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Andover National Bank

ANDOVER, N. Y.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

April 4th, 1942

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Cash on hand and due from Banks	$222,007.12	Capital Stock	$100,000.00
Government and Municipal Securities	140,252.61	Surplus	31,750.00
Municipal Loans	30,376.41	Undivided Profits	16,458.04
F. H. A. Mortgages	25,742.42	Reserves	6,385.76
Other Bonds	55,589.26	DEPOSITS	630,787.11
Loans and Discounts	295,953.85		
Banking House and Fixtures	5,300.00		
Real Estate sold on contract	7,339.90		
Other Real Estate owned	2,425.80		
Other Assets	393.54		
	$785,380.91		$785,380.91

DIRECTORS

John E. Cannon, A. D. Fuller, Erwin D. Baker, Jesse S. Phillips, Henry Horan, Frank W. Burrows, Samuel B. Crandall, J. L. Williams

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Personals

—Kenneth Alvord and Mrs. J. D. Cheesman were Elmira visitors, Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Noble were guests over the week-end of relatives in Bradford, Pa.

—Ellis Horsfall visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gee at Canaadea, Sunday.

—Earl Bassett of Lockport was a Saturday night and Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bassett.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bixby and family of Towanda, Pa., passed the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bixby.

—Miss Ruth Robinson of South Orange, N. J., is passing her spring vaacition with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Robinson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Seamon of Elmira Heights were Sunday guests of their daughter and husband Prin. and Mrs. Glenn E. Bretsch.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dickinson of Skaneateles were guests over the week-end at the home of their daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Common.

—Miss Myra Oakes and Louis Oakes of Hornell were guests at the home of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Prest and other relatives Sunday.

—Supt. and Mrs. W. G. Pope and daughter Elaine spent the day Sunday with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilkins of Bolivar.

—Mrs. Edna Wertz returned home Wednesday from Jamestown where she has been at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hultquist for some time.

—Mrs. Mary Proper of East Aurora, Mrs. Ray Spaulding and Mrs. Harold Spaulding of Hornell were callers Tuesday of Mrs. Guy Hulin and Miss Minnie Clair.

—Miss Ida Mae Howland arrived from Holyoke, Mass., Sunday and after passing this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howland will take a position in Syracuse.

—Miss Mary Lynch of the Buffalo General hospital was home Monday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lynch taking her back to Buffalo Tuesday.

—Charles B. Caple went to Buffalo Tuesday where he has a position with the General Motors Corp. of that city. Mrs. Caple and son will remain in Andover for the present.

—Miss Anna Yannie of Herkimer was an overnight guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Yannie. She came especially to see her brother, Sergt. Victor Yannie who was home for a few days.

—Lieut. Edward Brewster of the airfield at Albany, Ga., returned Wednesday after a furlough passed with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brewster of Greenwood Hill. He has completed his course and won his wings.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Andrus and Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Clemons of Franklinville were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Andrus' parents Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howland. John Howland of Painted Post also spent from Friday until Monday with his parents.

—John J. Oakes of Niagara Falls passed the week-end with his family in Andover.

—Mrs. Adelaide Mead is passing this week in Bradford, Pa., with her sister, Mrs. Bernice Cooper.

—Mrs. Erma Goodnoe of Canaseraga was a caller Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Menzo Burdick.

—Mrs. Wm. Nelson of Binghamton spent Thursday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Updyke.

—Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hyland and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hyland were in Belmont Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hunt.

—Mrs. Florence Earley is passing this week in Uniontown, Pa., with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sheppard.

—Mrs. Bessie Horton visited her mother, Mrs. T. J. Kibbe and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kibbe at Harrison Valley Sunday.

—Mrs. Lillian Sutton returned Saturday from Alfred where she passed two weeks with her son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Willard Sutton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith and guest, Mrs. Frances Griswold of Forest Hill, L. I., were dinner guests of Prof. and Mrs. O. H. Simpson of Alfred Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perry and son Robert, W. A. Youmans and daughters Inez and Edna motored to Alfred Sunday leaving Robert at the college where he is taking the radio technician's course.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bartlett and daughter Lena of Elmira were callers Sunday of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. David Slocum. Lawrence Sales of Wellsville was also a caller of Mr. and Mrs. David Slocum Sunday.

