

Dr. Ray Wingate To Be Honored At Music Festival

The mighty bells of the Davis Memorial Carillon at Alfred University will ring forth in joyous tribute to the man who has served as carillonneur for 26 years Sunday afternoon, July 21.

At that time, all Alfredians will honor Dr. Ray W. Wingate for his faithful service as "master of Alfred's bells", in the first annual Rosebush Music Festival.

This festival, the first in a continuing series, has been made possible through the bequest of a former Alfred man, Waldo E. Rosebush, who died last fall.

In his will, the income from his savings in the Alfred Mutual Savings and Loan Association was directed to be used for a "music festival in the Village of Alfred on some suitable day each year."

Dr. Frederick Marriott, internationally known carillonneur from Detroit, has been engaged to play for the recital honoring Dr. Wingate. He will play the premiere performance of his own composition, "Wingate Fantasia", in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Wingate.

Throughout the program, scheduled for 3 p. m., Fred Palmer will comment on the history of the bells and Dr. Wingate's service.

Following the recital, a reception in honor of the Wingates and Dr. Marriott will be held at the Campus Center, with members of the village board, their husbands and wives, acting as hosts.

A special feature of the recital will be the playing of the bells with brass ensemble. Anthony Cappadonia and Jack O'Neil, music professors at State Tech and Alfred University, respectively, have organized a brass ensemble to play three numbers, "O God Our Help," "Findandia," and "Onward-Christian Soldiers," with Dr. Wingate at the clavier.

Dr. Wingate, a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston with a major in voice and public school music, came to Alfred University in 1912 as director of music after teaching for two years at Kansas State Normal College.

"I had never even heard a carillon before, much less played one," Dr. Wingate commented. "I found there was no music written for carillons, and that you had to write your own arrangements", he said.

Dr. Wingate's technique is self-taught, for he never had a lesson on carillon playing in his life. Since becoming Alfred's Carillonneur, he has written more than 7,000 arrangements of folk songs, patriotic songs, hymns, and national songs for the instrument.

Dr. Wingate, one of 41 carillonneurs in this hemisphere, served as president for two years of the Guild of Carillonneurs in North America. He has traveled three different times to Europe, playing 14 of the carillons there. He also has presided at the clavier of 81 of the 408 Western Hemisphere carillons.

And so, in accordance with Mr. Rosebush's wish, the sound of music will float through Alfred's hills once a year, with the treasured carillon and their master, Dr. Wingate, the first to be honored.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. George McCaffery of Greenwood Hill announce the engagement of their daughter, Sally Marie to Mason Burdick son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Burdick of Scio.

Miss McCaffery is a graduate of Greenwood Central School and a senior in the Rochester General Hospital School of Nursing. Mr. Burdick graduated from Wellsville High School and served four years in the U.S. Navy and is now employed at the Mixing Equipment Co., in Rochester.

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Howard L. Gath Dies Unexpectedly

Howard Lyle Gath, 45, former longtime resident here, died unexpectedly Sunday following a sudden attack of illness suffered at the home of his sister, Mrs. Clyde Yorton, Chestnut, St., where he was visiting.

A superintendent of agencies for Farmers and Traders Life Insurance Co., of Syracuse, Mr. Gath had resided here from 1930 to 1950, at Saranac Lake until 1953, at Watertown until 1956, and since then at Liverpool, N. Y., where he resided at 202 Bartlett Ave.

He was born Nov. 3, 1917, at Little Genesee, the son of Charles G. and Ora Hildreth Gath. He was married Jan. 14, 1943 to Ethel Jaekle.

Surviving are his wife, both parents; two children, James Douglas and Jean Marie, both at home; three brothers, Walter A. Gath, Andover; Kenneth E. Gath of Port Jefferson, L. I. and Charles E. Gath of Rochester, and his sister, Mrs. Pauline M. Yorton.

Mr. Gath was a member of the Lions Club of Liverpool, Baldwinsville Grange, and Liverpool Methodist Church. He was a veteran of World War II, and was active in leadership of Boy Scouts and Little League organizations at Liverpool.

Funeral services were held this Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the Andover Methodist Church with Rev. James McConell of Liverpool officiating. Burial will be at Valley Brook Cemetery, Andover.

Scout News

"Patrol spirit of the pioneers" will be the theme for Troop programs this summer at the Wolf Creek Boy Scout Camp, according to Clare F. Harris of Ellicottville, camping chairman.

Operated by the Seneca Council, the 300-acre camp is located near Portville, N. Y., and will operate from July 7 to August 3. More than 300 Boy Scouts and teenage Explorers from Cattaraugus and Allegany Counties are expected to participate.

