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Personals

—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lincoln of Henrietta were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Thorne.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Witter of Buffalo spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Witter.

—Miss Mary O'Leary of Elizabeth, N. J., is spending her summer vacation with her father, James O'Leary.

—Elmer Wood of Oswego was a supper guest Saturday of Mrs. Patty Wood and daughter Miss Margaret.

—Miss Lenora Dean of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending her summer vacation with her brothers, Howard and Louis Dean.

—Mrs. George Carpenter is attending the public health State convention being held at Saratoga Springs this week.

—Master Leo Hamill of Seneca Falls is spending some time at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Joyce.

—Carl Fribolin and Farnham Pope are in Ithaca his week attending the annual conference of teachers of agriculture.

—Elmer S. Wood of Oswego has been visiting at the homes of his son and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Arling Baker.

—Vernon Smith of Oswego is a guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. James Mulholland before leaving for Farnumdale where he has a position.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Warchek of Buffalo and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weaver of Grand Island were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Clara Lynch.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burdick and family of Mt. Jewett, Pa., are spending this week guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McAndrew.

—Mrs. J. J. Oakes and son Victor leave this Thursday to reside in Niagara Falls where Mr. Oakes is employed at the Bell Aircraft plant. Victor Oakes expects to begin work in a defense plant in Niagara Falls.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arling Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harder and son Kent were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lemler and Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Lehley at the Lehley home in Brant N. Y. Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sheppard and son Mark returned Sunday to their home in Uniontown, Pa. after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Florence Earley. Mrs. Eda Sheppard of Alfred accompanied her son and family to their home.

—H. P. Burdick, daughter Maxine, Mrs. Elsie Rigby and daughter Louretta, Mrs. Grace Klaassen and daughter Gladys were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Menzo Burdick and Mrs. Jennie Carr Sunday. Mrs. Klaassen and daughter remained for the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burdick.

—Mrs. John Wood, Mrs. Bertha Collins, Mrs. Charles Hall, Mrs. Alice Forsythe, Mrs. Maude Saxton, Mrs. Eunice Richardson of Wellsville, Mrs. Mable Richardson of Westons Mills, and Miss Smith of Kane, Pa., were dinner guests and spent the day Monday with Mrs. Bell Bloss.

—Miss Edna Honegger is enjoying a trip to Virginia.

—Mrs. Bartley Joyce entered the St. James Mercy hospital, Hornell, Monday.

—Mrs. E. J. Atwood attended a luncheon held at the Country Club in Wellsville Tuesday.

—Malcolm Brundage of Lockport was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Mulholland Sunday and Monday.

—Elwin Calkins of Rochester is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Corwin.

—Miss Mae Dean of Ithaca was called to Andover by the illness and death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Howard Dean.

—Mrs. Frank Brown, with a party of friends from Wellsville, visited the "rose garden" at Newark, N. Y. Sunday.

—Sergeant and Mrs. Harold Kemp and sons, Leon and Roger of Batavia spent Saturday with his father, Ralph Kemp.

—Charles Hall of the Addison High School is spending this week with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Calhoun.

—Mrs. Pamela Lynch of Millsboro, Del., is spending the summer at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutor.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Borden and daughter Lois of Rochester were guests over the week-end of her mother, Mrs. Florence Earley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Green attended the graduation exercises at Arkport Monday night where Miss Mary Padden was one of the graduates.

—Mrs. C. E. Brown and Mrs. R. O. Snyder attended the funeral of Wendy, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Andrews of Hornell Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamill of Seneca Falls are parents of a daughter, Margaret Mary. Mrs. Hamill is a sister of Mrs. Louis Joyce and a frequent visitor here.

—Miss Adelaide Reisman of Buffalo was called to Andover by the serious illness of her little niece, Patricia Loucks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loucks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Boyd of Bath spent the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutherland. They all spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sutherland at Horse Run, Pa.

—Mrs. Leona Bartlett of Avoca and brother, Floyd Bassett of Bennetts Creek and Harold Puderbaugh of the Troupsburg central school faculty were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cowles Whiting Thursday.

