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# Personals

—Miss Ruth Baker of Tip Top spent a few days with friends in Friendship.

—Mrs. Lloyd Tebo returned home Saturday from the Jones Memorial hospital, Wellsville.

—Mrs. Frank Holmes spent last week at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cartwright at Belfast.

—Dr. Harold Tassell of Rochester visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tassell over the week-end.

—Mrs. Tim Hyland and daughter Catherine of Angelica were guests of Mrs. Theresa Hyland several days last week.

—Mrs. Carl Tracy returned Saturday from the Jones Memorial hospital, Wellsville, where she passed two weeks.

—Mrs. Vincent Connor and daughter Anne Marie of Utica are passing two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Walsh.

—Mrs. C. M. Holt and sons William and James are visiting relatives at Jamestown and Chautauqua Lake this week.

—Mrs. Roger Tuttle has returned from Spruce Pine, N. C. Where she spent several weeks with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd.

—Lawrence Hunt of Washington, D. C., arrived Wednesday to pass his summer vacation with his mother, Mrs. Carrie Hunt and greeting Andover friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burdick and family have returned to their home in Mt. Jewett, Pa., after passing a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean.

—Mrs. Mary Boyd Horton returned Wednesday to her home in New Mexico after being called to Andover by the illness and death of her aunt, Miss Mary Snyder.

—Prof. and Mrs. Leon Cook of Raweleigh, N. C., arrived Saturday night to spend some time at their cottage. They were also Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones.

—Mrs. Charles Caple and son Roy, who have been visiting relatives in Buffalo, returned Sunday morning. They were accompanied by Mr. Caple and sister, Miss Edna Caple who passed Sunday and Sunday night with her mother, Mrs. Clara Hann.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Witter of Buffalo were Saturday and Saturday night guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Witter. Sunday Richard Clair, Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Witter, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brundage and Mrs. Leslie Brundage called on Leslie Brundage at Fort Niagara.

—Mrs. Jennie Carr and brother, H. P. Burdick, motored to Emporium to call on their sister, Mrs. Iona Panton, and were over-night guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Burdick of Port Allegany. They also visited their nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Eastman at Shinglehouse, Pa.

—Miss Mary Wood of Red Creek, N. Y., former home economics instructor of Andover Central School is the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. Delmont VanOxx. Miss Wood has just completed her work for a Masters Degree at Cornell University summer school.

—Louis Fulkerson of Buffalo passed the week-end at his home in this village.

—Mrs. Clyde Shellman attended the funeral of W. E. Wilber held at Horseheads Sunday.

—Wm. Manning of Port Allegany was a caller of his cousin, Mrs. E. F. Stearns Thursday evening.

—Mrs. Bertha Smith spent the week-end in Cuba visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blauvelt.

—Mrs. Wm. Bohne and daughter Mary spent the day Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Slocum.

—Mrs. Wm. Nelson of Binghamton spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Updyke.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ruger called on his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Edwards of Whitesville Sunday.

—Mrs. Harry Maddren and Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Folwell of Wellsville were recent callers of Mrs. Hattie B. Eggleston.

—John J. McGuckin of New York City is visiting his sisters, the Misses Alice and Mary McGuckin and Mr. and Mrs. John A. Quigg.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. David Robinson of Niagara Falls were week-end guests of Mrs. Jett Blodgett and Ellis Horsfall.

—Miss Susan McAndrew returned Tuesday from Washington, D. C., where she passed a month with her sister, Miss Mary McAndrew and other relatives.

—Mrs. Franklin Murphy and daughter Ellen Marie took Jackey Quigg, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Quigg, to Brooklyn Monday.

—Michael Garvin and Mrs. Robert Garvin and daughter, Mary Catherine of Pittsburg, Pa., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. M. Dean.

—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Norton of Avon spent from Thursday until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rennells of Tip Top. Mrs. Rennells and Mr. and Mrs. Norton also spent some time at Angelica.