—Those who attended the sub-district meeting of the Dairymen's League held at Scio Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mead, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Northrup, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spicer, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mead and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burdick and family.

—Mrs. Alyse Monte and Mrs. Frank McKibben spent the week-end in Cortland.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Snyder were in Buffalo Saturday where Mr. Snyder attended a banker's meeting.

—Sergeant Victor Yannie returned Monday to Fort Bragg, Ga., after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Yannie.

—Mrs. Oliver Kemp and son Richard were guests from Tuesday until Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilkins of Bolivar.

—Mrs. Otto Nye accompanied Mr. Nye on his trip and called on her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett at Addison Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Higby were business visitors in Rochester Monday and on their return called on her mother, Mrs. H. C. Burgett at Perry.

—Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Barney and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wilcox of Hornell were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Greene of Railroad Valley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Boyle of Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. James Boyle and granddaughters, Marion and Marjory Baker of Belfast were guests of Miss Nora McAndrew Saturday.

—W. D. Hunter and John Quigg motored to Detroit, Mich., on business for Mr. Hunter last week. On their return Mr. Quigg stopped to see his two sisters and brother, Mrs. Mary Walsh, Miss Rose Quigg and Frank Quigg at Canaut, Ohio.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Siedel of Waverly and Mrs. A. D. Randall of Corning were dinner guests of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Potter Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mulconery of Niagara Falls were also callers of Mr. and Mrs. Potter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tracy and daughter Beverly of Scio were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tracy Wednesday evening, celebrating his birthday by all having supper at the Presbyterian church and passing the evening with relatives at Alfred Station.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bloss and son Kenneth of Canisteo were callers Friday night at the Nobles home in Shovel Hollow.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruger of Bath were guests over the week-end at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Burr Ruger.

—Mrs. Francis Griswold of Forest Hill, L. I., and Mrs. Harry Smith were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams Thursday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson of Dundee Sunday and on their return called on her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Swanson at Hornell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Baker and daughter Janet of Wellsville attended a family dinner Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Baker in honor of the wedding anniversary of his parents.

—Mrs. James Lynch is spending several days in Buffalo, guest of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Dower. Miss Irene Lynch of Buffalo will return with her for a short vacation, after undergoing a tonsilectomy Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cochrane and Mrs. Louise Corwin of Friendship were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullard. Clarence Cochrane of Wellsville was a Sunday caller at the Bullard home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Vickers entertained her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Woolever of Hornell Sunday at dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Vickers, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Goodridge and Mr. and Mrs. Woolever all motored to Olean that day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Page of Coudersport, Pa., and Mrs. Orpha Shrey of Roulette, Pa., were callers Sunday at the home of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Honegger. Mr. and Mrs. Honegger and daughter Lois accompanied them to Hornell where they were dinner guests of their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Becker.

—Mrs. Alice Baker played for a banquet in the Canaseraga High School Tuesday night.

—Mrs. Howard Pease and Mrs. Barnes of Wellsville were Friday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burrel Williams.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nobles and daughter, Patricia Ann of Elmira visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nobles at Shovel Hollow Saturday.

—Miss Ernestine Smith of Olean was a Sunday afternoon guest of Miss Bernice Williams.

—Mrs. Clarence Stearns and family visited Mr. Stearns at Sayre, Pa., the first of the week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nobles and Miss Alice Nobles were callers Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Conners at Watrus.

(Personals Continued on Page 5)

Andover Theatre
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CLAIR'S PHARMACY

Church Services

PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday services as usual. Rev. VanHorn will preach.

BAPTIST

Rev. Lloyd L. Tebo, Pastor

Thursday evening, 7:30, mid-week prayer and Bible study.

Sunday morning, worship, 10:30, followed by communion and receiving of new members.

Sunday School, 11:45.

Christian Endeavor, 6:30. Myrlan Phillipson, leader.

Evening service, 7:30. Everybody welcome.

SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST

Rev. Walter L. Greene, Pastor

Sabbath services at 2:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Road I Know."

Bible School at 3:30 p. m. Clifford Burdick, supt.

Independence

Morning worship and sermon by the pastor at 11.

Sabbath School at the close of the morning service. Mrs. Grace Spicer supt.

