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Personals

—John Henslink of Panama is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lever.

—Charles Gath spent the week-end with his sons, George and Kenneth Gath at Chambersburg, Pa.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rennells of Tip Top were guests of relatives at Coudersport, Pa., over the week-end.

—Mrs. Louis Joyce and son Dennis spent Thursday and Friday with her mother, Mrs. Frank Kelley at West Almond.

—Lawrence Hunt returned Monday to Washington, D. C., after passing a ten-day vacation with his mother, Mrs. Carolyn Hunt.

—James J. Powers returned to Albany Friday after passing several days at the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kemp.

—Mrs. A. A. Kalkhof and daughter Betty of Meadville, Pa., are passing a few days at the home of her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Alvord.

—LaVern D. Langworthy of Westerly, R. I., is visiting his mother and brother, Mrs. Agnes Langworthy and Edson Langworthy and also relatives in Wellsville.

—Mrs. Vincent Connor and daughter Anna Mae have returned to their home in Utica after a two week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Walsh and other relatives.

—Mrs. Harriet Hoover has returned from a visit at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Williams at Baldwin, L. I., and also a visit with friends in New York City.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orville Kupp and daughter Freda of Roanake, Va., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Beebe from Saturday until Monday. Mrs. Kupp and daughter remained for a few days.

—Rev. W. L. Greene was called to Washington, D. C., Wednesday by the death of his uncle, James R. Greene, formerly of Alfred Station who passed from life that morning at his home in that city. James R. Greene's first wife will be remembered by older Andover residents as the late Mrs. Minnie Hall of this village.

—Miss Edna Rogers of Hornell spent several days with her father, William Rogers.

—Thomas Kelley and Mrs. Elizabeth Yager of Salamanca were guests at the Regan home Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Osborn are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Brickner in New York City this week.

—Charles Caple and Miss Edna Caple of Buffalo arrived today (Thursday) for a few days stay with Andover relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Waddill of Sandston, Va., were guests from Sunday until Tuesday at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loucks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burgett and son James and Mrs. Leslie Brundage visited Pvts. Charles Burgett and Leslie Brundage at Fort Niagara Sunday.

—H. P. Burdick of Rochester was a guest at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Menzo Burdick and also his sister, Mrs. Jennie Carr who accompanied him home.

—Rev. Helena Champlin is attending a meeting of the International Council of Religious Education as a representative of the Genesee Conference at Whilby, Canada.

—Captain Edward Cannon, who has been visiting at the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cannon, left Monday for New York City where he took a plane on Tuesday for Atlanta, Ga.

—J. J. McGuckin left for his home in the Bronx, New York City Saturday, after spending his vacation with his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. John Quigg and the Misses Mary and Alice McGuckin.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Quigg with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Murphy and daughter Ellen Marie of Hornell returned Saturday from Conneaut, O., where they attended the funeral of Mr. Quigg's sister, Mrs. Mary Walsh.

—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Terry of Elmira were guests over the week-end of her father and sisters at the Folsing home. Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Storner of Olean were also guests on Sunday at the Folsing home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Head, Mrs. Harry Kilbourne, Mrs. Merle Bliss and son Billy and Mrs. N. E. Raymer of Galeton, Pa., were dinner guests at the home of William Youmans Thursday. They were also callers of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Youmans.

—Miss Ida Mae Howland of Syracuse is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howland.

—Miss Ruth Walton returned Saturday from a week's visit with friends in Troy, Pa., and Brooktondale, N. Y.

—Mrs. Clark Fulkerson and five children of Akron, Ohio are passing two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hyland.

—Mr. and Mrs. Morris Goodridge and son, Mrs. Lawrence Goodridge and son and Mrs. Merle Linza called on Merle Linza at Fort Niagara Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrett, R. M. Barrett, Mrs. Frank Coyle and Mrs. Ruth Book of Buffalo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Joyce Thursday and Friday.

—Mrs. J. B. Murray of Wellsville and Mrs. Addison Scholes of Massachusetts, near Boston, were callers Wednesday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson.

—Mrs. Robert Rittenhouse and children spent from Friday until Monday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Fred Bradley and also Mr. and Mrs. Ward Rittenhouse at Tuscarora.

—Mr. and Mrs. Archie Youmans, with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stevens of Wellsville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kilbourne and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Head at Galeton, Pa., Sunday.