—Mrs. Bertha Smith attended a birthday party for Naomi Kirkpatrick in Cuba, Saturday evening. Miss Naomi received many nice gifts. A very pretty birthday cake was served with ice cream, after which games were enjoyed.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Potter returned Friday afternoon from Corning where they have been visiting their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Randall. They also spent a week with their granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Siedel at Waverly.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cook passed the week-end at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Young at Belfast. They also attended the Burch-Roberts reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leighman Young at Caneadea Sunday. Miss Margaret Young accompanied them home and is spending this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd VanCuren entertained at a farewell dinner on Sunday for Ward VanCuren who leaves this Saturday for Fort Niagara. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kemp and family of Wellsville, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bostic and family of Bolivar, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Campbell and three children of Buffalo; Frank Palmer of Geneva, Mr. and Mrs. Fred VanCuren and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hilliard and family.

—Miss Doris Honegger and Carl Will were home from Buffalo over the week-end.

—Mrs. Geil Reynolds and the Misses Cassie and Clara Robinson were Rochester visitors Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Teribury of Limestone were guests of Mrs. Hattie Conley Sunday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Masters of Canisteo were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullard Sunday.

—Miss Beth Whitaker spent from Sunday until Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lehman in Wellsville.

—Mrs. Olive Trowbridge of Greenwood spent Tuesday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Trowbridge.

—Miss Doris Baker returned home Friday from Geneseo where she has been taking the summer school course.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Krusen and daughter Judy of Wellsville were callers of Mrs. Hattie B. Eggleston Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Kohn of Harrisburg, Pa., were callers Saturday of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullard.

—Miss Carolyn Dolan returned home Saturday from the State Teachers' College in Buffalo where she finished her studies.

—Carlyle Myers was in Buffalo Monday night where he attended a banquet given by the insurance company of the first aid drive.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howland and family spent Sunday with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Andrus at Franklinville.

—Miss Nancy Mee returned to her home in Rochester Thursday after spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

—H. P. Burdick of Rochester has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Jennie Carr, and also at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Menzo Burdick.

—John Watson and daughter, Mrs. William Arnold and children, Jack and Jude, of Jersey City, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Robinson Saturday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McClure in company with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. McClure of Wellsville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin of Wellsville at Keuka Lake Sunday.

—Mrs. Lena Berdysiak of Buffalo was an overnight guest at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loucks Monday. Mrs. Loucks and little daughter accompanied her home Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Butler, Mrs. Darwin Lehman with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Perry of Almond were in Mills, Pa., Saturday night to attend a farewell party for Carroll Perry who left Monday for Fort Niagara. Mr. Perry is a nephew of Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Lehman.

—Wellie Kenyon and children, William and Anna of Dansville, N. Y. were visiting at the Kenyon and Ordiway home in Railroad Valley, Sunday. Cass Kenyon returned home with them after spending a few days at the home of his brother, Melvin Kenyon, who has been ill.

—Miss Lois Honegger is passing this week in Buffalo with her sister, Miss Doris Honegger.

—Miss Bertha Taft of Rochester is visiting her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Grossman.

—Miss Margaret Brownlee of Pierrepont Manor, N. Y. is spending a few days guest of Miss Ruth Walton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Milan Richmond and family of Petrolia were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Beebe.

—Mrs. Harry Kemp returned Sunday from Bolivar where she has been the guest of Mrs. Claude Runyan since Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Moran and son Paul were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. B. McGinnis of Genesee, Pa.

—Mrs. Arland Russell and son Larry of Nunda arrived Wednesday to spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hulin.

—Hugo Honeggar, Mrs. Jett Blodget and Ellis Horsfall called on Mrs. Hugo Honeggar at the St. James Mercy hospital in Hornell, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Vickers and family, in company with her sister, Mrs. Carl Woolever of Hornell, spent from Sunday until Tuesday at Lake Demmon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maloney and son Bernard of Hornell, and Mrs. John Johannes of Lakewood, Ohio, were callers Tuesday of Mrs. Catherine Skaehill and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Alderson.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Higby motored to Elmira Saturday to meet her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burgett of Long Island who spent Sunday with them and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Higby and Miss Elizabeth Clair motored to Elmira with Mr. and Mrs. Burgett on Monday.


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**FRIDAY, AUG. 14th**

at 1 P. M. (EWT)

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Dining Room Suite, 2 Bedroom Suites, Davenport

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—Mrs. Clara Deming of Whitesville spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Sylvia Hollowell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Elmira were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Shaff Sunday.

—R. K. Hammond of Rochester spent Sunday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Blank.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Ely of Elmira spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Steadman.

—Mrs. Ella M. Stearns and Miss Irene Hanson of Port Allegany, Pa., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Hattie B. Eggleston and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stearns and family.