"What advance in Christian living have you determined to make?" "What is first among the many good things?

METHODIST

Rev. Helena L. Champlin, Pastor

Thursday, April 30, One Day Advance Convention of the United Christian Education Advance, at First Methodist church, Canandaigua, N. Y.

Saturday, May 2, second annual Young Adult Conference, at Salem Evangelical and Reformed Church, Rochester.

Sunday, May 3, beginning of "Christian Family Week."

10:30 a. m., morning worship.

11:45, Sunday School.

7:30, Evening service.

Reading of the Apocrypha; song-fest.

No church family night this week, because it was combined with the annual meeting last Tuesday, April 28th.

We are now on the last lap of the conference year, which closes about the last of May. Genesee Conference has now been made a Spring conference. Its annual session will be held beginning June 11, at Asbury-Delaware Methodist church in Buffalo.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Mr. Clarence Seguine, Pastor

Thursday, April 30th, 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Walton.

Friday, May 1st, 7:30 p. m., Young People's service. Speaker, Miss Janice Walton. Subject "Jonathan Edwards, the Great New England Divine."

Sunday services:

2 p. m. Sunday School. All welcome.

3 p. m., Communion service. The pastor will serve communion. Subject, "The Danger of Partaking Unworthily."

7 p. m., Prayer meeting in back room of the church before main service.

7:30 p. m., Evangelistic service. Special speaker, Rev. R. B. Cramer, a retired preacher of Whitesville.

Weekly Day for Prayer, Wednesday, May 6, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Chase—10 a. m. to 12 noon; 2 to 4 p. m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

SUNDAY: THE DAY OF ACCLAIM

International Sunday School Lesson for May 3, 1942

Golden Text: "Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord."

Lesson Text: Mark 11:1-11; Luke 19:41-44.

We are beginning the study of the final events in the life of Jesus, which took place in Jerusalem during the Passion Week. Last week we witnessed Jesus and he disciples on their journey to Jerusalem, and considered his conversations along the way. In Jericho, Bartimaeus, the blind beggar, restored his sight thru faith in Christ. Zacchaeus, the chief publican, was honored by a visit to his home, resulting in his salvation thru repentance and restoration. At Bethany Mary anointed Jesus with costly ointment, arousing the resentment of Judas, the treasurer.

Close to Jerusalem, Jesus sent two of his disciples to secure a colt and bring it back to him for his entry into the City. Many think Peter and John were the two disciples who attended to this detail. They were instructed to reply to any who questioned their act, "the Lord hath need of him." Following the directions received, these disciples found that this statement smoothed away all objection and they carried the colt to the Master.

There are many professing followers of Jesus today who have not yet learned the meaning of submitting their own property and resources to the advancement of his cause. In a countless number of ways, demands are made for support of his purposes today and many are refused thru selfishness or indifference.

Jesus, riding the colt and followed by a vast throng of pilgrims, moved towards Jerusalem, only to be met by another crowd which came out from the city to see him. These latter turned about, forming the advance of the triumphant crowd, which attended his enthusiastic entry into the city. He was greeted with fervor. Garments and branches were spread before his pathway. For these few hours Jesus enjoyed the approbation and acclaim of the multitude and his disciples shared in the reflected glory.

The procession was somewhat different from what many had expected, as can be understood from a selection in Lew Wallace's great book, "Ben Hur." "I beheld the procession descend the mountain bringing him," said the Egyptian to Ben Hur. "I heard them singing. They were beautiful with palms in motion. I looked everywhere among them for a figure with a promise of royalty—a horseman in purple, a chariot with a driver in shining brass, a stately warrior behind an orbed shield, rivaling his spear in stature. I looked for his guard. It would have been pleasant to have seen a prince of Jerusalem and a cohort of the legions of Galilee. Instead of a Caesar helmeted and sworded, I saw a Man, riding an ass' colt."

The Jerusalem crowd expected momentous events to follow the arrival of the Messiah. They wanted a Messiah cast in the mold of their own desires and expectations. When this failed to materialize the fickle multitude became apathetic and some hostile.

The ovation which greeted his coming was not the prelude to a proclamation of his temporal rulership, nor did it signalize the time of some gigantic miracle. The crowd discovered without understanding that the Kingdom of God was not of this world. When nightfall came Jesus went back to Bethany with his disciples; his hour of popular glory had come and gone.