—Mrs. John McGinty, who has been visiting Andover friends and relatives returned to her home in Chicago Monday. Mrs. Kathryn McGinty accompanied her and will visit friends and relatives in that city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hinckley, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lamoreaux, sons Richard and Kenneth and daughter Joan of Rochester spent the day Monday at the home of their sister and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Chase.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Donnelly of Bolivar were Sunday callers at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Dailey. Mrs. Margaret Hallett who spent two weeks with them in Bolivar returned home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Clark of Arkport were Sunday guests at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cole and also Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Higby. Miss Elizabeth Clair who spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Higby accompanied them home.

—Mrs. Richard Johnson and son Frederick left Saturday evening for their return trip to their home at Philadelphia, Pa., after several weeks visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Coleman and relatives in Wellsville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Langworthy of Plainfield, N. J., were week-end guests of his mother and brother, Mrs. Agnes Langworthy and Edson Langworthy. They also attended the Parshall reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Brundage Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frazier and daughter Marlyn of Batavia were guests over the week-end of his cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nye. They were all dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. Nye's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nye at Independence.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kelley of Detroit, Mich., were guests at the Regan home Friday.

—Mrs. Pauline Croyle spent last week visiting relatives and friends in Olean, Buffalo, Cleveland and Akron.

—Mrs. Clark Slade of Washington, D. C., arrived Monday to pass a week at the home of Mrs. Carrie Slade.

—Carroll Burdick of Railroad Valley spent Sunday and Monday at the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norton of Ontario.

—Mrs. Dewitt Bostwick of Corning has been visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bostwick. They were all Rochester visitors Friday.

—Mrs. Frank Brown, with Mrs. Frank Foster of Elm Valley were in Buffalo Sunday to call on their brother and husband, Mr. Foster.

—Mrs. Harold Emery, Mrs. Carlyle Myers, Mrs. Clara Hann and Mrs. Charles Robinson were callers at the home of G. S. Robinson at Alfred Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Niles Sherman and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Blank motored to Wellsboro, Pa., Sunday guests of Mrs. Sherman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Green.

—Mrs. Lavern Metzker and daughter of Salamanca, Mrs. Clarence Crandall and daughters Marie and Shirley of Olean were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Snedeker Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. J. O'Laughlin and son Patrick and Mrs. Victor Hoagland motored to Rochester Tuesday where Patrick O'Laughlin had his tonsils removed at the St. Mary's hospital.

—Mrs. Ray Collins of Wellsville and Mrs. Florence Slocum spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Slocum's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Myers and attended the funeral of David Slocum.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Oakes and son Victor of Niagara Falls arrived home Saturday. Mrs. Oakes and son returned to Niagara Falls Sunday. Mrs. Oakes who passed some weeks with her son and husband remained.

—Mrs. James Lynch visited relatives in Buffalo from Thursday until Sunday, her son Donald Lynch, having enlisted in the Marines and left for Paris Island on Friday. Mrs. Mary Dower of Buffalo accompanied her daughter home for a two weeks stay.

—Callers from out of town at the Barrett home last week included: Jesse H. Corwin of Dowagiac, Mich., Mrs. Louise Corwin, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barber, Mrs. Homer Spencer of Friendship, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Corwin, Mrs. Raymond Dare, R. M. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Barrett, Mrs. Frank Coyle, Mrs. Ruth Book of Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith, Mrs. J. A. Barrett, Mrs. Fred Hoose of Olean, Mrs. James Mayes of Niagara Falls, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Greene of Alfred, Misses Monica McBride, Mildred Giles, Gertrude Chambers and Mrs. Alice Thompson of Buffalo, Miss Ernestine Smith of Olean, Mrs. Margaret Cable, Mrs. Elmer Lundi, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pease, Mrs. Nellie Gere and Paul Gere of Wellsville and Miss Dorothy McLaughlin of Avon.

—Miss Mildred Stebbins of Akron, Ohio was the guest of Mrs. Bessie Horton Friday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Renner of Buffalo were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hulin over the week-end.

—Mrs. Gloria Swiford of Niagara Falls was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Allen Sunday. Master John Swiford, who has been with Mrs. Allen for the past month, returned with his mother.