—Mrs. J. N Wentworth visited Mr. and Mrs. John Crane of Hornell Tuesday and Wednesday. She was also the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wentworth of Borden and Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Wentworth at Canisteo.

—Mrs. John Croyle of Olean spent the week-end guest of Mrs. Pauline Croyle and daughter Laura Mae at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gath. Mrs. Effie Burbank was also a dinner guest on Sunday.

—Sam Langdon of Railroad Valley attended the Baker reunion held at Honeoye, Sunday.

—Miss Patricia Dolan is passing this week with Mrs. Ethel Kemp and daughter Inez of Buffalo.

—Mrs. Ernest Cartwright and children of East Valley were Sunday guests of Miss Ruth Walton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Briggs attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Betty Harrington at Elmira, Tuesday.

(Other Personals on Page Four)


**Andover Theatre**

Sat. & Sun., Aug. 15-16

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# Church Services

**SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST**

Rev. Walter L. Greene, Pastor

Sabbath services at 2:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "The Centrality of God," Isa. 6:1.

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

**Independence**

Morning worship and sermon at 11. The pastor will speak.

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

The pastor and wife will be absent, attending the General Conference in Salem, W. Va., Aug. 17-24.

It is expected that a union service of the Andover and Independence churches will be held in the Andover church August 22. Watch church notes next week.

**CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE**

Mr. Clarence Seguine, Pastor

Thursday. Aug. 13th. Prayer meeting in the home of Mrs. M. Walton on North Main street. Subject, "The Flood." Gen. 5, 6—Questions and answers.

Friday, August 14th. Young People's service. Rev. Percy B. Crawford's book on "The Art of Fishing for Men" is to be read, one chapter at a time at the young people's services. Rev. Crawford is the founder and pastor of the Young People's Church of the Air.

This Friday's subject, "The Introduction and Chapter I, Evangelism."

Sunday, Aug. 16th, 9:45 a. m., Sunday School. Subject, "Isaac Practices Peace," Gen. 26.

11 a. m., Worship service. Subject, "Fasting."

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

7:30 p. m., evangelistic meeting. Subject, "Christ Transfiguration."

Wednesday, Aug. 19th, Weekly Day for Prayer—10 a. m. to 12 noon; 2 to 4 p. m.

**ISAAC PRACTICES PEACE**

International Sunday School Lesson for August 16, 1942.

GOLDEN TEXT: "Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called sons of God." Matthew 5:9.

(Lesson Text: Genesis 26: 18-31.)

Our lesson today centers about Isaac and his love for peace. This patriarch has been minimized in retrospection because of the greatness of his father, Abraham, and of his son, Jacob. He was a man of superior ability, of great patience and perseverance and probably would have loomed larger if he had not been so closely associated with his greater predecessor and successor. While Abraham and Jacob acted important parts in the history of the Jews, the role played by Isaac was just as noteworthy, although not as spectacular.

While we do not know a great deal about Isaac, we do know that he was the long-promised son of Abraham and Sarah. Early in life Isaac learned from his father the lesson of obedience to and trust in God, having willingly acquiesced in the apparent necessity of becoming a sacrifice at the divine command. Later, he married Rebekah, obtained for him by his father from their kinsmen in Haran, the old ancestral home, so that he would not inter-marry with the Canaanites.

While Abraham wandered from place to place. Isaac was more settled. He was forced by famine to leave his home and go to Gerar, in the country which then belonged to Abimilach, King of the Philistines . While there he "waxed great and grew more and more until he became very great; and he had possessions of flocks and herds and a great household," so much so that the Philistines envied him. The Philistines, remember, were prior settlers in the land and they regarded the presence of the Hebrews as an intrusion upon their rights.

To curtailt the prosperity of this foreigner, they resorted to the practice of destroying the wells which were so indispensable for the life of the cattle. Isaac had his servants to dig again the wells of water which his father Abraham had dug before him. So, time and again, we find these covetous neighbors presenting Isaac with the alternative of moving to another location or of attempting to live in the midst of a people whom they would have to constantly fight.

Isaac was by nature peace-loving, desirous of friendship and invariably he moved on, hunting new sites, rather than live in an atmosphere of contention. He abandoned a well named Esek, which meant contention, and moved on to another. For this the Philistines contended also, and Isaac named this well Sinnah, Hatred. From there he moved again and dug another well which he named Rehoboth, which meant room or enlargement, and here Isaac received assurances from God that this was the place he was to stay and that God would bless him here.