—Mrs. Perry Jacobs of Washington, D. C., was the guest of Mrs. Richard Harder at the Alumni banquet Monday night. Mrs. Jacobs will be remembered as Miss Lillian Holmes, a former teacher in our school.

—Miss Dorothy Oakes, R. N., of Women's Hospital, New York City, is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Oakes and attended the Commencement exercises, her brother, Victor, being one of the members of the graduating class.

—Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Tebo, daughter Beverly and Mrs. Winifred Tebo were in Mexico, N. Y. Wednesday and Thursday where Rev. Tebo officiated at the marriage of Miss Edith Smith and Rev. Kenneth Stickney, which was solemnized at 8 p. m. in the church. The bride and groom are old friends of Rev. Tebo. Rev. Stickney is pastor of the Swain and Grove churches. Miss Smith is well known in this village where she spent several weeks at the Tebo home.

—Mrs. Emma Gray returned to Dansville Saturday after a visit with Andover friends.

—Mrs. Wm. Nelson of Binghamton has been assisting in the care of her father, Charles Updyke.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McGee were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hand at Binghamton over the week-end.

—Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Greene left Monday for Bridgeton, N. J., to visit their son, Dr. and Mrs. Claire Greene.

—John Oakes of Niagara Falls attended the Andover Central School Commencement exercises on Tuesday evening.

—Miss Margaret McQueen of Elmira is spending a week's vacation at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Satterlee.

—Mrs. Pauline Vincent of Olean and Mrs. Claude Digee of Belmont were callers of Mrs. Charles Stebbins Thursday afternoon.

—James Kelley of Centralia, La., is spending part of this month with his sister, Mrs. Louis Joyce, prior to his induction into the Army.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rennells motored to Whitesville Sunday with Mrs. Minnie House and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dow Scribner.

—Mrs. Allie Moore of Payneville spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Eva Hazlett. Mrs. Lewis Howe and Mrs. Hazlett motored home with her.

—Mrs. Clara Jackel of Silver Creek and the Misses Ethel and Jeanne Jackel spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gath.

—A. E. Smith and daughter Ernestine of Olean and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pease and two sons of Wellsville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burrel Williams.

—Mrs. Carl Mann and son Emerson of Nunda attended the Commencement exercises Tuesday night when their neice and cousin Miss Wanda Dolan was one of the class.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fisher of Olean spent Friday evening at the home of his brother, C. E. Fisher. Miss Carolyn Morris of Ohio and James Morris of Sharon, Pa., accompanied them.

—Carl Sargeant, Miss Anna Palmer, Frank Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Inglesby of Clyde were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward VanCuren and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd VanCuren.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Allen at Purdy Creek Monday and accompanied them to Canisteo where they attended the Commencement exercises at the central school.

—Supt. and Mrs. W. G. Pope attended the wedding of Miss Thelma Lewis of Voorhees Hill and Raymond Rogers of Stannards Saturday night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leonard and son Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leonard of Olean and Miss Doris Atwell of Elm Valley were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Patty Wood and daughter, Margaret.

—Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Moran and Mrs. Mary O'Boyle attended the funeral of their cousin, William Glavin at Olean on Saturday. Msgr. Edward J. Rengel officiated at the Requiem Mass at St. Mary's of the Angels church.

—W. A. Youmans and daughters Misses Inez and Edna Youmans were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Nicholson in Wellsville Sunday for dinner in honor of the birthday of Miss Inez Youmans. The Misses Youmans also attended the Baccalaureate service held in the Congregational church, Miss Fern Nicholson being one of the graduates.

—Mrs. W. H. Ahrens is visiting her sisters in Little Valley for a few days.

—Miss Celia Holden of Olean was a guest over the week-end of Mrs. E. Gallagher.

—Miss Jane Colberg left Wednesday for Silver Creek where she will pass her summer vacation.

—Miss Dawn Sequin leaves this Thursday for her home in Rouses Point to spend her summer vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gath, Miss Laura Mae Croyle and Miss Winifred Wentworth spent Sunday at Fort Niagara with Walter Gath.

—Dr. Blaisdell of Wellsville was called to see Charles Updyke at the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wentworth Tuesday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burdick of Railroad Valley were in Buffalo Wednesday night and Thursday attending the annual Dairymen's League meeting being held there.