Program emphasis will be given to teamwork through patrols, and to the kind of self-reliance that the early pioneers had.

The actual program schedule will feature camp-fire competitive events, merit badge and other advancement interest groups, camp wide flag raising and retreat ceremonies.

Courts of Honor — Boy Scout recognition ceremonies — will be featured at the close of each one-week period.

Mother Dies

Mrs. Laura Wallace Phelps, mother of Robert Phelps of Andover, died unexpectedly Tuesday July 9, 1963 at the Corning Hospital. She was 87 years old.

Born in the Town of Fremont, she resided in Arkport for the past 20 years. She was the widow of Jesse B. Phelps.

Survivors include three daughters: Mrs. Edith Livermore of Coopers Plains, with whom she resided for the past few months, Mrs. Myra Fox of Dansville and Mrs. Ruth Blakely of Tampa, Fla.; three sons, Charles B. Phelps of Rochester, Clayton J. Phelps of Arkport and Robert L. Phelps of Andover; one sister, Mrs. Addie Hamilton of Birdsall; 17 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Robertson Funeral Home in Hornell with burial in the Arkport Cemetery.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Allen M. Harvey announce the engagement of their daughter, Bedelia Anne Harvey to Robert Steven Waugh son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Waugh of Albany, New York.

Boost Your Home Town!

News That's Print To Fit

It was with deep regret that we note the untimely passing of one of Andover's active Legion Members, who was a very familiar figure associated with the Andover Legion Drill Team shortly after World War II.

Howard was Drill Sergeant for the Legion Squad and helped build the Drill Team into a precision outfit that won several prizes in their competition.

He was also very active in other Civic Affairs and if our memory doesn't fail us, Howard was the one that talked yours truly into being Interlocutor in the then Exchange Club Minstrel Show shortly after World War II.

We join his family in their grief and are sure that his memory will be preserved in the Annals of Andover History for many years to come.

Contrary to the rumor that was floating around town the first part of the week, the 20 watermelons that were supposed to have been lifted from in front of the Market Basket one dark night, were either the fruit of someone's imagination or else someone put down 19 and then picked up 20.

On checking with Mr. Depp, manager of the store, we were told this morning that according to his count there was only 1 out of the entire 150 that was not present or accounted for.

Let's see, now — how many times do you suppose the story was told before we heard it in order to go from 1 to 20?

It seems as if Gremlins have been plaguing "Fred and Red" as far as the Community TV line is concerned.

The high winds Sunday and Monday turned the new Channel 2 antenna that they put up recently until it was pointing towards Cleveland instead of Buffalo, which naturally accounted for a poor picture on that Channel Monday and Tuesday.

Tuesday evening the boys went up on the hill and turned it back to its proper direction and anchored it fast. (We hope.) They also put all new tubes in the Channel 7 amplifier, figuring that this would pep it up to its previous high level.

Imagine their dismay when coming back down off the hill and checking they found it still wasn't up to par. It was then that they discovered that the high wind had blown down one of the poles part way down the hill which unfortunately had an amplifier on it.

Thus back up the hill and across country they went, and after a little strenuous exercise, dug out the pole hole and reset the pole, driving in stakes and guying it with heavy wire ending up around dark.

Now we find that Channel 7 is poorer than before so evidently the tubes in the amplifier got "shook up" in resetting the pole so tonight we have the prospect of another cross country ride to check out this amplifier. Oh well, if we are doing this at least we can't be accused of chasing cars or women.

Around Memorial Day on decorating the graves of relatives in local cemeteries we discovered that some necessary repairs were in order to put them back in good shape. (No foundations under some of the stones, etc.)

On mentioning this to one of the local residents they remarked that they had done some cleaning up on some of the old lots in the Hillside Cemetery and had discovered that some of the oldest graves there were completely overgrown.

This morning we went up to see for ourselves and found that there are indeed many stones dating back over 100 years that are tipped over and completely covered up with vines, brush etc. It seems too bad that these

Mrs. Joseph Hemmer

Mrs. Mildred W. Hemmer, 81, native and longtime resident here, died Sunday afternoon, July 14, 1963 at the home of her son, Harland E. Coats of 91 Seneca St. Wellsville.

Mrs. Hemmer lived all her life in Andover until she went to Wellsville 12 years ago to make her home with her son.

Born March 12, 1882, she was the daughter of Homer and Emily Slocum Perry. She was married first to Prentice Coats, who died in December, 1930, and later to Joseph Hemmer, who died in August, 1950.

She was a member of the Andover Methodist Church.