It is significant to note just what Isaac did immediately upon coming to Beersheba. First, he built an altar. Next, he talked, or prayed to God. Then he erected his tent, or established his home, and then he dug a well that he, as well as others, might have an abundance of water. "Many people of our time, despite their high civilization, are far behind the humble Hebrew patriarch in the true ordering of their lives. Most of them see only their tent — the circle of their own interests; they have no place for either altar or well. They forget God who should be first in life, and the people of tomorrow who ought to benefit by their sojourn here. Others dig the well, thus providing a social blessing, but they have no place for an altar. The only true life is that which combines, and in the right order — altar, tent and well."

Isaac's attitude was prompted by his desire for quietness and peace, as well as by a strong faith in the providence of Jehovah. For aught that Isaac knew, these strivings at the well may have been God's way of keeping him moving until he finally reached the location for his life's efforts, which God in his judgement would be better able to select than Isaac, trusting to human selfishness and passion.

"The noblest kind of sacrifice is the self-denial of those who have the clearest rights." says J. Strachan. "Isaac was again and again placed in circumstances in which others would have quickly drawn the sword. The question arises whether he surrendered too much for the sake of peace. If a man cannot waive his rights without neglecting his duty, violating his conscience, surrendering his religion, losing his self-respect, betraying the rights of others, he is bound to resist. Otherwise, he may yield, and scarcely any price is too high to pay for peace."


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## Pvt. Howard Gath Writes To "Wandering Willie"

### Agrees Whole-heartedly With Sergeant Cable In Opinions About "Willie." Tells Of Army Life.

The following letter to "Wandering Willie" was received this week from Pvt. Howard Gath, now located at Chanute Field, Ill. "Flash" is in the 32nd Technical School Squadron, U. S. Army Air Corps.

Chanute Field,
Friday A. M.

Dear 'Willie":

Well, Willie, to begin with, I want to tell you how much enjoyment I get out of seeing my name mentioned in your column—altho I don't see how anybody can consider themselves lucky to be associated with you in any way.

I have been following your correspondence with "Sarg" Cable and I want you to know that his thoughts of you are the same as mine. But he seems to know you a little better, because he has brought out some points about your feeble character that I didn't know existed.

The only reason that I'm even taking the time to write to you is because I imagine "Cabe" has got his hands full now directing our plans of winning the war, and hasn't got time to listen to your griping. I hated to see you lose all contact with the outside world entirely so I figured I might as well drop you a line as long as it doesn't cost me anything to mail it. If we still had to pay postage I can't think of any worse way that three cents could be spent than to mail you a letter.

I'm glad that folks think enough of you to take time out and read your mail to you. It's too bad that you couldn't have had the chance to go to school like the rest of us did. (In fact, I like it so well I'm still at it).

I'm going to give you a sketch of what Uncle Sam has got me doing out here.

First of all, you do know that there is a war on, don't you? The U.S. is at war with Germany, Japan and Italy and anybody else that figures they can lick us. Well, we are going to win this war with airplanes (Have you ever seen one?) So he has a bunch of us fellows going to school around the country to learn what they are made of, and how to keep them running. I am studying to be a machinist. This is also a mechanics school and a radio school.

I go to school from 2 in the afternoon until 10 at night and spend the rest of the time waiting for 2 o'clock in the afternoon to come around again. Do you get the idea? I didn't think you would. I still can't figure out why I'm telling you all of this. You probably think that Chanute Field is a big meadow with cows grazing on it.

We are located here near a small town called Rantoul, Ill. It closely resembles "Shovel Hollow," but it has sidewalks and the people wear shoes. But they tell me the snow gets just as deep here as it does in the Hollow.

It's too bad, Willie, that you have never been given the opportunity to get out of "Shovel Hollow" even if it wasn't for more than a day. It would do you a lot of good. How you ever got the name "Wandering Willie" is more than I know, unless it's from roaming around the hills up there.

I have been "to town" three times so far. Rantoul on a Sunday looks like Whitesville on pay day at the chair factory. The soldiers don't walk around the town in two's or three's—they run around in platoons. They have to keep in line so everybody can be on Main street at once.