—Mr. and Mrs. Tony Trebik and family of Ellisburg, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. George Shelly and little son of Wellsville enjoyed a picnic dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slocum.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Witter of Almond, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Oakes of Purdy Creek, Ben Allen of Belvidere and grandson of Wilkes Barre, Pa., were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Elmer Kaple.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cochrane Mr. and Mrs. Royal Potter and daughters Margaret and Ethel of Rochester were recent visitors at Albert Kaufman's, Miss Margaret remaining for a few days vacation.

—Miss Virginia Loring is passing this week with her brother, Robert Loring of the U. S. Navy at the home of her grandfather, Milton Loring of Yorks Corners. Robert Loring leaves this Friday for overseas duty.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and family of Genesee, Pa., spent Sunday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slocum. Miss Jean Smith returned home with them after a three weeks visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cecile Hoagland and family of Canadice, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster of Olean and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper of Belvidere were guests over Sunday and the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hoagland.

—Mrs. Charles Caple entertained at dinner on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Robinson and Mrs. Clara Hann. Mrs. Caple and son Roy and guests motored to Olean to see Mrs. G. S. Robinson who is a patient in the Mountain Clinic.

—Mr. and Mrs. Scott Prest entertained at a family dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Oakes of Purdy Creek, Miss Clara Comstock, Lewis Oakes and Miss Myra Oakes of Hornell, Mrs. Lillie Sutton. Mrs. J. J. Oakes and son Victor and daughter Miss Dorothy of New York City.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pease and family of Stannards and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Pease and daughter of Shovel Hollow spent Father's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pease. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCollum of Olean were supper guests at the Pease home Sunday.

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—Mrs. Reva Bova of Duke Center, Pa., and Mrs. Clement Manion of Wellsville and sons were guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Coleman, Sunday.

—Mrs. Wilma Preston of Hornell was the guest Thursday of Postmaster and Mrs. J. D. Cheesman.

(Other Personals on Page Four)

Church Services

SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST

Rev. Walter L. Greene, Pastor

Sabbath services at 2:30 p. m. The pastor expects to be home and supply the pulpit. Subject, "Examination Day Surprises."

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

Vacation Religious Day School sponsored by the churches of the village will be held Monday June 29 to Friday, July 10. The first general assembly of all departments will be held in the Seventh Day Baptist church Monday morning at 9 o'clock, afterwards the several departments will go to the several churches for registration and class work.

Independence

Morning worship and sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m.

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

Children and young people of the grades and junior high who may wish to attend the Vacation Bible School at Andover are asked to notify the pastor and transportation will be provided as far as possible.

PRESBYTERIAN

Regular church services Sunday morning. Rev. VanHorn will preach and administer communion. This is the last church service before the summer vacation.

A Sunday School picnic will be held on the church lawn this Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

BAPTIST

Rev. Lloyd L. Tebo, Pastor

Thursday evening, 7:30, Midweek prayer and Bible study.

8:30, Choir rehearsal.

Sunday morning worship, 10:30.

Sunday School, 11:45.

Christian Endeavor, 6:30. Dorothy Schoonover, leader.

Evening service, 7:30.

Monday, Daily Vacation Bible School begins at 9 a. m., continuing with sessions from 9 to 12 for the next two weeks. The Intermediate Department meets in the Baptist church.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Mr. Clarence Seguine, Pastor

Thursday, June 25th at 7:30 p. m., Prayer meeting in the home of Mrs. Effie Meredith on South Main street. Speaker, Lawrence Byan.

Prayer meetings held in homes on request.

Friday, June 26th, 7:30 p. m., Young People's Service. Leader, Miss Bertha Cartwright.

Subject, "Thomas Chalmers, the Young Men's Evangelist."

Sunday, June 28:

9:45 a. m., Sunday School. All are welcome. Subject, "God, the Creator." Gen. 1,2.

11 a. m., Communion Service. Text, "And Enoch Walked with God, and He was Not; for God took him." Gen. 5:24.

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

7:30 p. m., Evangelistic service. Rev. John Wetzel, pastor of the Congregational church in Port Leyden, N. Y., will have charge of this evening service.