—Mrs. Ella Stearns and Mrs. Irene Hanson of Port Allegany, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Robertson of St. Petersburg, Fla., were callers of Mrs. Hattie B. Eggleston and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stearns and family Friday.

—P. J. Gallagher of Hornell passed the week-end with his mother, Mrs. E. Gallagher. Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Gallagher left Wednesday for Wilmington, N. C., to visit their son, John Joseph, who is at a training school at Camp Davis.

—Mrs. Guy Hulin is spending this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arland Russell in Nunda.

—The Misses Ruth, Carol and Janice Walton spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Louise Corwin at Friendship.

—Miss Helen Baker left Tuesday morning for Brooklyn, after passing the summer vacation with her sister, Mrs. John Vincent.

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Andover Theatre

Sat. & Sun., Aug. 29-30

"SCATTERGOOD MEETS BROADWAY"

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"SING FOR YOUR SUPPER"

with Jinx Falkenburg and Buddy Rogers

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"Always In My Heart"

Church Services

SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST

Rev. Walter L. Greene, Pastor

Sabbath services at 2:30 p. m.

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

Independence

Morning worship and sermon at 11:00.

Sabbath school at the close of the morning service.

Some significant things will be reported from the General Conference by the delegates.

The pastor, having been called unexpectedly to Washington, D. C., the pulpit will be supplied at Independence and Andover by Victor Skaggs of Alfred.

BAPTIST

Rev. Lloyd L. Tebo, Pastor

Sunday, August 30:

10:30 a. m., Morning worship. Mrs. V. C. Sweet, speaker.

11:45, Sunday pSchool.

7:30, Christian Endeavor. Raymond Lehman, leader.

The mid-week prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. H. E. Lehman, leader.

The members of the Christian Endeavor will have a corn roast at the home of Mr. Lehman Friday evening of this week at 7:30. Please bring your sandwiches, corn and pickles.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Thursday, prayer meeting at the church at 7:30 p. m.

Friday, young people's service, 7:30.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Morning service, 11 a. m.

Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Robert Shannon will bring the message in the evening.

Wednesday: Day for Prayer.

LESSON SUNDAY SCHOOL

JACOB SEEKS GOD'S HELP

International Sunday School Lesson for August 30, 1942.

Golden Text: "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."—Psalm 46:1.

Lesson Text: Genesis 31:2-12, 27-29

Our first lesson about Jacob told of a deceitful fraud upon his old father, Isaac, and a wrong accomplished against his twin brother, Esau, robbing him of the birthright and paternal blessing. Our present lesson tells of the reconciliation of the brothers 20 years later and presents forcibly the mutual pleasure and benefit which resulted from forgetting the past and living for the future.

For 14 years Jacob served his father-in-law and uncle, Laban, without pay as a dowry for his two daughters, Leah and Rachael, especially the latter who was the object of Jacob's undying affection primarily. At the end of that period Jacob suggested the advisability of leaving Laban's service, but was persuaded to stay on wages thereafter, altho the crafty Laban thought the terms of payment would work only in his favor.

Jacob's keen ability, however, saw that his interests were protected and Jacob grew wealthy year by year until Laban adopted a new attitude. While Jacob was laboring to make Laban rich, it was well and good, but now that Jacob was profiting Laban's friendliness declined. Jacob saw this and, after talking the matter over with his two wives, decided to depart secretly, fearing that Laban might take his property and wives from him by force otherwise.

It is well to note the character of the relationship between Jacob and Laban. The latter was crafty and selfish, having fooled Jacob in the matter of marriage, having changed his wages ten times in an effort, presumably to get the better of him, and always proving a hard taskmaster and an exact employer. Jacob reminded him how he had been required to answer for cattle torn by beasts and stolen by night or day, "of my hands hast thou required it."

Jacob's service had been efficient; he had come to Laban small in resources and built up for him great possibilities; he had been unsparing in his efforts for Laban, "in the day the drought consumed me and the frost by night, and my sleep departed from mine eyes," that proper care be taken of Laban's flocks.

Stealthily Jacob started on his return journey to his own native land. Laban pursued him, but after overtaking him they parted forever in friendliness. Mizpah was built and it has come thru the ages as a symbol for the separation of loved ones, "the Lord watch between me and thee when we are absent one from another."

