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Andover Couple To Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Cowles Whiting are invited to join in helping them celebrate their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary at the Andover Masonic Temple, Sunday, June 23rd from 2 to 6 p. m.

Mr. Whiting and the former Jessie King were married in Canisteo June 20th, 1913 by the late Rev. Joel Clarke Glover, pastor of the Canisteo Presbyterian Church.

Attendants were her sister, Mrs. Grace Rewalt and Dr. Glee W. Cheesman, both of Hornell. Mr. Whiting was a former school teacher and principal in several schools in Steuben Co.

In 1938 they moved to Andover where he was employed for 20 years for the Empire Gas and Fuel Co., as an electric welder, until he retired in 1957. They have one son, Douglas Whiting of Andover and three grandsons, Charles of East Lansing, Michigan, Alfred of Buffalo and Merlyn of Williamsport, Pa.

Spirit Of '76 Celebration News

The Senior Class of 1963 have selected the three candidates for Queen of the Andover Fire Department who are: Alice Gross, Janice Reil and Carol Peckham. The Queen and two attendants will lead the Fourth of July Parade and also accompany the Firemen to the Allegany Firemen's Convention in Allentown on July 11th at 7:00 p. m.

The Firemen will canvass the Village starting Friday evening thru the coming week to sell tickets to the Chicken Bar-be-cue that will be held at the Fire Hall on the Fourth of July. Provisions have been made to furnish a delivery service to those shut-ins living in the Village who are unable to attend the Bar-be-cue at the Fire Hall. Anyone interested in this service can call Andover 478-5827 before June 29, 1963.

The Parade is shaping up very well, with many floats, marching units, and Horse displays already pledged to participate. Everyone is invited to enter a float or have their unit participate in the line of march.

The Andover Central School Band will furnish music for the parade and there will be a variety of concession stands on the School Parking lot through the courtesy of local organizations.

The baseball game originally announced as between members of the Firemen and members of the Chamber of Commerce has been changed to read Firemen versus the very hot local Babe Ruth

News That's Part To Fit

We were all shocked and saddened to learn of Jack Dixon's sudden illness, and close brush with the grim reaper and are glad to report that as of this morning he is much improved and apparently not suffering any serious lasting effects from his attack.

We know that his many friends have just about driven Hermy to distraction with their frequent inquiries and phone calls but this was about the only source of accurate information that we could turn to as we didn't wish to bother his family in their vigilance at Jack's bedside.

Knowing how hard it is to keep a good man down our advice to Jack is to take it easy, follow the Doctor's advice, and enjoy his forced stay in the hospital with all those pretty nurses waiting on him.

We have noticed a lot of "moonlighting" activity in the vicinity of the Baptist Church lately, so last night we stopped to see what was going on. After much difficulty we finally found a spokesman for the construction crew who brought us up to date on the project.

We found Ken Ordiway, his brother (Barber Paul), his younger brother, Dale, "Sambo" Perry and Stanley Ormsby still hard at work at 11:30 p. m. Rev. Holmes had just left, as had Lyle Hulise and "Si" Pelton who has usually been in on the project, but was looking after his wife as a result of a bad fall in her home.

The steps and entrance to the Church were of wood structure and very much in the need of repair so the above crew under Ken Ordiway decided to do something about it and volunteered their services.

The new entrance will all be faced with decorative sandstone with a glassed in porch which will make it very attractive looking and will be a vast improvement.

The only large output of cash that faces the project will be for the purchase of the glass for the enclosed porch, so if anyone has some plate glass that they wish to donate and put to a good cause contact "Si" Pelton or Ken Ordiway and they will gladly pick it up.

We are happy to announce that there will be fireworks for the 4th of July Celebration thru the generosity of several local businessmen that will be given credit later on for their contributions.

- 4th of July Schedule
- 9:30—Bells of Freedom
 - 10:30—Crowning Queen
 - 11:00—Parade
 - 12:30 - 3:00—Chicken Bar-be-cue
 - 5:00—Ball Game
 - 2:00 - Till—Concessions
 - 9:30 (approx.) — Fireworks

We have noticed that the lot at the end of South Main has been cleared thanks to Harry Alford. We understand the Bisons are enjoying the harvest.

Legion Notice

All members of the Local Firing Squad or Legion Members are requested to meet at the Legion Home at 3:00 p. m., Saturday afternoon to attend the American Legion Funeral Services to be held at Hillside Cemetery for Ernest "Pop" Burdick.

Piano Recital

Music students of Mrs. John E. Holmes of 5 Church St., presented a recital at their teacher's home Tuesday, June 18, at 7:45 p. m. Many parents and friends attended. The following piano students played two selections each: Connie Baker, Susan Burgett, Debra Nichols, Lynn Panton, Donald Pitts, Karol Gavin, John Lang, Cheryl Pelton, and Carol Masters. Susan Emery played selection on the piano accordion. Following the recital, Mrs. Holmes served refreshments assisted by Mrs. Charles Pitts.

Harold W. Emery

Harold W. Emery died at his home on Baker Street Wednesday evening at 12 o'clock, June 19, 1963, following a long illness.

A life-long resident of Andover he was born July 9, 1897, the son of Frank and Ethel Moore Emery, and was a retired foreman for the Bradley Producing Corporation.

Mr. Emery, a Veteran of World War I was a Past Commander of Lynch-Burgett Post American Legion and a holder of the Purple Heart. He was a former member of the Andover Volunteer Fire Department and a member of the Andover Methodist Church.

He was united in marriage June 21, 1919 with Lulu Slocum who survives together with a son, Donald Emery and three grandchildren, William, Robert and Susan.

Funeral Services will be held at the home on Baker Street Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, the Rev. Alfred Gross officiating with interment in Hillside Cemetery, Andover.