Rev. Wetzel is the husband of Miss Olive Chase who was formerly of Andover. There will be special music by the Wetzel Musical Family as mixed quartette, trio, two guitars, etc.

Do not miss this spiritual feast.

Wednesday, July 1: Weekly Day for Prayer in the home of William Chase—10 a. m. to 12 noon; 2 to 4 p. m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

GOD, THE CREATOR
International Sunday School Lesson for July 5, 1942

Golden Text: "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." Genesis 1:1.

Lesson Text: Genesis 1: 1-2; 24-31; 2:1.

Our lessons for the third quarter are taken from the Book of Genesis. The book is given its name by the first word in it which, translated from the original Hebrew means, in the beginning. Literally, this is the starting point of the book.

Genesis is the first of five books making up the Hebrew Pentateuch. The authorship of these books was for a long time ascribed to Moses, but Genesis is now regarded as the compilation of extracts from earlier records by a writer who lived long after Moses was dead. This should not lesson respect for the book nor the lessons which we draw from it.

The Book of Genesis may be divided into two main parts. The first eleven chapters give the Hebrew tradition regarding the creation and early history of the earth and mankind, as revealed to their earliest leaders and passed down by tradition to subsequent generations. This first part includes the story of creation, of Adam and of his descendants, and Noah and his sons.

The second part brings us the story of the Patriarchs, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and Joseph. The entire books gives us the origin and development of the Hebrew people, written from a religious standpoint to show them as God's chosen people.

The story of creation, as contained in Genesis, has caused much argument. The critics ignore entirely the spirit and purpose of the recital and arbitrarily pick upon this passage or that, interpreting literally, in an effort to disprove its assertions. There is no occasion for any of the faithful to be worried about this attack.

Genesis was never intended as a scientific document — it is written in spiritual terms and for religious purposes. In attempting to write the record of creation in a few words, it is like reducing the map of a continent to a single square inch.

Very clearly in the book the supreme fact of an active Creator is set forth, whose intelligence and planning was responsible for the world in which man lived, and man himself.

No thoughtful person contemplating the univere today, can honestly believe that it was the product of mere chance. The order and regularity of creation denies an origin governed entirely by accident. As well might the manufacturer of a typewriter, or any other modern machine, place the scattered parts of a box and shake them together in the expectation that they would assemble themselves.

The wonders of astronomy or of chemistry, or of any other phase of creation, revealed to the intelligent application of the human mind, all point to an intelligent, beneficent and planning intelligence in their creator.

The first chapter of Genesis pictures the creation of the universe and its occupants. Two parallel set of three periods (called days) are given us. The first day, according to Professor W. G. Elmslie, gives us the sphere of light, and the fourth day tenants it with sun, moon and stars. The second day presents the realm of air and water and the fifth inhabits it with birds and fishes. The third day produces habitable, dry land, and the sixth provides it with animals and man.

It is interesting to notice that the order of creation of the plants and animals agrees with the development of geology and the formation of the stellar universe and the origin of the earth is readily reconsilable to the deductions of the astronomers.

The supreme act of creation was the origin of man, made in the image of God. Therefore, man has: (1) an immortal soul; (2) an intelligent mind; (3) a conscience; (4) an individualistic personality; (5) a will of his own; (6) an idea of moral rightouness; and (7) is endowed with affections, the capacity to love.

These items are pointed out by Professor Ira M. Price, who adds, "with all these qualifications he was made ruler of all the earth." So we find man supreme in the world today, able to reclaim deserts and affect the physical geography of the globe. Like wise, he dominates all other animals and uses the vegetable world to contribute to his own needs and happiness. In the mechanical, chemical and electrical forces of nature he has projected his mastery and made them serve his needs.

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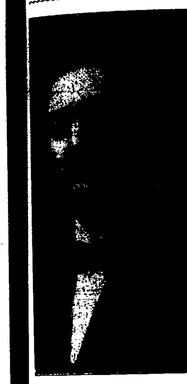
Veteran Andover Merchant Passes From Life

H. H. Williams Died Friday Morning. Had Been Merchant in Andover 67 Years.

H. H. Williams, dean of Andover merchants, passed from life at his home on Rochambeau Avenue, at 11 o'clock last Friday morning, June 26, 1942, following an illness of some duration.

