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Personals

—Almon Wood visited his father, E. S. Wood, at Oswego Tuesday.

—Mrs. R. L. Bennett of Rochester spent from Friday until Sunday at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoard.

—Mrs. E. J. Atwood, Mrs. George Carpenter, son Bobby and Mrs. Lawrence Ryckman spent from Friday until Sunday in Buffalo.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Tucker daughter Nancy and Miss Kay Metherell of Rochester were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Baker.

—Mrs. Wm. Woodruff spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Short at Addison and was also a visitor in Elmira.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Drake and George Drake of Bath spent Thanksgiving at the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Whiting.

—John Oakes of Niagara Falls spent from Friday until Sunday at his home. Mrs. Oakes, who has been with him in Niagara Falls returned home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howard McAndrew and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean attended the funeral of Mrs. Dean's nephew, Paul Shine at Wellsville Wednesday morning.

—Miss Ruth Robinson and Miss Gladys Davis of South Orange, N. J., spent from Thursday until Saturday with Miss Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Robinson.

—Mrs. Florence Earley is spending some time in Binghamton at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Borden while Mrs. Borden is receiving treatment in the hospital.

—Miss Jane Burdick of Railroad Valley, in company with Miss Luella Sisson of Almond visited Miss Sisson's brother, Pvt. Harold Sisson at Chanute Field, Ill., from Friday until Wednesday.

—Mrs. Ernest Theetge and children arrived from Seaford, Del. Thursday and will make their home here for a while as Mr. Theetge has been transferred from Seaford, Del. to Buffalo.

—Mrs. Roy Guilford returned Friday from Fort Knox, Ky. where she spent two weeks with Mr. Guilford who is stationed there and recently graduated from the tank division of the Armored Force School.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Longwell and two sons of Elmira were guests Friday at the home of her mother and sister, Mr. F. J Raufenbarth and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fuller. Mrs. Longwell remained until Wednesday.

—George Carpenter of Buffalo spent Thanksgiving with his family here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kemp were Hornell visitors Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bassett returned home Monday after spending a week in Buffalo and Lockport.

—Rev. and Mrs. A. W. MacDougal were guests Thanksgiving Day at the home of their niece, Mrs. Dana Scutt at Cuba.

—Mrs. Margaret Cable of Wellsville attended the Pinochle Club held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buffalo spent their Thanksgiving holiday vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Northrup.

—Mr. and Mrs. Owen Rardon, sons Junior and Donald and lady friend of Alliance, Ohio were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nobles in Shovel Hollow Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Archie Youmans entertained for the day Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stevens of Wellsville, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones daughter Sally and Francis Conrad.

—Mr. and Mrs. Austin Mee of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Fay Brown of Addison spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, called there by the illness of their father, Mr. Smith.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fisher entertained on Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Martin of Galeton, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fisher, daughter Suzanne of Wellsville, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stewart and daughters, Bonita and Kay.

—Mrs. James Randall of Wellsville was a guest of Mrs. Mildred Woodruff Friday.

—Mrs. Gladys Martin spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Martin at Galeton, Pa.

—Mrs. J. C. Ormiston of Cuba is spending some time with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. C. Huber Watson.

—Miss Patricia Dolan of Buffalo spent the Thanksgiving holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dolan.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Milligan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wickwire at Belmont on Thanksgiving Day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Corwin and family spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wightman of Richburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Goodridge and son Raymond of Alfred spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Davis.

—Robert Cornell, who passed months at the home of his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Howe, has returned to Hornell where he is employed.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper of Endicott were supper guests Sunday night of his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hoagland.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker and family spent Thanksgiving guests of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lewis at Young Hickory.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith entertained on Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sortore of Belmont and Mrs. Mae Sisson of Wellsville.

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—Miss Coretha Mead of Kenmore spent Thanksgiving with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mead.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Livermore were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Calkins at Belmont.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Joyce and son Denny spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley of Almond.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Gath and daughter Mary of Chambersburg, Pa. are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tassel of Independence were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stearn Thanksgiving day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Baker and daughter Janet of Wellsville were Sunday guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. John F. Baker.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wilcox of Hornell spent the week-end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Greene of Railroad Valley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Briggs and son Rudolph of Stannards passed Thanksgiving at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Howe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Guild and son Howard Leon of Jackson Hill and Mrs. Hattie Fuller of Cuba were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cook.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Emery entertained at a family dinner Thanksgiving day her mother, Mrs. Florence Slocum of Wellsville and Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Myers.

—Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Wright and two sons of Stannards spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Eva Hazlett. Mr. Wright also called on his father, William Wright.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. T. VanWie of Painted Post and R. K. Hammond of Rochester were Thanksgiving guests at the home of their sister Mr. and Mrs. George Blank.

—A. E. Smith and daughter Ernestine of Olean and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sortore of Belmont were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burrel Williams Thanksgiving day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Axel Olson and family of Alfred were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burdick and family of Railroad Valley Thursday night, in honor of the birthday of Carrol Burdick.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker, with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dennison and daughter Margaret of Hornell spent Thanksgiving day at the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cleveland at Allentown.

—Charles Heinbeck, Donald Lynch and Earl Long of Grand Island, Harry Store, Philip Oakley of Niagara Falls, Tony Ross of Lackawana and Tomas Dorywalski of Buffalo spent several days last week at the home of Mrs. Clara Lynch.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Will, Miss Edna Honegger and Donald Armstrong of Buffalo spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Honegger. Sunday they were all dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Will of Elm Valley.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Trowbridge entertained on Thanksgiving day Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Trowbridge and son Robert of Pulaski, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Trowbridge, daughter Myrtie Anna, son Jack of Syracuse, Mrs. Frank Halsey of Davis Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Trowbridge and Mr. and Mrs. James Cannon. Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Trowbridge and son and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Trowbridge and family spent from Wednesday until Sunday with their parents.

—Mrs. Cora Potter spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graves at Stannards.

—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Palmiter of Alfred spent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Livermore.

—Rev. Helena Champlin was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Devine at Alfred Thanksgiving Day.

—Fay E. Boyd and Harry Kemp attended the quarterly meeting of the F.B.I. school in Hornell Wednesday.

—Miss Kathleen Howland and Miss Jessie Burger of Elmira spent the Thanksgiving holiday with relatives in Andover and Elm Valley.

—Mrs. Viola Neu and Mrs. August Cavarletti and son of Hornell spent Sunday at the home of their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Neu.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Boyd attended a family dinner held at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Weihonig in Wellsville Thanksgiving.

—Norbert Lynch and Rollin Scott accompanied Richard B. McAndrew to Hornell Sunday afternoon where Richard took the train for Buffalo to report Monday at Fort Niagara.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burdick and family and Mrs. Vesta Norton of Railroad Valley were dinner guests at the home of their brother and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Norton at Angelica Sunday.

—Mrs. Roy Guilford spent the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gallman at Belfast.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tracy were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Edwards of Whitesville on Thanksgiving Day.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams and Mrs. Elnora Mathews were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lundt at Wellsville on Thanksgiving.

—Mr. and Mrs. John F. Baker and daughter, Ella were Thanksgiving day guests of their son Mr. and Mrs. Francis Baker of Wellsville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Church entertained on Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. Earl Greene of Independence, Mrs. W. J. Carpenter of Raymond, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Church, daughter Ann of Wellsville, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Coleman and son John. Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Church and daughter remained until Friday night.

(Other Personals on Page Four)

Andover Theatre

Sat. and Sun., Dec. 5-6

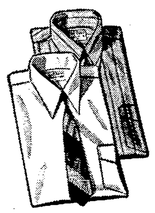
"IN OLD CALIFORNIA"

with John Wayne and Binnie Barnes

—Coming—

WINGS FOR THE EAGLE

"Ladies, come on this Christmas gift tour..."



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"And, ah, yes, the Arrow Handkerchief. **35c** and up

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The Andover News

ANDOVER NEWS

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

VOL. 57, NO. 50. ANDOVER, N. Y., FOR THE WEEK ENDING THURSDAY, DEC. 10, 1942. $2.00 Year; 5c Copy

Local Draft Board Designates Registration Places

Registrants Who Have Reached Their 38th Birthday Not Sent for Induction.

In an effort to save mileage and time, the Local Draft Board has designated one day in which each group in the Sixth Registration can register in their local community. Those not able to register at the local registration places on the day set will register at the office of the draft board in Wellsville any time during office hours in the week designated for the registration of those in their age group.

All registration hours are from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. on week days and from 9 a. m. until 12 noon on Saturdays.

Local registration offices will be opened in Andover, Allentown, Bolivar and Whitesville on Friday, December 11, Friday, Dec. 18 and Monday, Dec. 28.

In Andover the registration will be held at the Andover News office.

The Sixth Registration has been established as follows:

December 11 to 17 inclusive, all male persons in the United States born July 1, 1924 to August 31, 1924—Registration held on the 11th in your local community.

December 18 to 24 inclusive, all male residents born Sept. 1, 1924 to October 31, 1924. Local registration held on the 18th.

December 26 to 31 inclusive, all male residents born Nov. 1, 1924 to Dec. 31, 1924. Local registration held on the 28th.