So, Jacob continued his return journey, but no sooner had he eased his mind on the subject of Laban's anger and vengeance than new spectres presented themselves to disturb the peacefulness of his soul. Jacob was going home—what of his brother Esau, whom he had wronged, and from whom no token had come during these score of years? What fate awaited the homecoming Jacob?

The fear of Esau's wrath possessed Jacob, as well it might, for had not Esau openly proclaimed a purpose to kill him? Jacob did his best to avert such an evil and proceeded diplomatically in his efforts to allay Esau's anger. Messengers were dispatched to "my lord" Esau by "thy servant" Jacob, but the only information they could bring back was that Esau was approaching with 400 armed men.

No wonder Jacob was greatly afraid and distressed in mind, and in his need he went to God in prayer, the proper thing for mortal man to do. Confessing his unworthiness, admitting his fears, Jacob pled with God for deliverance. At the same time he continued his efforts to propitiate Esau. Goats, sheep, camels, kine, and other animals were sent forward in groups under different servants as gifts and peace offerings to Esau in an effort to make right the wrong of years ago.

No man can avoid responsibility for wrong-doing, however, and the inevitable day of judgment comes. Jacob journeying homeward, and Esau coming to meet him, hastened the hour when in the distance Jacob saw the signs of Esau's approach. Perturbed in mind he resolutely faces the future, places his beloved Rachael and her son, Joseph, in the rear of all his company, and, trusting in his God, Jacob bravely moves to the advance of his caravan to meet the oncoming brother.

What surprise and sweetness awaited him. "And Esau ran to meet him and embraced him, and fell on his neck and kissed him, and they wept." Score heavily for Esau who could forget and forgive and remark upon the good fortune of Jacob who had wronged a man with the capacity of mercy. Esau had prospered and was unwilling to allow a worn-out wrong to rob him of the happiness life could yet afford by the reconciliation with his brother. How badly the world needs such a spirit today!

98TH ANNUAL

Allegany County Fair

ANGELICA, NEW YORK

Wednesday Free Children's Day.

Horse Pulling Contest (Amateur Class) Wednesday Evening.

Horse Pulling Contest (Medium Class) Thursday Evening.

Horse Pulling Contest (Heavy Class) Saturday Evening.

Big Firemen's Parade Friday Night.

12 Marvelous Free Acts Each Day and Evening.

Running and Trotting Races Each Day.

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ANDOVER NEWS

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

VOL. 57, NO. 36. ANDOVER, N. Y., FOR THE WEEK ENDING THURSDAY, SEPT. 3, 1942. $2.00 Year; 5c Copy

10% OF INCOME IS OUR QUOTA IN WAR BONDS

Scrap Metal Salvage Drive Starts Here

Local Salvage Committee To Work in National Effort to Get Scrap Metal Working.

A shortage of scrap iron, steel and other metals in the plants thruout the country has made necessary an intensive campaign for scrap metal, which is starting this week with a large advertisement in local papers sponsored by the War Production Board. The advertisement will be found on page four in this week's News.

Acting along the same lines as in the rubber salvage drive, each community local salvage committee is in charge of the drive. In Andover C. M. Holt is local salvage chairman with H. W. Jackson, Robert Spicer, Howard Burdick and Ralph Burgett members of the salvage committee.

The nation-wide campaign is to bring in scrap iron and other metals from the farms of the country. It is the belief of those organizing the campaign that many thousands of tons of scrap iron are scattered about the farms, worn-out farm machines, coils of rusted wire, bent and broken pipe, discarded tools, bags of old bolts, nails, etc., tractors, harvesters, threshing machines, etc., that are no longer useful.

All this old iron is useless in its present state. But hauled in and finally delivered to foundries and steel mills where it is vitally needed, it will be of tremendous value.

We read of steel mills on part time production for lack of necessary scrap. This is delaying the war production program. Our boys are scattered to the four corners of the world engaged in life and death battle with our enemies. They can't fight without weapons—shells, ships, planes, tanks, and guns. It is up to us to see that they are supplied. They are appealing to us not to let them down.

The culmination of this coming scrap campaign will be a "scrap rally" a day or days on which a special effort will be made to bring in the scrap from farms, shops and wherever it may be found.

July and August This Year Wetter Than Last

Most Rainfall Recorded For Any Month Was in July 1935—July 1942 Holds Second Place.