Mr. Williams came to Andover village at the age of 16 years and in the store of Cole and Frisby, which was then located on the corner of Center and Main streets where the Beebe store now stands. After working several years for Cole and Frisby, he took up farming on the Cole farm, but after two years of farming, returned to Andover village and entered the store of J. L. Williams, which he purchased a few years later and has been in the grocery business in Andover since, operating the Williams and Langworthy store, the Beebe and Williams store, the H. H. and C. W. Williams Company and for the past 27 years the H. H. Williams Company.



THE LATE H. H. WILLIAMS

During his 67 years in the mercantile business in Andover, Mr. Williams proved himself a man of high integrity, honest to the last penny in his dealings and very kind hearted. Many of the less fortunate in Andover have carried baskets of groceries out of his store with him knowing full well that they would never be paid for. His conception of practical charity, when charity was needed and deserving.

Mr. Williams served three terms as mayor of the village of Andover.

Horace Hunt Williams was born in Andover township, September 16, 1858, a son of Joseph L. and Azubah Cole Williams. He was united in marriage in April, 1877 to Jennie R. Cole, whose death occurred December 23, 1929.

He leaves to mourn his passing three daughters, Miss Charlotte Williams, Mrs. Ruth Williams, Miss Florence L. Williams, a brother, Joseph L. Williams, and a sister, Azubah Williams Hand, all of Andover.

Services were held at the home Monday afternoon at 2:30, the Rev. Lloyd Tebo, pastor of the Andover Baptist church of which Mr. Williams was a member, officiating, with interment in Hillside cemetery.

Among those who attended the funeral from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hann of Belmont, Mrs. Ella Walker of Angelica, E. B. Nash of Hunts, Mrs. Florence Brown of Binghamton, Nathan Donnelley of Johnson City, Miss Hazel Benjamin of Lounsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Cook of Olean, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hardy, Mrs. James Dyke, Mrs. Arthur Carnes of Almond, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howe, Mrs. Joseph Walden, Mrs. Fred Williams, Mrs. Mary Brown, Dan Driscoll, Miss Mary Ellen Brown of Wellsville, Mrs. Charles Cole of Elm Valley, Mrs. Olie Banks of Hartsville, Mrs. Emma Gray of Dansville, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Calhoun of Penn Yan.

Old Records Wanted

The local American Legion and Auxiliary have had a call for old wax records of any kind, whether broken or not.

These records will be turned in for their scrap value and the funds received from this sale will go for the purchase of new up-to-date records to be used in the various camps.

There are a lot of old records lying about homes that are never played and the material in them is needed. Also there is a shortage of up-to-date records reported from the camps. So look around and see what you can find and either give them to some member of the Legion or Auxiliary, or notify them and they will be picked up or leave them at the Henry Stephens Insurance office.

The Auxiliary has been successful in their drive for playing cards but still could use that pack you were going to give them, so dig them out and send them in with your old records.

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Bartley Joyce who has been in the St. James Mercy hospital at Hornell for observation and treatment underwent an operation Saturday. Reports from the hospital are satisfactory.

R. J. Sootheran New Exchange Club President

Atty. Reginald J. Sootheran was elected president of Andover Exchange Club to succeed R. O. Snyder, at the regular election of officers held at the Exchange Club meeting at the Bungalow Diner last Thursday evening.

Other officers elected for the ensuing term are:

A. D. Fuller, vice president.
Richard Harder, secretary.
J. C. Lever, treasurer.
R. O. Snyder, C. W. Connor, E. J. Allen and George Sackett, members of the board of control. Dr. S. B. Scott and C. C. Backus the other members of the board of control hold over.

County Firemen's Convention At Angelica July 8-11

Delegate's Meeting Wed.; Thurs. at 8 p. m., Firemen's Parade; Friday, Contest; Saturday Drawing on Bond

The Allegany County Firemen's Annual Convention is at Angelica for the first time since 1929, and an elaborate program has been arranged despite curtailment of some matters necessitated by the war program.

Starting with the delegate's business meeting at 2 p. m. next Wednesday, July 8th, that group of around 150 will have a banquet at 6 p. m. at the Methodist church, the dinner being prepared by the local Order of the Eastern Star.