Those born after Jan. 1, 1925 will register during regular office hours at the office of the board in Wellsville on the day of their 18th birthday, except Sundays and legal holidays, when they will register the following day.

Remember, if you fail to register locally on the date set, you must register at the office of the local board during the week set for registering those of your age.

Local boards have been directed not to forward any registrants who have reached their 38th birthday, Brigadier General Ames T. Brown, New York State Director of Selective Service said.

General Brown stated these instructions were forwarded in accordance with instructions of National Headquarters that the War Department had suspended immediately the induction of men who have reached the 38th anniversary of their birth.

It was stated that other questions having to do with the change of procedure and also in connection with the selection of registrants for the Navy must wait upon the receipt of directives.

Surgical Dressings

There is an abundance of gauze for the surgical dressings. The quota for these supplies has been advanced so everyone desiring to help prepare surgical dressings report on Tuesday's at the Joyce Hotel.

Lt. Common Transferred To Chicago

Word has been received here of the transfer of Lieutenant J. Robert Common from Forida to Chicago, where he has been assigned to duty with the Dental Clinic in the Air Corps.

Mrs. Common and son John are leaving this Saturday for Chicago to make their residence there for the present. The address is:

First Lieut. John R. Common
1641. E. 53rd St.
Chicago, Ill.

Soldier's Pictures

The soldier pictures published this week are:

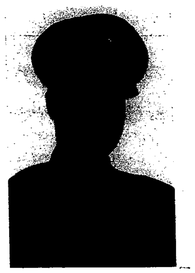
Captain Edward R. Cannon, nephew of J. E. Cannon, formerly of Andover.

First Lieutenant E. Claire Greene, son of Rev. and Mrs. Walter L. Greene of this place.

First Lieutenant J. Robert Common, son of Mrs. John Common of Andover.

The three boys are all graduates of Andover High School.

Local Boys In United States Service



1ST LT. E. CLAIRE GREENE
Medical Corps
Camp Hale
Bando, Colorado

CAPTAIN EDWARD R. CANNON
Lawson General Hospital
Atlanta,
Ga.

1ST LT. J. ROBERT COMMON
1641 E. 53rd Street
Chicago,
Ill.

War Rationing Book Deadline Set For Dec. 15

All Persons Who Have Not War Rationing Book No. 1 Should Obtain One.

All consumers who have not registered for War Ration Book No. 1 must register by December 15 with the local Board which serves the area in which the consumer regularly resides, according to War Price and Rationing officials.

War Ration Book No. 1 will be used by consumers to secure coffee rations. It will also be used to issue War Ration Book No. 2 and may be used to ration other commodities. It is therefore essential, that every individual have a War Ration Book No. 1 regardless of whether or not he buys sugar or coffee. Nobody will be able to obtain War Ration Book No. 2 unless he has War Ration Book No. 1.

Persons who do not have War Ration Book No. 1 include those who have not registered, those who have registered and have not been given books because they had excess supplies of sugar, and those who have surrendered their book to local boards for one reason or another as required by the regulations. are urged to register at once.

Warning Signal To Be Given For Air Raids

All that noise heard Wednesday afternoon was a practice whistle for the new air raid setup.

According to instructions received this week by local air raid officials, a warning signal consisting of one long blast of approximately five minutes will be given when the "blue" signal is received here. The condensory whistle will be used for this warning and when you hear the one long signal from the condensory whistle you will know that an air raid will be on in approximately 15 minutes. The blue signal usually preceeds the "red" by about that length of time.

Another blackout is scheduled for this week Friday night, with the yellow signal at 9 o'clock, the blue at 9:30, the red at 9:45 and the all-clear at 10:15.

Don't forget in the future, when you hear the long continuous whistle that it is a warning signal that an air raid is coming. The blackout signal is a series of short blasts, accompanied by the fire whistle and the warning signal is one continuous blast.

State headquarters has also issued a warning regarding heating units. All heating units, regardless of the type, that throw a reflection that can be seen thru a window must be screened in some manner, either by blacking the window or arranging a screen around the heating unit.

If you want to get rich, learn how not to spend.

Letters and News Briefs From Boys In Service

We publish two letters received this week by relatives here from Earl and Lynn Mation, now overseas, which will be of interest to Andover people:

Dear Folks:

Thought that it was about time I wrote. How is everybody. We have left Ireland. Was in England a while and then they decided we should be in Africa, so here we are. This isn't a bad country if it wasn't so dusty. But guess we will get used to it before long.

Lynn is located about 20 miles from here. Haven't seen him yet and don't know when I will be able to see him, but hope that it isn't long. Boy, I am in an awful position to try to write (I am lying down in a pup tent.)

