LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Emerald Ordiway and family have moved from Railroad Valley to the house on Grove street which they recently acquired.

The Andover Rod & Gun Club released several cans of fingerling native trout in our streams this week, some of the fish being nearly six inches long.

Miss Agnes Fisher was taken to St. James Mercy hospital, Hornell this (Thursday) morning in the O'Laughlin ambulance, for treatment.

Mrs. George Gath and son and Mrs. Nelson Brewster and son returned to their respective homes from the Tullar Maternity hospital, Wellsville, over the week-end.

The Ladies Aid of the S. D. Baptist Church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Dan Witter Tuesday afternoon. A good attendance enjoyed a social afternoon.

Concord and Niagara grapes are reported a very light crop in the Hammondsport area. Growers claim that those which didn't freeze were ruined by rot caused by excessive rains.

The Army announced last Friday the termination of all contracts for cigarettes. The Army had contracted 163,135,000 packs of cigarettes for delivery during the remainder of 1945.

Mrs. Margaret C. Clary, Allegany County Home Bureau demonstration agent for the past three and one-half years, has resigned and left for Geneva where she will make her future home.

The Past Noble Grands held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Laura Witter, with a 7 o'clock supper and program recently. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Grace Greene.

Reuben R. Milgate of Wolf Run, near Cuba, observed his 99th birthday last Friday, Sept. 7th. Mr. Milgate is still active in farm work, milking cows, feeding chickens and doing general light work.

The Baptist Ladies Mission Circle will meet Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 18, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Carrie Slade. Mrs. Hoyt will have charge of the program and Miss Minnie Clair, the devotionals.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt E. Starr of Bolivar observed their 60th wedding anniversary with open house at their home in the afternoon and evening, last Thursday, September 6th. Mr. Starr is a retired Sinclair gauger.

County F. S. A Supervisor, Archie Champlin, has announced that the Allegany County office of the Farm Security Administration will be closed on Saturdays, beginning September 15, in keeping with the Federal 40-hour week program.

Victor Hoagland has sold his property a mile east of Andover to Arthur Genung. Mr. Hoagland and family are planning to leave Andover this week-end enroute to Seattle, Washington, where they expect to make their home.

Leonard C. Butler, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Butler of Yorks Corners, is in Jones Memorial Hospital, in a critical condition, the result of being struck by a car near his home, Saturday afternoon. The lad ran from behind a load of hay into the path of an approaching car.

Awarded $10,000 For School Bus Injuries

A verdict of $10,000 was given Betty Lou Wilson, 17, town of Independence, Wellsville High School senior, by a Supreme jury here late Thursday afternoon last week, in negligence action which was brought by her guardian father, Floyd E. Wilson, against the Belmont Quadrangle Drilling Corporation, Wellsville, and Fred House, Shongo. The jury had the case but one hour, reporting at 5 P. M.

Miss Wilson was seriously injured Oct. 9, 1944 at the intersection at Stannards of Route 19 with the Hallsport state highway. A five-passenger car used as a school bus, filled with students on the way to the Wellsville high school, and driven by James House, 17, a son of Fred House, collided with a three and one-half ton Ford truck owned by the corporation mentioned and driven by Fred Williams, 58, Wellsville.

The young woman's left forehead was cut above the eye and laid back over the head.

W. S. C. S. Meets With Mrs. Burgett

On Tuesday evening, Sept. 11th, the ladies of the W. S. C. S. were served a 6:30 dinner at the home of Mrs. Ralph Burgett. Mrs. Burgett was assisted by Winifred Wentworth, Vivian George, Cora Snedeker, Pauline Yorton and Ethel Gath.

There were 43 members of the society present Among the guests were the Rev. and Mrs. John Amundson of Bethany Methodist Church, Corning.

Following dinner the regular business meeting was conducted by President Ora Gath. Two delegates, the president of the society, Mrs. Ora Gath, and the spiritual life chairman, Mrs. Clara Hann, were appointed to attend the annual W. S. C. S. convention which takes place at Central Park Church, Buffalo, October 3rd and 4th. Plans were made for redecorating the church dining room.

An anouncement will be made later as to the date of the next W. S. C. S. meeting.

WANDERING WITH WILLIE

EVEN though the big World's Horse Traders Convention was held over to Dansville this year, yours truly managed to find out the best swap-deal that was pulled at the celebrated event—and as usual Andover again headed the list.

It seems a couple of our playful "youngsters" decided to take in the convention on the spur of the moment, and having no good swapping material, decided to go without. Upon hitting the convention grounds they spied what to them was the prize of all antiques, a Shetland pony that could have voted in Harding's days. So the deal was on—the owner wanted nine bucks but to Andover hoss dealers that was too much so down came the price bit by bit until five bucks was reached and a final toss of the coin and a little more arguing brought the price down to a good rock bottom, $4.50. They then led their prize about the grounds, doing odd jobs on the way, and finally the pony became so tired of the convention that he sat right down dog-style and refused to humor the boys any longer. A short time before he had met two lady Shetlands but didn't seem to be very romantic on that bright and sunny day. So on down the grade went the swapping deal, only this time it was a goat that was the apple of the eyes of our townsmen. A perfectly good he-man goat, plus $1.50 in cash took the pony and our boys started gaily on their way to broader fields. But here the story must end as we have cajoled and threatened, but be doggone if we can find out what happened to that goat.

JUST because the war is over and the boys are beginning to come home, don't forget there are still most of our boys "over there" yet—and still others who have been and will be hospitalized for some time yet. Just a reminder, that's all.

NOW IT CAN BE TOLD — and, believe it or not, it is what the city folks think of this much-debated slacks argument that has had us behind the eightball in the past. This contribution from one of our larger cities follows:

Don't Look Now, Butt . . .

The perfect face is hard to find,
But harder still, a neat behind.
Some far too thin—some much too plump,
Yet others with unsightly hump.
Some, closely cased, their contours hide,
Some gaily jig from side to side,
And some that wobble blithe and gay
Bulge boldly in the oddest way.
Some near the shoulder blades are found
While others barely clear the ground,
And some delight the artist's eye,
While others, it seems, don't even try.
The perfect face, it seems to me
(If you're observant you'll agree)
That makes the hardened heart go "Thump"
So seldom tops the perfect rump.

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