On Thursday, July 9th, some 22 companies or more will converge upon the community for their big annual parade, starting from the fair grounds and parading downtown accompanied by their respective bands. The parade will get under way at 8 p. m.

All service men in the county home on furloughs are invited to be in uniform and lead the grand parade, followed by the fire companies, flags and other fanfare.

Emphasis is laid on the fact that the carnival will be on the fair grounds with ferris-wheel, merry-go-round, chair plane, eating stands, beer bar, bingo and other attractions operating Thursday, Friday and Saturday night.

Friday night's feature is the horse-pulling contest and Saturday night will be the drawing of numbers for the $25 War Bond.

Attention is directed to Friday night's contest as $60 in prize money is to be awarded in each of two weight classes.

Saturday night's band contest and drawing for the War Bond should attract a nice crowd.

New York ranks fourth to Texas, Wisconsin and Missouri in the egg-drying industry, with 18 million pounds produced in five plants.

Letters and News Briefs From Boys In Service

Dear Folks:

Well, thought I would write and let you know where I am. We are in Northern Ireland. Had a nice trip across. I only got seasick once —and that was enough. It is an awful sickness.

It is a very nice country, rather damp. It doesn't get dark until 11:30, and it is daylight at 4:30.

The people are real nice to us. They talk lots different than we do and don't look as I expected they did. The girls aren't as nice looking as they are in the States, as they are rationed on their clothes and cosmetics.

We went to a party at (censored). The girls dance different than we do, but are learning our way.

We went thru (censored); it had been bombed. It was an awful sight.

Love,
T-5 EARL MATISON,
A. S. N., 3220088,
Co. D, Supply Bn., 1st A. D.
A. P. O. 25,
c/o Postmaster,
New York City, N. Y.

The following letter was received from Private Gerald Hyland by Andover relatives this week:

Tampa, Fla., June 24, 1942.

Dear Mom and All:

Well I am still here waiting for the train to be loaded. Some of the fellows have gone. They made up two trains. I am on the last one. We leave about 4 o'clock this afternoon for sure.

I thought I had better write now while I had a chance and let you know. We will be on the road about ten days. It is a freight train and will be slow.

We have to guard it and see that no one gets on. And watch the equipment. It should be quite a nice trip; we will have plenty of time to see the country. They gave us ration money yesterday, $30, or $3 a day. We should be able to eat on that. We will stop along at towns and eat. It will be better than going straight thru on a train.

Our commanding officer told us he would give us furloughs from there as soon as he could. So I will get one as soon as I can. It won't give me much time at home, being so far but I am going to take it anyway.

I forgot to tell about the Pullman's on the train. We travel first class except being freight cars on and traveling so slow. About the way 26 used to from Andover to Elmira.

I will drop a card along the way if I get a chance.

Love,
Gerald.

The following letter, received this week from Corporal Francis Cable, will prove of interest to his many friends here. As "Fran" is out of the United States now, there are certain restrictions to his writing to friends, being limited to letters to members of the family only.

The letter follows:

June 24, 1942.

Dear Folks:

I received your grand letter Monday night and was just as tickled to get it as a puppy over a pair of silk stockings.

I guess I mixed you up about the writing, so I'll straighten you out. I can write to you (Mrs. LeRoy Brundage) O. K., and you can send it on to Frances or Basil or just let them know how I am. So you will hear from me just the same. Also I can have the News, so send it right along. I got the one you sent along with the letter and read every thing in it.

I enjoyed Fran's letter as it was the first I had heard from her in some time. She said that Bert was painting and it was full of flies. You tell her that a good way to stop that is to make a big cake and put strawberry frosting on it. That will trap them. I stopped at a house once where the folks were having threshers and they had a cake like that. There wasn't any screens on the doors or windows and the house would have been full of flies if it hadn't been for that frosting on the cake.

Last night I wrote two letters and then did my washing and ironed a shirt. I'm getting domestic ain't I? I'll be as handy around the house as the dickens.