The weather is always news, but in the past two months the weatherman's antics have caused considerable more comment than usual.

In looking over the meteorological record sheets at the News office we note that the month of July had 9.82 inches of rainfall for the month which was double the amount which fell in July 1941, and is second in the amount of rainfall since the Weather Bureau was established here. July 1935 holds the record with 11.29 inches of rainfall.

The maximum temperature recorded in July, 1942 was 86 degrees, while a year ago the thermometer reached 94 in July. The minimum for both this July and last was 40 degrees.

July 1940 had 20 clear days, 6 partly cloudy and 5 cloudy days. This July there were 18 clear days, 7 partly cloudy and 6 cloudy.

In August the rainfall this year also exceeded last year, there being 2.71 inches of rain this August as compared with 1.98 inches in August 1941. The maximum temperature in August 1941 was 88 degrees this year 84 degrees. The minimum temperature records show August 1941 with a low of 34 and 1942 with a low of 36.

August 1940 had 19 clear days, 9 partly cloudy and 3 cloudy. In 1942 there were 17 clear days, 7 partly cloudy and 7 cloudy days.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their words of sympathy and acts of kindness, the Rev. Carlin Fuller and those who furnished cars and flowers at the time of our bereavement.

Melvin Matison and family.

Local Boys In United States Service

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

FIREMAN 1st CL. HENRY ANTAN
U. S. P. C. 453
Key West, Florida

CORPORAL DANIEL REISMAN
Fort Ontario
Medical Department
Oswego, N. Y.

Firemen to Attend Angelica Fair

The Andover Fire Department, Firemen's Auxiliary and the American Legion Band will participate in the parade held this Friday evening, Sept. 4th at 7:30 p. m., which is firemen's day at the Allegany county fair at Angelica.

Due to war conditions, the local fire trucks will not be taken to the fair this year.

Miss Hardy Accepted In Nursing School

Miss Anna L. Hardy has received notification of her acceptance into the Edward J. Meyer Memorial hospital school of nursing at Buffalo.

The class will open October 1st.

Home Bureau News

The annual Home Bureau picnic will be held at the home of Mrs. Carl Burdick at Elm Valley Thursday, Sept. 10th. Open house will be held at the same time and all women of Andover and surrounding country will be gladly welcomed at this meeting. Members are urged to bring at least one friend with them.

This will be a tureen picnic, so please bring a dish to pass; also dishes and silver for self. Rolls and butter will be furnished. Each one is asked to bring a lemon and a little sugar.

If pleasant and warm enough the picnic will be held on the Burdick lawn. If not there will be plenty of room in the house.

Volunteers Needed To Operate Local Observation Post

At a meeting of the captains in charge of the local Army Observation Post, it was brought out that the organization was in need of a number of observers, especially those able to serve during the day time. During the summer months much of this day time work has been done by school children, who with the opening of school this week are now unable to perform this task.

Recent communications from the War Department are to the effect that the aircraft warning system is to be continued thru this section on a 24-hour basis, which means that an observers list of over 100 will be necessary to keep the post adequately manned and take care of emergencies that arise from time to time.

The Army considers this aircraft warning system important in this section and undoubtedly have their reasons for this conviction. So it is up to all patriotic citizens to inconvenience themselves to the extent of at least giving two hours a week of conscientious effort to the War Department in this endeavor.

Don't dodge the responsibility; show your patriotism and volunteer services to one of the following committee who are endeavoring to keep this post competently manned at the request of the War Department: Ralph E. Temple, John G. Dolan, Carlyle Myers, R. O. Snyder, Ralph Burgett, Harold Perry, James McDonough, C. C. Backus.

Letters and News Briefs From Boys In Service

The following letter was received from George Joyce, telling of his travels and experiences:

August 22, 1942.

Dear Dad and Mom:

Well here I am way out in Denver, Colorado. Boy they sure enjoy moving me around. It was a wonderful trip out here but awful long.

