bless him):
Camp Edwards, Mass.
3-29-42.

Dear Willie:

After several weeks debating whether I should write you or not, I decided I would and here I am.

Willie, after all those unkind things you told about me some time ago, I don't know what to think of you. You very nearly stabbed me in the back, so therefore I think you are in the same class as a Jap. At present they are about as popular as a flock of hens in a seed-bed, so you see where "that puts" you. When I saw what you wrote about me I was as mad as a cat in when he finds the ground frozen, and that's what I call getting mad.

But time heals all wounds so I decided to forgive you. I realize that in your case when the Lord dealt out the brains there was a mis-deal. It's too bad your head is not made of glass—it would certainly come in handy as a vacuum bottle.

For the past month or so I haven't seen a thing in the paper about you. Are you just plain lazy or did you swear off brow-beating people during Lent?

I suppose you are anxious to know what is going on in the Army here, and how I'm helping win the war, so I'll try to enlighten you a bit.

I've come to the conclusion that if Congress ever gives me a medal it will be for sitting down. Yep, Willie, that's the truth and here's why:

I get up in the morning and sit down to eat. When the barracks is cleaned I set down until 8 a. m.

From then 'till 9:30 we drill and have exercises commonly called Butts Manual. From 9:30 till 11:30 I sit in a classroom trying to soak up some mathematics for gunnery problems. Again I sit down for dinner and on my bunk till 1.

Then comes bayonet practice for an hour. That's a sticker used to chop fire wood, open bean cans and Japs with. From 2 to 4:30 p. m., I sit in another class on fire control or map reading. Then comes supper in the same position.

After supper I sit on the bunk and write or else go to a show and you can't see them laying down.

This ought to give you an idea how I'm winning the war, Willie, and I'll bet the back of my lap will be doggone glad when I'm dead so it will get a rest.

I hope this finds you in good health with nothing less than leprosy. Your only friend—F.E.C.

P.S.—Don't make a pig of yourself eating hams on Easter.

Rod and Gun Club Holds Annual Meeting

George Sackett was elected president of Andover Rod and Gun Club for the ensuing year at the annual meeting of the club held in Andover Grange hall Friday evening.

Other officers elected were: Victor Hoagland, vice president. C. C. Backus, treasurer. Clayton Burger, trustee for three years.

R. E. Shaff, secretary, was elected last year for a term of three years and therefore holds over.

Undersheriff Raymond Dare was present and took fingerprints and issued Auxiliary Police cards to the ten members of the Andover Club who had been selected as auxiliary police. Each Rod and Gun Club in the county has been requested to furnish ten men for auxiliary police duty in connection with the county Civilian Defense setup.

Motion pictures of local interest shown by Dr. J. Robert Common, listening to the Louis-Symonds fight and refreshments completed" the evening.

Home Bureau News

The Andover Home Bureau will meet in the Village Hall Friday, April 10 at 10:30 a. m. for the second lesson in "Furniture Refinishing." Mrs. E. V. Greene leader.

Tureen dinner at noon; bring a dish to pass; buttered rolls will be furnished.

Tuesday, April 14, at 10:30 a. m., the first lesson in "Reconditioning of Furniture" will be given by Mrs. Clarke of Otto, at the Village hall. Anyone interested in this project is urged to attend.

Friday, March 27 those interested in the "Clothes Closet" project met at the home of Mrs. Lang at 1:30 p. m., to observe her plans for closet improvement; at 3 o'clock we adjourned to the new home of Mrs. Carlton Greene, to help her in her closet planning. Tea and delicious cookies were served by Mrs. E. V. Greene as a pleasant surprise. Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Greene are making a very attractive home out of the old Railroad Valley schoolhouse.

Dates Claimed

April 14.—Father and Son Banquet, Methodist church.

Fill Your Easter Food Basket

With Fine Foods from Your Market Basket Store!

GOLDEN GRAIN FRESH CREAMERY

Butter lb. roll **36c**

- Ivory Soap . . . 2 Large Bars 19c
- Zion Fig Bars . . . 2 Lb. Pkg. 27c
- Big Bet Bread . . . 2 Loaves 17c
- Sweet Peas . . . No. 2 15c
- Bluebird Tomatoes No. 2 15c
- Salad Dressing . . . Quart 32c
- Toilet Soap . . . 4 Bars 20c
- Corn Meal . . . 5 Lb. 21c
- Tomato Juice . . . 46 Oz. 19c
- Golden Ban. Corn 2 No. 2 29c
- Fels Naptha Soap 4 Bars 19c
- Prunes, 70-80's . . 3 Lb. 25c

Beans 4 lbs. 25c

Fruits and Vegetables

Tomatoes
Fancy Firm Ripen lb. **17c**

Southern Green Onions . . . 2 Bunches 9c

Fresh Crisp Radishes . . . 2 Bunches 9c

Crisp Eating Lettuce . . . Large Head 9c

Blue Goose Lemons . . . Doz. 25c

Fla. Val. Oranges . . . Doz. 29c

- Quality Meats at Lowest Prices -

- Armour's Pre-cooked, Wilson and Arpeako **EASTER HAM** lb. **35c**
- Tenderized - Whole or Shank Half
- Smoked Callas, tenderized . . . lb. 29c
- Sliced, Sweet and Tender, Rindless **Breakfast Bacon** lb. 33c
- Home-made **Pure Pork Sausage** lb. 27c
- Meaty Spare Ribs** lb. 19c
- Plate Boiling Beef** lb. 17c
- Breast of Veal, for stewing** . . . lb. 19c
- Lean Meaty Pork Roast** lb. 27c

Baker's Hardware News

SEEDS!

Many articles in the newspapers during recent weeks have been advising of the shortage of Garden Seeds for the Spring Planting. Our usual supply of seeds were ordered last July and we have just received the shipment. We are pleased to state that we received every pound of each kind of Seed that we ordered and are now ready to supply your needs in the same manner as we have in former years.

The newspapers also advise persons to beware of door-to-door seed salesmen, as their seeds may be of inferior quality. We therefore urge you to look for the quality and the germination on the package of any seeds before you buy!

We also have our usual supply of TIMOTHY and CLOVER SEEDS on hand at prices under today's prices.

PLACE YOUR ORDER FOR ALL SEED EARLY!

Arling R. Baker - Andover, N. Y.

Few newspaper offices have "office hours" where subscription payments are concerned.

JOHN F. O'RYAN, Director, Civilian Defense

Notice of Public Hearing

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to a Resolution of the Village Board of the Village of Andover, Allegany County, New York, acting upon a petition of S. GEORGE SACKETT and KENNETH D. BOSTWICK, both of Andover, New York, a public hearing will be held at the Village Hall in the Village of Andover, Allegany County, New York, at 7:30 p. m., on the 6th day of April, 1942, to consider a petition on request of the said S. GEORGE SACKETT and KENNETH D. BOSTWICK for a consent, permission and franchise from the said Village of Andover to operate omnibuses for passenger hire in and on the streets, highways and public places of such village.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1942.

VILLAGE BOARD, Village of Andover

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