As we study during the next few weeks the stirring events of this far off week, we should not detach it from our present everyday living. As the Jerusalem multitude abandoned Jesus because it did not fully grasp his truth, so we may be in danger of losing our acceptance of him in a maze of surrounding dogmas and doctrines which obscure his divine purpose and his revealed mission.

May we not in our loyalty to him be as insincere and superficial as were these people who enthusiastically acclaimed him as their king, only to reject him within the week? Do we carry our loyalty into every activity of our lives? As far as the individual is concerned, the fate of Jesus in Jerusalem nineteen centuries ago is not so vital as his acceptance or rejection by each heart in this modern day.

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ANDOVER NEWS

10% OF INCOME IS OUR QUOTA IN WAR BONDS

A PROGRESSIVE FAMILY NEWSPAPER FOR ALLEGANY COUNTY PEOPLE — IN POLITICS INDEPENDENT BUT NEVER NEUTRAL.

VOL. 57, NO. 19. ANDOVER, N. Y., FOR THE WEEK ENDING THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1942. $2.00 Year; 5c Copy

Will Hold County Wide Blackout Friday Night

Test Ordered in Allegany County From 10 to 10:30 Tomorrow Night

All Lights Must Be Entinguished When Alarm Sounds; Traffic Stopped; All Rules Observed.

This Friday night, May 8, Allegany county is scheduled to hold its first county-wide black-out from 10 to 10:30, when all lights will be extinguished, traffic stopped and the regular routine of black-out protection carried out.

All persons who have been appointed for special duty should be at their respective posts and others should be OFF THE STREETS.

The local Civilian Defense Council has issued a list of the most common instances of failure to observe the black-out rules as taken from the reports of former black-outs, and these points are published below to call your attention to them in an effort to avoid their occurrence here:

1—Lights in buildings with no one in attendance.

2—Fires in open fireplaces, unshielded from visibility outside. —Caution: Such fires should be made in refuge rooms only.

3—Reflection from oil burners.

4—Lights shining from skylights.

5—Night lights in stores and offices unattended and without outside switches.

6—Advertising signs unattended.

7—Attic and cellar lights forgotten by responsible persons.

8—Radio dial and tube lights unshielded from visibility outside.

9—Lights caused by glow of lighted cigars and cigarettes.

10—Lighting of matches.

11—Peering from partially drawn curtains of windows and doorways of lighted rooms.

12—Illuminated public clocks.

13—Grass fires and outside incinerators.

14—Improper and careless parking of warden and police cars. —Caution: Care should be exercised to insure the least inconvenience to movement of other authorized vehicles.

15—Undue severity and arbitrary action on the part of wardens in the discharge of their duties.

16—Insufficient information possessed by wardens as to exact location of shelter. —Caution: Wardens should be able to give accurate information to persons seeking shelter.

17—Improper use of flashlights.

18—Unauthorized persons sitting in parked cars.

19—Unauthorized persons standing on streets.

20—Children playing in streets.

21—Unfriendly dogs, preventing proper discharge of warden's duty. Caution: Such dogs should be properly confined.

22—Cars parked and locked with lights on. Parked cars with tail lights on.

Again we wish to call attention to resident to NOT USE YOUR PHONE unless it is absolutely necessary in case of emergency, so that operators may be permitted to do their job with the least possible interruption.

Annual Mother and Daughter Banquet Next Tuesday

The annual Mother's and Daughter's banquet, sponsored by the King's Daughters of the Presbyterian church will be held next Tuesday evening, May 12 at 6:30 o'clock under the direction of the following committees:

Dinner committee: Mrs. R. O. Snyder, Mrs. John Cannon, Mrs. John Oakes, Mrs. Jack Rosentoski, Mrs. Claire Backus and Mrs. Carl Tracy.

Dining room: Mrs. Guy Harder, Mrs. Frank Holmes.

Entertainment: Mrs. Oliver Kemp, Mrs. Arling Baker, Mrs. T. R. Bassett.

Reception: Mrs. W. S. Calhoun, Mrs. Arling Baker, Mrs. George Beebe.