I can't tell you what we are doing, but all you have to do is read the papers and you know more about it than we do.

Well, this is certainly a short letter but guess that it will have to do for this time. Did you receive my cablegram? Well, keep writing and smiling. Yours, EARL.

Nov. 20, '42.

Dear Dad:

I guess it is about time I dropped you a few lines and let you know I'm O. K. and I hope you all are the same.

I am now in North West Africa and I hope I never have to take a trip over this way again. We can't buy a thing over here as the people are starving as it is. We get enough to eat, that is one good thing.

The mail service isn't so hot here so you will receive this by about the second day of January.

I suppose you hear from Earl quite often.

I made Corporal last month. I get $79 a month now. I only hope I can can keep my rating.

Is there much snow up there yet? It is hot as the devil here in the day time but the nites are cold. We sleep in pup tents on the ground. I guess that is why we notice it so much. They don't have to call us twice in the morning because we are so cold it is a pleasure to get out and move around a little bit.

Well Pop, I guess I had better close for this time. Hoping to hear from you soon.

With love, LYNN

The following letter was received this week from "Bob" Perry, telling of scenes and country thru which he passed recently:

Dear Mom:

I just got two letters today that came from New River. I had a pleasant trip, especially thru the Rockies. The sun shining on the many kinds of rocks gives them all sorts of colors. We zig-zagged all over the country getting here avoiding all direct routes in case of sabotage. Much of the West is quite barren with the exception of a type of cactus that grows about ten feet high. I didn't see a tree after crossing the Mississippi.

We went thru the Carolinas, Georgia, Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada and finally California. Cattle ranching isn't done quite as much in these states as it is in Texas. I had a lot of fun on the way here with a boy from a ranch in Texas.

Nebraska is the most barren state I ever saw and about all they raise there is corn.

The base itself is better than New River. We have a library, movie house, three post exchanges and a recreation hall. Stars and big name bands are here every month. Western hospitality is O. K. too. We were treated by the townspeople in several places on the way.

Would you mind too much if I put in for transfer to the Parachute Troops?

I am going to fire the Reising submachine gun tomorrow. Hope I can get a bar medal for that. It is a light gun and can be shot without stock.

I guess this is all for now. Will write more in a couple of days. I am going to see the football stadium at San Diego on my first liberty. Be good. Love to all, BOB

My new address is:
Pvt. Robert H. Perry,
2-F-21 F.M.F.,
Camp Elliott,
San Diego, Calif.

The following letter from Max Baker was received this week which we will pass on to our readers:

Ft. H. G. Wright, N. Y.

Dear Folks:

I've got my washing done and have been up to the Post Exchange, PX as it is called here, so will drop a line before lights out. This fort is on an island nine miles by four miles in the middle of Long Island Sound, nine miles out of New London off the Connecticut coast and 140 miles from New York City by water. Have moved down the line six tents, am now living in tent number six. You'd be surprised how cozy this tent can be with that little stove in the center. I'm feeling as good as I have felt in a long time.

Sunday night a boat belonging to the Navy or Coast Guard ran aground just two or three hundred yards back of our tent. It made quite a noise with its fog horn calling distress signals and with the searchlights and all trained on it proved quite exciting. I guess no serious damage was done as it was gone today.

I quite often see submarines go by here, doing practice runs I expect. The other day I saw a destroyer. There are really some interesting things happening here. Every once in a while a convoy sails past headed for New London with supplies. Overhead a Navy blimp and a Navy sea patrol plane are standing guard continually. I presume they meet the convoy several miles out to sea then escort it on in to harbor. They take on where the Navy leaves off.

Today I received my rifle and gas mask. Yesterday went to a class

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'B' and 'C' Gasoline Coupons Distributed at School

Gasoline Coupons for Trucks and Fuel Oil Coupons Must Be Obtained At Wellsville

The "B" and "C" supplementary gasoline coupons for those whose affiliations have been made and approved by the Wellsville War Price and Rationing Board may be secured by calling at the school office any day between 8 a. m. and 5 p. m., or on Saturday from 9 a. m. to 12 noon. Any authorized person may get the coupons provided the registration license of the car for which they are issued is presented.

The gasoline coupons for trucks are not issued at the school, nor are coupons for kerosene and fuel oil. These must be obtained from the Ration Board office located in the Thornton Building, Wellsville.

More Men Called For Service This Week

The local Draft Board has announced the leaving, on Tuesday, of another contingent of men to report at Fort Niagara for active duty.