Well, you old draft dodger, I've used up about all the paper and ink on you that I can afford, so I'm going to ring off and drop a line to the folks. I hope that my having any association with you won't be too big a blow for them. Mom warned me about guys like you just before I came in the Army. But I don't think that I could ever find your equal in the army.

If you can find somebody to write it for you, dictate me a letter some time. Don't put your return address on it, tho, or they might kick me out up here.

As ever,
"FLASH" GATH.

P. S. Tell S. George Sackett that if he needs any more "corn" I'll send it to him. He'll know what I mean. By the way, did he ever get that Victory Garden planted again? As a farmer he would make a good paper hanger. "Chuck" Holt told me that they ruled the "Blue Menace" off the streets, because it spoiled a perfect blackout. The color was too bright.

## Local Boys In United States Service

CORP. EMILIO YANNIE
360 Squadron
303 Bomb Group,
El Paso, Texas

SGT. VICTOR YANNIE
Co. B, Maintenance Brn.,
2nd Armored Division,
Fort Benning, Ga.

STAFF SGT. VINCENT YANNIE
F. Co., 34th Engineers
Schofield Barracks,
Honolulu (T. H.) Hawaii

## Dr. Leahy Called To Active Duty August 28th

Dr. Howard J. Leahy, who received a captain's commission in the United States Army Medical Corps about two weeks ago, has received his call to report for active duty at Pine Camp, N. Y., on Friday, August 28th.

Dr. Leahy has been a practicing physician in Andover for the past nine years, and for several years past has been the school doctor of Andover Central School.

He is a graduate of Andover High School, Fordham University in New York City and Georgetown University of Washington, D. C., from which he received his M. D. degree.

He is married and has three sons.

The News joins with Andover residents in wishing "Doc" godspeed in the services of Uncle Sam.

## Mrs. George W. Barrett

Mrs. George Barrett, lifelong resident of Andover, passed from life at her home here Tuesday, August 18 at 12:20 p. m., following an illness of two years' duration.

Cora Corwin Barrett was born at the Corwin homestead in Andover March 12, 1883, a daughter of Philip and Lydia Bullard Corwin. Jan. 9, 1908 she was united in marriage with George W. Barrett of Andover, who, with a daughter, Miss Edna Barrett of Andover and a brother, Jesse H. Corwin of Dowagiac, Mich., also a foster son, Gilbert Barrett and a foster grandson, Gilbert Jr., survive.

Mrs. Barrett was a woman of genial disposition and fine character with a host of friends who deeply regret her passing.

She was a member of the Andover Methodist church, where the body will lay in state from 1:30 until 2:30 Friday afternoon, with services at 2:30, the Rev. Charles Kemp, Wellsville. Officiating. Interment in Hillside cemetery.

## Dr. Common Receives Army Commission

Dr. and Mrs. J. Robert Common were in Buffalo Wednesday where Dr. Common accepted a commission and was sworn in as First Lieutenant in the U. S. Army.

He is subject to a call for active duty on two weeks' notice.

## Exchange Club Entertains Ladies

The Andover Exchange Club held its annual ladies' night party on the A. R. Baker lawn Tuesday evening.

A bountiful picnic dinner followed by motion pictures and a social evening was enjoyed.

## Methodist Flower Show Very Successful

In spite of the weatherman, who apparently frowned on this year's Flower Show, with flooded flower gardens and more rain on the day of the festival, the annual Methodist Flower show and supper was very successful, with a good attendance and a fine display of flowers.

A fine supper was enjoyed as were the colored picture slides shown by Miss Ruth Robinson of her recent travels.

Prizes were awarded as follows:

Gladioli—First, Mrs. Allen Corwin; second, Hervey Thorne; third, Wisner Cook.

Gladioli—6 varieties: First, Hervey Thorne; second, Rev. Helena Champlin.

Dahlias—First, Mrs. C. H. Watson; second, Mrs. L. M. Trowbridge; third, Mrs. Emmett Robinson.

Asters—Hervey Thorne.

Zinnias—Hervey Thorne.

Lilliput Zinnias — First, Rev. Champlin; second, Mrs. Chas. Hoard.

Petunias—First, Hervey Thorne; second, Mrs. Inez Common.

Sweet Peas—First, Mrs. Carol Ruger; second, Charles Ruger.