I had a box of food and stuff from Mom which I enjoyed. Florence put in some song books, a Jew's harp and a harmonica. I told them I couldn't play them but I could at least make somebody doggone awful miserable listening. I'll be as popular as the woman who comes late to a card party and breaks up the gossip about her.

Maybe I can drop "Willie" a line some day and cheer him up if I get time.

I hope that this finds you all well as I am. Write when you can as I enjoy hearing from you.

Love to all, F. E. (Francis Cable)

A card this week from "Freddie" Hammell to an Andover friend states:

Well, George old boy I am now in the Army. I am getting to be an old timer here as I enlisted June 12. How is everything? Give my regards to the boys.

Pvt. F. P. Hammell,
Hq. Det., 1st Bn., 417 Inf.,
Ft. George G. Meade,
A. P. O. No. 16 Div.,
Maryland.

Air Cadet Alan H. Tuttle is now stationed at Victorville, Air Flying School, Victorville, California.

The address of our jovial townsman, (Mike) Gath is:

PVT. WALTER GATH,
Company D, 417th Infantry,
A. P. O., No. 76,
Fort George G. Mead, Maryland.

Gerald (Budd) Dolan, with a rank of Special Radio Operator in the Marines, left Quantico westward bound June 23rd.

The present address of "Red" Hoover is:

Pvt. Alvin M. Hover,
Aero. I. T. I., Barracks C-F,
4500 Brazil Ave.,
Los Angeles, Calif.

Word from Herm Ingraham gives his address as:

Pvt. Herman Ingraham,
577 T. S. S. 285
AAFTTC,
Replacement Training Center,
Miami Beach, Fla.

Eleanor DeRemer Arrives in America

An announcement this week from the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions at Boston, Mass., states that Miss Eleanor DeRemer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John DeRemer of Andover, in company with other missionaries has reached America from Izmir, Turkey.

The communique states that the party flew from Cairo, Egypt to Legos, Nigeria, Africa and from Nigeria to the United States.

Clarence Snedeker Elected I. O. O. F. Head

Clarence Snedeker was elected Noble Grand of Andover Odd Fellows Lodge for the ensuing term at the regular election of officers held Tuesday evening.

Ernest Higby was elected vice grand, Francis Vickers, secretary and E. D. Baker, treasurer, were elected in January for a term of one year, so their offices hold over this election.

District Deputy Claude Oliver and staff of Angelica will install the newly elective and appointive officers of Andover Lodge next Tuesday night, July 7th, at which time a good attendance is requested.

Meng—Brewster

Miss Ida Mae Brewster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brewster of Andover and Charles L. Menz of Canisteo were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage in Canisteo Sunday, June 28th, the Rev. Van-Ostrand of Canisteo officiating.

The bride is a graduate of Greenwood Central School in the Class of '42. The groom graduated from Canisteo Central School in the Class of 1940, and is now in the employ of the Erie railroad.

They will make their home in Hornell.

Notice

Most of the stores will be closed this Saturday, July 4th. They will be open until 9:30 on Friday night.

Strouse—Lever

Miss Dorothy Louise Lever, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Layer of Andover and Walter Edward Strouse, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Strouse of Wellsville were united in marriage in a pretty summer wedding held at the home of the bride's parents on Dyke street Saturday afternoon June 27, 1942.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Lloyd L. Tebo, pastor of the Andover Baptist church, under an arch of evergrens, ferns and flowers, with garden flowers very artistically arranged making up the home decorations.

The bride wore a street length dress of powder blue crepe and lace, with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses and delphenium. Her attendant, Mrs. William Barnetson of Belmont, sister of the groom, wore navy blue and white with white accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Charles Lever of Buffalo, brother of the bride, was best man and little Gordon Lever, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Following the ceremony a dinner was served to the immediate families at Hotel Wellsville.

The News joins their many friends in extending felicitations.

Federal Agents to Check Motorists For $5 Stamp

Motorists who neglect to get the motor vehicle Use Tax Stamp for the fiscal year 1943 before the deadline on Wednesday face double trouble—on the road and at gas stations, George T. McGowan, collector of internal revenue for the Buffalo district, revealed Monday.