I received word of shipment Monday morning and left Miami Station at noon Tuesday. We went thru a number of the large cities on our way out. We came up along the east coast of Florida to Jacksonville. We had about a half hour stop here to take on ice for the air-condition cars. From here we went to Macon, Georgia and then to Atlanta. We were at the Atlanta Station for about an hour. We picked up some more soldiers who were going to Ft. Benning, Ga., so we left them off there. From Atlanta we traveled to Chattanooga, Tenn. It is a very pretty state, reminds me some of New York except it is very sparsely populated. The mountains thru this section were quite high and a mist covered them most of the time. I understand they are known as the Smokey Mountains because of this fact. We also saw Lookout Mountain just outside of Chattanooga. You are supposed to be able to see four states and seven counties from it. From here we traveled to Nashville. During this trip I saw the most beautiful sunset I had ever seen. The sun just down behind the mountains made everything a deep purple with the bright sky and deep blue background sure was a breathtaking sight. It was almost like a painting it seemed almost unnatural.

Up to this far I had been in four states: Florida, Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee. After leaving Nashville, Tenn., we travel thru Kentucky to Louisville,. Most of this trip was made at night so didn't get much of a chance to see the country.

From here we left for St. Louis and my first sight of the old Mississippi. It sure is big but still it gets bigger further on down south. We passed over it between East St. Louis and St. Louis. We traveled in under about one-third of St. Louis in a tunnel which came out in the heart of the city at the station. Next on our line was Kansas City, Mo., which is quite a nice city. We were held over here for five and a half hours so were invited by the U. S. O. to come up to their club. It was really swell because it was the first time we had been off the train since we had left. I had a good shower, something to eat and stretched my legs good. From Missouri we passed into Kansas, number seven state.

It is sure a flat country because you can look for miles and see nothing but flat barren land. It is some different country out here than New York State. The old state certainly would look good again but such is life.

During the night we traveled thru Kansas and in the morning we passed into number eight state, Colorado. I was very surprised to learn that Kansas and Colorado were so high. Most of the towns were about 5,000 feet above sea level but still the land was flat. At first the high altitude bothered my breathing but by now I am getting used to it. We arrived in Denver about 11:30 and were taken right out to Ft. Logan in the same train. Our boys were put in a truck and we marched to our barracks.

Fort Logan is located about eight miles outside of Denver. From here by looking west one can see the high old Rockies. Quite a few of them are snow capped. If I ever get a chance I am going to take the trip up Pike's Peak because they say it is some trip. The camp is almost new and our end is because we are the first ones in the barracks. From what I have seen it looks O. K. and I think I am going to like it. The weather is some different from Miami Beach, especially at night. The nights out here are quite cold and two blankets over you aren't too many.

Someone said we were to start school Monday but nothing official has been said. I have to walk about one mile for chow, which helps to get your appetite up. I sure do eat a lot more than I did at home. My weight is coming back again as I am up to 160.

Will close for now because it is almost dinner time.

GEORGE.

The following letter was received this week from "Don" DeRemer:

Camp Allen, Va.
Aug. 27, 1942.

Dear Rolly:

Your letter just came and I'm sorry that I didn't get to write sooner, but this is sure a busy place—5:30 in the morning to 9:30 at night. One night a week we have to take our turn standing watch for four hours, either 8 to 12 or 12 to 4 in the morning and we have no chance to make that lost sleep up. Another night a week we have to do air-raid patrol and lose some more sleep. One other fellow in our platoon and myself are going to a gunner's school for eight hours a day besides our regular drill, so you see I have very little time to sleep after eating, doing my washing and writing a few letters. I really like it tho, and everyone can if they make up their mind to do so.

The only place we have to write is sitting on our bunks with feet hanging off and write on our knee. We sleep two deep and I happened to get a top bunk which is a darned poor place to write as you can see. We sleep in double-deck beds (rather hard) instead of hammocks.

The food is very good which helps a lot. This camp is so new that it is still pretty rough, but should be a pretty nice place in another week or two.

We got our inoculations two at a time, which made us pretty sick each time for a couple days. My

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Band Concert Program For Tonight

The American Legion Band will present the following program tonight (Thursday) from the steps of Baker's Hardware store on Greenwood street.

March -------- Washington State
Overture -------- Alda
Mazurka ---------- Heather Bells
Selection -------- A Garden Dance
March ---- Spirit of Independence

—Intermission—

March ---------- Glorification
Selection ---------- Simplicity
March ---------- Our Director
Medley ---------- Over There
March -------- Washington Post
Star-Spangled Banner

David Davenport

David Davenport passed from life at the Glover nursing home in Andover Saturday night, August 29, 1942, following a short illness.