Decorations: Mrs. Richard Harder.

The entertainment will begin promptly at 6:30 and will consist of musical selections of various types, featuring mothers and daughters in both vocal and instrumental music.

At the close of the banquet a toast will be given to the mothers, also one to the daughters followed by a vocal trio.

Those planning to attend the banquet are urged to be at the church promptly at 6:30.

Tickets may be obtained at the Fohing store, Bostwick store and Baker's hardware. Please make early reservations.

County to Send Three to Girls' State

At the regular meeting of the Allegany County American Legion and Auxiliary held at Whitesville Wednesday evening, the Auxiliary voted to send three junior girls from the county as delegates to the Girls' State, which is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, Department of New York.

Those attending from Andover were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burgett, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Temple, Mrs. John Joyce, Miss Reta Stearns, Mrs. C. C. Backus and John Dolan.

Whenever somebody tells you something "for your own good"—forget it.

News Briefs On Local Boys In U. S. Service

Andover friends have received word of the promotion of "Bill" Dougherty to Corporal. Corporal Dougherty is attached to Co. K, 169th Infantry at Camp Shelby, Mississippi. Congratulations "Bill."

The new address of Corp. Francis E. Cable is:

CORP. FRANCIS E. CABLE,
Battery B., 422nd Sep. B., AA,
A.P.O., No. 863, U. S. Army.

Clifford Bixby has been transferred recently, his new address now being:

PVT. CLIFFORD BIXBY,
R. C. M., Co. 66th Armd. Regt.,
2nd Armored Division,
Ft. Benning, Ga.

Private Floyd Neupert has been transferred to the Parachute Batalion recently. His present address is:

PVT. FLOYD P. NEUPERT,
H. Q., 501 Ft. Parachute Bn.,
Fort Kobbe, Canal Zone.

The address of John L. Cannon recent enlistee in the Army Air Corps is:

A. C. JOHN L. CANNON,
A. C. C. C.,
Group 11, Squadron C,
Maxwell Field,
Montgomery, Alabama.

(Johnny says the Army boys have not as yet let him get within 50 feet of a plane.)

We note the promotion of Private Bruce Baker to Private First Class. Congratulations.

County Can House 13,000 Evacuees

Allegany county homes have suitable housing for 13,000 evacuees from coastal or other industrial areas, according to a summary recently completed and released last week by the county Home Bureau who had charge of the housing program.

In making the survey, information was secured from 9,177 housing units in the county. In Andover 523 homes made out the housing cards.

Mother's Day
Sunday, May 10th

May Tire Quota Received By Local Board

The quota for the Andover Tire Rationing Board has been received for the month of May and is as follows:

Passenger cars and light trucks: 1 tire, 2 tubes, 7 retreads.

Heavy trucks and buses: 5 tires, 7 tubes, 6 retreads.

During the month of April the following applications were approved and the individuals granted tires:

Carl Childs, 1 tire for use on car for milk inspector; John Wahl, 1 tube for farm truck; Frank Holmes, 2 truck type tires and tubes for tractor; Victor Hoagland, 1 truck type tire and tube for public utility truck.

The following individuals were granted tires for an obsolete size:

Geil Reynolds, 2 tires for defense work; John K. Boyer, 1 tire, 1 tube, oil worker; John Guinn, 2 tires for farm truck.

One retread certificate was issued to Howard E. McAndrew for use on a defense car.

Notice to Public

It has come to the attention of the Village Board that loiterers in the Post Office are damaging the building. It is a matter of accommodation to the Public that the post office is kept open from 6 p. m. to 8 p. m., and on Sundays, at which time there is no police officer on the streets.

If loiterers continue to gather at the Post Office after 6 p. m., or on Sunday, the outer doors will be closed.

VILLAGE BOARD

May 4, 1942.

Modern warfare requires the "mostest" material as well as men.

Strange Antics Played By Freak Storm Sunday

The freak storm that visited these parts about midnight Sunday night performed queer antics.

In the town of Alma a freak twister struck about 12:30, roaring over an area of about 100 acres and disappeared. The small frame house of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Denning situated in this area was nearly leveled to the ground.