ATTENTION FIREMEN

All Firemen are to be at the Fire Hall, Saturday, June 22nd at 6:00 P. M., prepared to march in the Firemen's Parade at Hornell, Parade Position Washington St., No. 15.

Youth Baseball Activities

LITTLE LEAGUE ALL TIED UP!

The Yanks lost 8-6 to the Mets Friday night, June 14th and to the Angels 8-7 Saturday morning thus tying up the Little League with all 3 teams having identical records of 2 wins and 2 losses.

In Friday's battle, Dick Joyce pitched his second complete game, giving up 4 hits and striking out 12 batters.

For the winners, Bob Brown had 2 hits including a double, Dan Billings a double, Dick Joyce 2 hits including a double, Joe DeRemer one hit which drove in 2 runs and Greg Shellman two hits including a triple.

For the losers Charlie Joyce had 2 hits, one being a triple.

Saturday morning, the Angels took the measure of the Yanks by the score of 8-7. Stackwick was the big hitter for the winners with 2 hits. Rod Brown had a double for the losers and Charlie Joyce had a triple.

The Mets meet the Angels at 6:30 p. m. Friday at the Silk Mill Diamond; and the Mets play the Yanks at 10:30 a. m. Saturday.

Saturday, June 15th, the Andover Babe Ruth Team lost by a score of 11-3 by a strong Air Preheater team at the local baseball diamond. Timely hits by the visitors with the bases loaded sent the local team to its second defeat of the season.

The Andover Babe Ruth Team has 3 games this week, all of which are away from home. Thursday, June 20th, they journey to Wells-ville to meet the Worthington team at 6:00 p. m., and Saturday, June 22nd they meet Scio at Scio at 2:00 p. m. Monday, June 24th they meet Belmont at Belmont with the game scheduled for 6:00 p. m.

Everyone is invited to attend the Youth Baseball games and support our local teams. The larger the attendance, the more encouragement and incentive the youngster will have. Come one!!!! Come All!!!!

Masonic Notice

Members of Andover Lodge No. 558 F. & A. M., will meet at the Masonic Hall at 3:15 p. m. Saturday afternoon to attend the Masonic Memorial Services for Brother Ernest "Pop" Burdick. Masonic Services will be held at the Baird Funeral Home in Wayland Friday evening at 8:00 p. m. Any local Masonic members that can attend these services will meet at the Andover Masonic Lodge at 7:00 and attend in a body. Freeman Dennison, Master

State Master Dedicates Hall

The dedication ceremonies of the new Andover Grange Hall were held Wednesday, June 12th with Russell Curtis of Cazenovia Master of the New York State Grange, the guest speaker.

The ceremony was opened by invocation given by the Rev. Alfred Gross Ph. D., Pastor of the Andover Methodist Church.

State Master Curtiss addressed the group congratulating the members on the accomplishments of the new Grange Hall. That it was a compliment to the members and showed what Grangers can do if they make up their minds and work together. This experience comes only once in a life time as a rule in the life of a Grange and it is with pride of ownership that this Hall was dedicated at this time.

Master Curtiss stated that for ninety years the patrons of Husbandry had been working in mutual governmental organizations. The Grange doors "swing in" to the women and youth in a far reaching useful service to mankind, loyalty to country and to God. The training of youth in the Subordinate Grange work in their degrees prepared them for future community activity. The opportunity to attend leadership schools, prepare the group for greater responsibilities in the agricultural program.

Participating in the dedication ceremony were Earl Atwell, acting master; Stephen Clarke, acting overseer; Charles Lynch, master; Stephen Clarke, Clifford Burdick, Howard Green and Harold Sisson, altar bearers; Noma Jean Clarke, Bible bearer; Edna Budick, chaplain; Fred Sisson, overseer; Victoria Lynch, lecturer; Lelia Livermore, Pomona; Daniel Perkins, steward; Michael Baker, assistant steward; Melinda Baker, lady assistant steward; Richard Baker, flag bearer.

A poem to our Sheaf Members was recited by Mrs. Elizabeth Lynch honoring Mrs. Edna Burdick Miss Annette Taylor and Miss Ruth Taylor as being fifty year members of the Andover Grange No. 1098. Each was presented a corsage of yellow roses and white carnations tied with gold ribbon, by Mrs. Stephen Clarke. A plaque of golden sheaves was presented to each by State Master Russell Curtiss. Other golden sheaves members introduced by Miss Victoria Lynch were Mrs. Nellie Mead, oldest member; Clifford Burdick, John Dodge and Charles Nevol, Sr.

Congratulations were extended to Silver Star members by Miss Victoria Lynch honoring Mrs. Lelia Livermore, Mrs. Lenna Mead, Francis Mead, Mrs. Jane Sisson and Harold Sisson. The ladies were presented a yellow roses and white carnations corsage with silver ribbons and the men received white carnation boutonnieres from Mrs. Delores Clarke. Earl Atwell Master, presented each a silver certificate in recognition of 25 years membership.

Mrs. Jane Sisson and sister, Mrs. Phyllis Mattison at the piano sang a duet, "Robin Singing in the Rain".

In closing the state master presented a plaque to Andover Grange No. 1098 engraved with the words, "Esto Perpetua, 1963" which was accepted by Earl Atwell, Master.

Appropriate remarks were expressed by Mayor Paul Kilbane, that with the purchase of the property on Greenwood St., an improvement had been added in the neighborhood with the new hall. Congratulations were voiced by Robert Drake, Woodhull, State Grange Overseer; Ernest Witter, Cuba, State Grand Deputy for Allegany County; Melvin Slocum, Caneada, Pomona Master; and Warren Sebal, Basom Deputy Master of Genesee Co.

Refreshments were served to approximately 200 guests at the close of the ceremony.