Surviving are her son in Wellsville, four grandchildren, six great grandchildren and one brother, George Perry of Andover.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the James B. Mulholland Funeral Home with burial in Hillside Cemetery.

Fred E. Updyke

Fred E. Updyke, died Friday morning, July 12, 1963 at his home in West Union. He was 75 years old.

A native of Independence, he has lived in this area all his life. He was the Assessor and Democratic committeeman for the Town of West Union at the time of his death and a retired employe of Empire Gas and Fuel Co.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Belle Wallace Updyke; one son, Paul Updyke of Rochester; two sisters, Mrs. Laura Witter and Mrs. Martha Kibler, both of Andover and one grandson.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m., Monday at the family home with the Rev. Leland Bowman, former pastor of the Whitesville Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Whitesville Rural Cemetery.

Library News

Have you read these books from the Andover Free Library: "Magnificent Destiny", Well-

man "Buyer of Dreams", Judson "Murder by the Book", Lock-

ridge "She Fell Among Thieves", Travis "The Moon - Sinners", Stewart "The Surgeon", Heinz "The Glass Blowers", DuMaur-

ier "O Ye Jigs and Juleps", Hudson "Through the Valley of the Kwai", Gordon

"Wyoming Summer", O'Hara "The Reivers", Faulkner "Ring of Bright Water", Maxwell

"Sold to Lady in the Green Hat", Bailey

News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

F. T. J. Michael J. Smith arrived home Friday, July 12th after being transferred from active duty to the Reserve Corps and is spending two weeks vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of Elm St., before returning to his work in Syracuse.

Grange News

The regular meeting of Andover Grange will be held Wednesday night, July 24th.

Each family bring weiners and rolls for their own family.

memories and monuments of over a century ago can't be cleaned up and restored for future generations to see before they are completely lost and covered up.

Any volunteers for this project?

If anyone should be looking for Howard Nichols, including his wife, for the next two weeks, it is more than likely he is out selling tickets to the Andover Rod & Gun Club Clam Bake on Sunday, August 4th.

Youth Baseball Results

Yanks vs Angels

In Little League action Friday night the Angels beat the first place Yanks 9 to 6 in a very exciting ball game.

The Angels were leading 5 to 1 going into the top of the fifth and with two out, the Yanks got five runs on three hits, one Angel error and two bases on balls to take the lead 6 to 5.

In the bottom of the fifth, the Angels came back with 4 big runs, two coming on a home run by Danny Grant.

Other hits for the Angels were a double and a single for S. Phelps and J. Partridge, double by D. Stackwick and a triple by R. Gowd.

For the Yanks, E. Childs, R. Schrader and C. Joyce each had singles, D. Billings a double and J. Stephens a single and a double.

Andover All-Stars Edged By Scio

Scio All-Stars edged Andover All-Stars 7 - 5 in eight innings Saturday morning. At the end of six regulation innings it was all tied up 4 to 4. Scio scored three times in the eighth while Andover scored one run.

C. Joyce, D. Grant and D. Joyce held Scio to eleven hits over the eight innings while the best Andover could do is garner six hits.

J. Partridge had a Homerun, G. Shellman was 3 for 3, R. Barnes had a double and C. Joyce a single.

Little League Season will wind up next week, so come out and see the boys close another year of baseball.

In the Babe Ruth Circuit Wednesday, July 17, the Worthington Team of Wellsville edged the Andover Squad by a score of 1 - 0 in a well played, pitchers duel. Gene Rosintosi went the route for Andover striking out 9 of the Wellsville team.

This leaves Andover with a 4 win - 4 lost record for the season this far.

Monday, July 22, the Belmont Team comes to Andover to finish a previous tie game and to play another regular league game. This will be played at 5:30 p. m. on the Andover High School diamond

Proclamation

For many years farming, has ranked as the third most hazardous occupation. Only mining, including quarrying and petroleum drilling, and construction have higher death rates.

National Safety Council statistics show that motor vehicle, home, and public accidents—the three largest accident categories nationally — hit farm residents about as hard as the rest of the country.

It is in work safety that farming lags behind. Work accidents are second only to motor vehicle accidents among farm residents, comprising 31 per cent of the total.

Other industries have developed safety procedures that have made work accidents the smallest of all four categories. These same procedures, put to work on the farm, can bring farm safety back into line with the national record.

Accident prevention is a year-round job. An official "week" is simply a reminder that emphasizes the importance of that job.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Nelson A. Rockefeller, Governor of the State of New York, do hereby proclaim July 21-27, 1963

FARM SAFETY WEEK in New York State.

GIVEN under my hand and the Privy Seal of the State at the Capitol in the City of Albany this Twenty-fourth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-three.

Signed NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER

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