When the storm struck the house started to come apart. Mrs. Denning was blown out of doors as the wind tore away the bedroom. Carol, her three-year-old daughter asleep in a bed was carried thru the air in the mattress for a distance of about 300 feet, over the top of a thicket of undergrowth about 20 feet high and deposited on her bed under a bush. Mrs. Deming and Carol were rushed to Jones Memorial hospital where examination revealed that neither had suffered major injuries.

The roof and second story of another farm house was torn away, a large barn and other smaller buildings torn down. George Denning had just driven a coupe into his father's yard at the time the storm struck, the wind lifted the car into the air, turned it over and rolled it against a building. Mr. Denning crawled out of it unhurt.

Another strange incident happened Friday night when Miss Duretta Smith was knocked down by lightning while standing on a porch in Knights Creek. She suffered a small burn on her left shoulder and a severe headache. Miss Laura Bailey standing near her, felt the bolt but was not knocked down or injured.

The bolt dug a furrow a foot deep in the ground for several feet.

Lend a friend money and you often lose the friend with the coin.

A MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
WASHINGTON

May 1, 1942

TO THE PEOPLE OF NEW YORK:

This week a new campaign for the sale of War Bonds and Savings Stamps is under way throughout the Nation. It is the War Bond Quota Campaign.

It is urgently necessary that you double the rate at which you are now buying War Bonds and Stamps. This will mean the sale direct to individual Americans of War Bonds and Stamps to the amount of not less than one billion dollars every month.

One billion dollars a month is the National quota. It is equal to one-tenth the combined incomes of all Americans.

This money is needed to buy the tools of war for your fighting forces. It will not pay for all of them. Our war expenditures now are at the rate of about TWO BILLIONS a month, and they are growing daily. But a billion dollars a month direct from the people will make all-out production possible. Without it we cannot do our best; without it we cannot put forth our full effort.

It is desperately needed for another reason. We can't fight a war and at the same time live and spend as usual. There are not enough goods to go around — the things we buy with money. If we go on spending at the 1941 scale, we'll be robbing the fighting men to add to our own comfort or pleasure. We'll be driving up the cost of living for all of us. We'll be imposing dire hardships on our neighbors.

What is asked of you is ten per cent of your earnings — a little for liberty. It is not a tax; it is not even a contribution; it is a loan at interest, for your own and protection later.

Your Government asks you to cut down your expenditures, TO SAVE — your boys on the firing line and in the training camps, through your Government, ask you to save so that they may have what they need to win THIS WAR for you — America asks you to save, to SAVE TO WIN THE WAR; to buy War Bonds and Stamps up to not less than ten per cent of your income.

Is Liberty worth it? Is Democracy worth it? Is America worth it? I think I know your answer.

Sincerely,
H. Morgenthau Jr.

FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

The above letter was sent to this newspaper by Secretary Morgenthau in Washington. We publish it in the interest of the War Bond Quota Campaign and earnestly recommend that all our readers do their share in the tremendous job ahead of financing the war effort.

Truck Drivers, Fire Police And Wardens Named at Firemen's Meeting Friday

At the regular meeting of the Andover Fire Department held last Friday evening, the following were named as truck drivers, fire police and fire wardens for the coming year:

Drivers—Carl Childs, Albert Rogers, Oliver Kemp, George Mickle, George Wereley, Grant Fuller, Lewis Howe, Richard Harder, Francis Vickers, William Pease, Donald Kemp, Everett Clair, Victor Hoagland, George Sackett, Clare Jackson, Neil Callaghan, Gerald Hann.

Fire Police—Orville Whitaker, F. S. Potter, Lee Marvel, Claude Loucks, Curtis Burdick, George Vickers.

Fire Wardens—Archie Kemp and Lawrence Hann.

Following the meeting a committee from the Firemen's Auxiliary served the boys a fine lunch.

Last Chance to Register For Sugar Tonight

Registration In Andover Central School Cafeteria From 4 to 8 P. M. Must Declare Amount on Hand.

Any residents of the Andover Central School district who have not yet obtained their sugar rationing books must do so this afternoon by going to the Andover Central School cafeteria between the hours of 4 and 8 p. m.

One adult person (18 years or older) from each family may register for the whole family. Employees, boarders, and married children, tho living with family must make their own applications. The person applying should bring the following information concerning each member of the family: age, height, weight, color of eyes, and color of hair.