Rex Linza was the only one from Andover in this group. Others include:

Ralph C. Cavanaugh, Merle F. Boucher, Francis S. LaForge, Constantine A. Vlahos, Henry A. Musto, John F. Hollod, Glenn W. Thompson, Arthur W. Willard, William E. Aldrich, Jerome W. Dean, Wellsville.

Rayshel H. Rockefeller, Paul R. Pangborn, Louis Antoon, Robert C. Mills, Bolivar.

Frederick W. Allen, Whitesville.

Lee Otis Merrick, Cuba.

Paul J. Bliven, Scio.

Caroll L. Hollister, Buffalo.

Robert Markham, Dunkirk.

Another group went to Buffalo Wednesday for physical examinations.

Injured in Coasting Accident

Jack Wheaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Wheaton, is suffering a badly lacerated right leg in which 15 stitches had to be taken and Jimmy Burgett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burgett received numerous bruises and a bad shaking up from a coasting accident on Hann Hill Monday evening. The sled on which they were riding went out of control near the foot of the hill and crashed into a tree.

Special Firemen's Meeting Next Tuesday Evening

A special meeting of the Andover Fire Department will be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 15th, at which time a representative will be present to demonstrate the inhalator, aspirator and resusicator that the aspirator and resuscitator that the purchasing if satisfactory.

Henry Horan, Andover's Oldest Resident, Dies

Was Prominent Andover Farmer For Many Years and Active in Local Business Affairs.

Henry Horan, 88, Andover's oldest resident, passed from life quietly as he slept, early Sunday morning, Dec. 6, 1942, at his home on Chestnut street.

Henry Horan, son of Henry and Mary Wallace Horan, was born May 29, 1854, on the farm now owned by his son, Edward S. Horan on South Hill and has always resided in Andover township. When a young man he purchased the large farm on South Hill, which for years he successfully operated, retiring from active farming about 20 years ago. Mr. Horan purchased the home on Chestnut street in this village where he has since resided.

Mr. Horan was a man of fine character, a keen business man and a highly respected citizen. He was one of the original stockholders and a director of the Andover State Bank and following the merger of that institution with the Burrows National Bank to form the present Andover National Bank, was elected a member of the board of directors of the Andover National Bank in which capacity he has since served.

He was a loyal member of the Blessed Sacrament church of Andover and the Holy Name Society and assisted in the erection of the present church building.

January 21, 1872 he was united in marriage with Miss Ellen Dean of Andover, whose death occurred Feb. 8, 1913. Surviving are three sons, Edward and Leo Horan of Andover and Dean Horan of Schenectady; two daughters, Mrs. Louis Snyder of Andover and Mrs. J. P. Smith of Bradford, Pa. Also the following grandchildren: Misses Helen and Anna Mae Smith of Bradford, John Smith now in the U. S. Navy; Miss Elizabeth Snyder, Louis Snyder, Miss Ellen Horan, John Horan, Francis Horan and Mary A. Horan, all of Andover.

Services were held at the home at 9:30 Wednesday morning, followed by Requiem High Mass at Blessed Sacrament church at 10 o'clock, the Rev. Charles Keller officiating. Interment was in St. John's cemetery.

Fractures Arm

Patrick O'Laughlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. O'Laughlin, received a fracture of the left arm near the elbow in a tussle with another schoolmate, George Bliven, Wednesday afternoon. The fracture was reduced by Dr. S. B. Scott and Thursday morning the lad, with his parents went to Rochester to consult a bone specialist.

Jariah J. Whitcomb

Word was received in Andover the first of the week of the passing of Jariah J. Whitcomb at Ovid, N. Y., Friday ,December 4th, 1942.

Jariah J. Whitcomb, son of William H. and Prudence Woodard Whitcomb, was born in Scio, May 31, 1862. On April 3, 1894 he was united in marriage with Miss Emma Jane Brewster of Greenwood, whose death occurred April 8, 1927.

Mr. Whitcomb was a driller and farmer by trade and operated the Whitcomb farm on Greenwood Hill for a number of years.

Surviving are a son Paul Whitcomb of Olean, a daughter, Mrs. Van Coombs of Painted Post, a sister, Mrs. Ida Osterhout of Peru, Kansas, and seven grandchildren.

Services were held this Thursday afternoon at the Mulholland Funeral Home in Andover, the Rev. Lloyd Tebo officiating, with interment in the Brewster cemetery.

Observation Post Again Placed On Alert

The local Observation Post, which has been in operation on a 24-hour basis for the past three weeks, was again placed on the alert at 6:30 Tuesday evening by order from the First Flighter Command. The Legion appreciates the cooperation of the public in manning this post and requests all observers to stand by in case of another Alert Call.