By the end of the week about 50 "spotters" from the Internal Revenue Bureau will be posted at highway intersections thruout the district, McGowan said. Autoists lacking the new $5 use tax stamp will receive warning subpoenas requiring them to buy a stamp promptly and to report its number and the name of the issuing officer to the Bureau. Failure to comply will be prosecuted under the Penal Code.

The force of spotters may be increased to about 100 within a short time, the collector said. He pointed out that between 800 and 900 violators of the tax stamp regulations were caught by such spotters in this district early in the year, when the first such stamp became a "must" on all motor vehicles.

McGowan reiterated that Washington has informed him that service stations will be instructed to refuse to sell gasoline to motorists operating without a stamp. Such instructions, he said, probably will be handed down to gasoline dealers thru the oil companies.

In areas where gasoline is rationed, a stamp will be required in obtaining a ration book.

Stamps are now available at the Andover Postoffice.

Andover Turns In 9,000 Lbs. of Rubber

Monday 9,000 pounds of scrap rubber, contributed to the much-needed rubber shortage by Andover residents was trucked from the Holt and Langworthy garages.

This is a fine showing for the community but those in charge would like very much to get another 1,000 pounds to make it an even five tons.

The proceeds from the sale of this scrap rubber is to be divided among the churches in Andover, so again "Help your country and your church" by making a final effort in getting all of your scrap rubber into this effort.

Leave your rubber or notify the Holt or Langworthy garages in Andover. Your co-operation will be appreciated.

Mrs. Baker Presents Fine Concert

Mrs. Alice Rogers Baker, violin soloist, assisted by Mrs. L. E. Halsey, organist, and a number of Mrs. Baker's students rendered a very pleasing concert at the Presbyterian church last Friday evening.

The program as published in last week's News was well received and thoroly enjoyed by the audience.

Homemaking Program Now Under Way

Sewing Classes Every Morning. Nutrition Classes To Be Held. Girl Scouts To Meet Every Wednesday

The summer program of the Andover Central School Homemaking Department starts next week and will continue for a period of four weeks under the supervision of Miss Marie Mahl, local homemaking teacher.

The program consists of several activities designed to help girls or adults with homemaking problems. Each morning from 9 until 12 informal classes in sewing will be held. These are free to all women of the community and to high school girls who may wish to continue their homemaking work or those who cannot get regular home making courses in their regular schedule. Anyone is welcome to come to the homemaking room at any time during the forenoon to work, study or discuss homemaking problems.

Plans have also been made to give a nutrition course for adults this summer. The first meeting will be held Monday, July 6th at 3 p. m. This course will be continued during July with meetings held once or twice a week, according to the wishes of the group. These nutrition courses are being held thruout the county and are particularly valuable as a "defense" measure in the home.

Girl Scouts will hold their summer meetings every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the homemaking room. Most of these meetings will consist of out-of-door activities. All girls from 10 to 18 years are eligible. A girl must attend at least four meetings before she may become a Girl Scout. It is planned to register a Scout troop next fall and girls may qualify by attending the summer meetings.

Miss Mahl also will make home visits to become better acquainted with girls and parents and to assist them in home projects and other homemaking problems.

358 Register In Fifth Registration

A total of 358 men between 18 and 20½ years of age registered with the local Draft Board No. 534 Tuesday in the Fifth Selective Service Registration.

Registrations at the four registration centers was:

Allentown	18
Andover	34
Bolivar	74
Wellsville	232
Total	258

Under the Selective Service Act as it stands today only the 20-year-old men are immediately available for military service but the registration serves to complete an inventory of local manpower from the age of 18 to 65 years.

There will be no national lottery for this group. The new registrants will receive serial numbers according to their ages with the men born Jan. 1, 1922 coming first, and those born on June 2, 1922 next, etc. In cases where two or more men have the same birthdate, they will be arranged alphabetically.

Following the serial numbering, the men will be added at the end of Registration Group No. 3 for order numbers.

Card of Thanks

The undersigned wish to express their heartfelt appreciation and thanks for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended them in their bereavement and also for the many kindnesses shown them during the past weeks.

The family of
H. H. WILLIAMS

Pat Perrone Working In Aircraft Factory

A card from Pat Perrone, changing his address from Tuscon, Ariz. to San Diego, Calif., states that he is very happy to again be a working man and has