Each applicant for sugar rationing books must also declare the amount of sugar, white or brown, in any form, that the family owns at time of registration.

Each coupon in the ration book is good for the purchase of one pound of sugar. Each of the first four coupons may be used during two week periods beginning May 5. In other words, the present quota is one pound every two weeks for each member of the family.

Boisterous Games Opens Softball Season Here

An avalanche of base hits and a multitude of errors signalled the opening of the 1942 season of the Andover Softball League Monday evening as the Dodgers defeated the Yankees 27 to 16 and the Cardinals outslugged the Giants 29 to 24 on the Andover athletic field.

Loose fielding was the order of the day as the "boys" attempted to shake off the result of several months inactivity. Ray O'Laughlin and Fay Boyd led the hitting assault of the Dodgers as they overcame an eight-run lead to defeat the Yankees. "Big Chuck" Holt collected five straight hits for the losers.

"Bucky" Schwarzenbach's Giants were the victims of a 12-run first inning uprising by a young and fast Cardinal team and were never in the ball game. "Flash" Bostwick and "Bob" Ingerson hit home runs for the losers while George Karcanes and Stan Ruger were the leading battlers for the winning team.

The second series of games will be played on Monday, May 11th, with the Cardinals opposing the Dodgers and the Giants against the Yankees. All players are urged to report at 6:30 sharp.

Fair sized audiences witnessed the games, played simultaneously on diamonds laid out at the lower end of the athletic field.

Buys Restaurant

O. S. Fenner of Shinglehouse has purchased the restaurant equipment of William Childs and will again open a restaurant at the same location this Saturday.

May Quota of War Saving Bonds Announced

George B. Rooth, Jr., chairman of the Allegany County War Savings staff is calling to the attention of Allegany county residents the new quota system which went into effect this month, under which War Bonds and Stamps are now being sold thruout the nation.

Allegany county's quota for the month of May has been set for a total purchase of Bonds and Stamps of $162,800, of which Andover's share for the month is $5,000.

Bonds can be purchased in Andover at the Andover National Bank and the Postoffice and War Savings Stamps are available thru the Postoffice and the Andover Central School.

The sales of Bonds and Stamps in Andover during the past year, May 1, 1941 to May 1, 1942, totalled $35,610.90 of which $34,675.00 was in Bond sales and $935.90 in Stamp sales.

Our Government needs and must be given the financial support of every one of her citizens," Mr. Rooth declared. "We must not fail. It is our duty to buy War Bonds and Stamps and furnish the money needed to equip, feed and care for those men and women who are serving in the armed forces and offering their all to protect American and American liberty."

Local Draft Board Holds Hearing

Local Draft Board No. 534 held its first local board hearing at the office of the board Monday evening, at which the board subpoenaed an individual of the county to show proof regarding statements made relative to allocations that the local board had shown preference in the classification of a registrant.

At the hearing, which was attended by the entire board, civil authorities and the Federal Appeal agent, the claimant withdrew all charges against the board action and made a complete apology to the board and after a full explanation by the board of the seriousness and the penalties attached to such unfounded public criticism the case was closed.

The board has had several unjustified criticisms from the uninformed public regarding classifications and have been in some cases personally insulted. The board naturally resents such deflements of character and persons making such accusations in the future will be subpoenaed before the board and required to prove such accusations, and where proof is lacking such persons will be subject to the penalties provided under the Selection Service Law.

All actions of the board are based on sworn affidavits on file in the registrant's folder at the draft office and while they are not public property, any one with a legitimate cause may ascertain from the clerk of the board why any classification was made. Therefore, in order to avoid trouble in the future, those interested in the classification of any registrant should contact the local board office and ascertain the true facts in the case as presented under oath to the Draft Board, before making any statements or otherwise criticizing the action of the board in any individual's case.

Plan to Organize Children's Welfare Group

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church extends a cordial invitation to the ladies of the various organizations who are interested in the spiritual uplift of our community, to attend a ladies' meeting at the Methodist church parlors Wednesday afternoon, May 20th at 2:30. It is the desire of this group to establish an adult group to co-operate in the welfare of the children of our community.

Some people worry about little matters when they have nothing big to concern them.