Roses—First, Mrs. James Wentworth; second, Mrs. Charles Ruger.

Lilies—First, Mrs. Roy Guilford; second, Mrs. Clara Hann; third Mrs. Inez Common.

Cosmos—Hervey Thorne.

Scabiosa—Rev. Helena Champlin.

Phlox—First, Mrs. Inez Common; second, Hervey Thorne; third, Mrs. Charles Ruger.

Coreopsis—Hervey Thorne.

Pansies — First, Mrs. Kenneth Jones; second, Rev. Champlin; third, Miss Bernice Williams.

Calendulas—First, Mrs. Charles Hoard; second, Mrs. L. M. Trowbridge.

Marigolds—Mrs. Jennie Hitchcock.

Flowers in National Colors—First Mrs. Burr Ruger; second, Rev. Champlin.

Poppies—Mrs. Burr Ruger.

Larkspur—Mrs. Robert Common.

House Plants—Ferns: First, Mrs. Burr Ruger; second, Mrs. Harry Smith.

Begonia — First, Mrs. Emmett Robinson; second, Mrs. Jas. Wentworth; third, Mrs. Harry Smith.

African violets—First, Mrs. Jas. Wentworth; second ,Mrs. Harry Smith; third, Mrs. Carol Ruger.

Coleus—Mrs. Harry Smith.

Gloxenia—Mrs. James Wentworth Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. Clara Hann.

Cacti—Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Emmett Robinson.

Rare plants—Mrs. Clara Hann, Mrs. Emmett Robinson, Rev. Champlin.

Porch box—Mrs. John Nobles.

Junior exhibit — Ann Marie Green.

## Appreciation

We wish to express our appreciation to those who were so kind in thoughts and deeds during the illness of our daughter, Patricia.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loucks
Claude and Rebecca Loucks

## News to Publish Pictures Of Local Soldier Boys

Starting this week the News will endeavor to publish the pictures of all local boys in the services of their country. We will publish three pictures each week, with the name and last address of each one.

Anyone having a picture of any local boy wishing to have it published please bring it to the News office at your earliest convenience so that a half-tone may be made.

We publish this week three of Andover's sons from one family, namely Vincent Yannie, Emilio Yannie and Victor Yannie, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Emilio Yannie of this village who are finding their place in the ranks of the U. S. Army.

Andover people can be proud of the promotions of so many of the "boys" in service.

## Band Concert This Evening

The American Legion Band will play another concert from the steps of Baker's Hardware on Greenwood street this (Thursday) evening.

The following program will be presented:

March, Brooks Chicago Marine Band
Selection --------- Irish Melodies
March ----- First Regiment Band
Waltz ---------- Wild Flowers
March ---------- Bombasto

—Intermission—

March ---------- Invercagil
Overture ---------- Forepaugh's
March ------- Victorious Legions
Specialty ------ Any Bonds Today
March --------- Washington Post

Star-Spangled Banner

## Missionary Alliance Pastor Leaving

Clarence Seguine, pastor of the local Christian and Missionary Alliance church announces this week that he is leaving Andover next Monday, Aug. 24th.

Mr. Seguine plans to return to the Missionary Training Institute at Nyack, N. Y., in September, from which he expects to graduate next spring.

Further plans of the local Missionary Alliance church have not been announced as yet.

## Civil Defense Bulletin Board

Commander Holt of the local Civilian Defense Corps has installed a bulletin board in his garage window and bulletins relative to the local defense setup will be placed for the benefit of the general public on this board.

Watch this bulletin board and keep yourself posted on the developments and requirements of the Civilian Defense setup.

## Welcome Daughter

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Paine of Elm Valley this (Thursday) morning at the Wellsville Maternity hospital.

## News Briefs About Local Boys In U. S. Service

A letter received Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. John Dolan, dated August 3rd from their son Pvt. Gerald Dolan, states that he is fine and happy and on the high seas at the time the letter was written.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perry of the arrival of their son, Robert at the U. S. Marine Training Station at Parris Island. His address is:

PVT. ROBERT H. PERRY,
Platoon 625,
Parris Island, S. C.

Word has been received of the promotion of Lawrence Howland, from Corporal to Sergeant. Sgt. Howland is attached to the Cochran Air Field at Macon, Ga.