Mr. Davenport was born in Trumansburg, N. Y., April 13, 1861, a son of Warren and Jane Williamson Davenport. Before moving to Andover about 45 years ago he resided for a time on Beech Hill. He was a stone mason by trade and leaves many evidences of his handiwork in this section.

He is survived by a brother, Herbert Davenport of Spencer, N. Y.

Service were held at the Mulholland funeral home in Andover at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. W. L. Greene officiating, with interment at Yorks Corners.

Legion Band at County Fair

The Andover American Legion band will play the Allegany county fair on Saturday this year. The band also accompanies the local firemen in the firemen's parade on the fair grounds this Friday evening at 7:30.

County Fireman Annual Picnic Sept. 13th

Officials of the Allegany County Volunteer Firemen's Association announce the annual picnic of that organization to be held at Eggleston park on Sunday, Sept. 13th.

Soldier's Pictures

This week we publish the pictures and addresses of Corporal Daniel Reisman, son of Mrs. Simon Reisman, Private Clifford Bixby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bixby and Fireman First Class Henry Lee Antan, all of Andover.

Next week: John Cannon, John Herrick and Arnold LaBar.

Appreciation

I wish to express my appreciation to the neighbors and friends for the beautiful flowers, for the mass cards and words of sympathy at the time of the death of my father, Edward Ryan.

PAUL RYAN.

Chairman of Local Draft Board Enlists In Army

Neil S. Sullivan of Bolivar Sworn in Army Tuesday For Third Time. Will Leave Sept. 15th.

Neil S. Sullivan of Bolivar, chairman of Draft Board No. 534, has enlisted in the Army and was sworn in at Buffalo Tuesday, Sept. 1st, which also was Neil's 43rd birthday. He will report for active duty at Fort Niagara on Sept. 15th.

Army life will be no new adventure for him, having served nearly two years with the 23rd Engineers in the first World War, 17 months of which he served overseas. After being discharged from the engineers he enlisted and served a hitch with Troop A a cavalry unit of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Mr. Sullivan came to Allegany county in 1922 with the Iroquois Gas company, and has since been identified with various phases of the oil industry and was for some time a member of the staff of the State bank at Bolivar. He was active in the organization of the Allegany Refiners at Bolivar and served several years as secretary and treasurer of that organization.

He has been very prominent in all American Legion activities, having efficiently served as commander of the Bolivar Legion Post, Allegany County Commander, Commander of the Eighth District, Deputy Commander of New York State and in 1934 was a candidate for State Commander.

At present he is county chairman of the USO drive and district director of the First Fighter Command's Observation Posts in the county.

Mr. Sullivan is married and has three children.

New York Pool Price of $2.72 For August Milk

County Farmers Receive $200,296.40 For July Milk Says N. J. Cladakis, Milk Administrator.

The milk dairy farmers of the metropolitan milkshed have trucked this month to New York-area approved plants in six states will yield a uniform value of $2.72 a hundredweight according to a forecast announced by N. J. Cladakis, administrator of the New York metropolitan milk marketing area.

The administrator also announced that the volume of August milk will range in the neighborhood of 498,000,000 pounds.

"If the estimated price hits next month when the uniform rate is computed, the increase," Mr. Cladakis said, "will amount to 9.7 per cent in comparison with the August 1941 uniform price of $2.48.

"The gain of 24 cents a hundredweight is the compound result of higher fluid milk and cream prices this year and the increased value of butter and other surplus milk products.

New York-area approved plants in Alleagny county received and marketed 7,885,685 pounds of milk in the New York pool in July.

The milk was worth $200,296.40 at the uniform price of $2.54 a hundredweight, which is a rise of 17.7 per cent over the yield of the county's approved deliveries in July 1941.

Payments for butterfat in excess of 3.5 per cent, averaging 8.3 cents a hundredweight for the whole six-state milkshed, are not included in the announced value.

Stolen Car Found Near Pittsburg

Myrlan Phillipson was notified Monday by State troopers that his car, which was stolen June 19 had been found abandoned at Tarentun, Pa., which is about 20 miles out of Pittsburg.

As yet Mr. Phillipson does not have any information as to what condition the car is in.

County Legion to Meet in Friendship

The September meeting of the Allegany County American Legion and Auxiliary will be held in Friendship Thursday evening, Sept. 17th.