"Bill" Dougherty is listed among those of our local boys receiving a promotion. "Bill' now wears his Sergeant's stripes. His address is:

SGT. WILLIAM DOUGHERTY,
Company K, 169th Inf.,
Camp Shelby, Miss.

The address of Clifford Bixby has been changed from Dilworth, N. C. to:

PVT. CLIFFORD BIXBY,
R.C.N. Co. 66, Armored Regt.,
A. P. O. No. 252,
Ft. Bragg, N. C.

In a letter to friends in Andover, Sergeant Ernest Clarke writes, in part:

Camp Carson, Colo.
August 10, 1942.

Dear Friends:

Got your letter just as I returned from a two hour hike. This is beautiful country around here. There sure are a lot of sights to see. We are only 38 miles from Pike's Peak. We are going to the peak day after tomorrow. The commanding officer (who happens to be Colonel Clarence Hardy who used to live in Andover) said we could go with the army trucks of ours. It should be a nice trip. We are starting out in the morning and taking our lunch with us. We will get back some time in the afternoon.

There are a lot of other sights around here too, such as gold mines, mineral springs and most anything you can think of. You should see the silver dollars they have around here. If I get to come home some time I am going to bring some home with me.

I was in Denver over the week-end. It is about 75 miles from here. I was out to one of the amusement parks there Saturday night to a dance. The music was Abe Lyman and band.

It has rained here about every day since we have been here. That is because we are so close to the Rocky Mountains. We can see the Will Rogers Memorial right from our barracks. I am going up to it some day. They say the sights going up to it are better than the ones going to Pike's Peak. Tell everyone I said hello and I was thinking of them all.

As ever,
SGT. ERNEST CLARK,
8th Evac. Hosp.,
Camp Carson, Colo.,
U. S. Army

## Andover Central School to Open September 1st

### High School Pupils To Turn in Textbooks. Art and Mathematics Teachers Hired.

The Andover Central School will resume its activities for the new school year Tuesday morning, September 1st, according to a resolution passed by the local Board of Education at a special meeting held Monday evening. Opening of school before Labor Day will make possible some days off later in the fall for potato digging and other harvesting operations.

On Tuesday and Wednesday pupils will come for the forenoon sessions only. It is important that all pupils report for registration the first day. High school pupils who are now working must start the school year not later than Tuesday, Sept. 8.

Pupils entering kindergarten must be at least five years old by February 1, 1943, and pupils entering first grade should be at least six years old by that same date.

Plans are being made for providing high school pupils with textbooks for the coming year. According to a resolution passed by the Board of Education, high school pupils who return to school will turn in their old high school books used last year in exchange for the loan of necessary books for the new year. It is important that these books be brought to the pupil's home room the first day of school.

In the case of pupils who have been graduated or who are not returning to school, their books will be purchased by the school, provided they are to be used this year. Such books should be brought to the school office at once with all marks erased except the owner's name. The following books will not be used this year and therefore should not be brought: History A., History B, Prose and Poetry for Enjoyment (9th) and Prose and Poetry of England (12th).

A new art department has been established this year with Miss Helen Zeil as teacher. Miss Zeal comes from White Plains, N. Y., and is a recent graduate of the Art Department of Pratt Institute, Brooklyn. She will teach and supervise the art work in both grades and high school. Announcement concerning the art courses to be offered in high school will be made next week.

To fill the mathematics vacancy, the Board of Education has extended a contract to Miss Elaine P. Heinzelman of Hawthorne, N. Y., who was graduated from Teachers College, Columbia University in June 1942 with a major in mathematics.

## Miss DeRemer Speaks To Local W. C. T. U.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union enjoyed a very interesting meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of their president, Mrs. Hervey Thorne on Water street. The devotional services were conducted by Rev. Helena Champlin.

The outstanding number on the program was a most interesting talk by Miss Eleanor DeRemer, who has recently returned from several years as a teacher in Turkey. She gave a descriptive outline of the outstanding features of that country and its inhabitants.

Dainty refreshments served by the hostess and a social hour was also enjoyed.

## Observation Post Gets Army O. K.

Sgt. Henry and Pvt. Loden of the Contact Squad of the First Fighter Command, who are inspecting observation posts in Allegany county this week, inspected the Andover post Tuesday afternoon, where they found everything in order and made no recommendations.

Ten per cent of your income in War Bonds will help to build the planes and tanks that will insure defeat of Hitler and his Axis partners.