

WELL DESERVED CREDIT!

An Editorial

Local parents, and young people alike, deserve a great deal of credit for the successful conclusion of another Hallowe'en evening.

It certainly must be gratifying to the adults to see that their faith in the young people of Andover was not disappointing after arranging an evening's entertainment for them to help keep them out of trouble.

From where we sit, our evaluation of the entire evening is that it was a huge success.

The Parade, despite the rainy weather, seemed to be the largest one to date on Hallowe'en.

We stopped in at the Theatre and checked with the C of C members that were present and found that around 125 youngsters were at the show. It was a beautiful movie-in Technicolor and the proprietor of the Theatre is to be commended on putting on a show of this calibre for the event. Perhaps another year, if plans are made far enough in advance, an all cartoon movie could be arranged and publicized which would more than likely draw an even larger crowd.

Thru the joint efforts of the American Legion, Chamber of Commerce, and the Andover Central School Student Council, the dance at the Legion Home was certainly a howling success.

We checked in briefly to see how things were going and the place was so packed with young people having a good time that we beat a hasty retreat.

On checking with Mr. Masters, advisor to the Student Council, and the members of the joint committee sponsoring the dance, we found that the students themselves took care of the details even to the clean-up part of it.

We rode around town all evening ourselves so that we would be able to observe first hand anything that might occur, and were very gratified to see that no apparent damage was done by the young people.

Naturally windows were soaped, with a few pranks being pulled likewise, and a little horse-play with water filled balloons was started but when we started taking flash pictures this ceased. These playthings, when thrown at cars, could result in an accident so it was really necessary to put an end to it—but we have been as good as our word and the only pictures that were developed and printed are of the "Two most popular people in Town"—which appear elsewhere in this week's edition.

A lot of work must have gone into this effort—so while the grown-up "kids" were spending their time at this project—they were too busily engrossed to get into anything else, and judging from the results, everyone seemed to get a big laugh out of their antics.

Let's hope that this year's pattern will be an example to follow in the future years to come!

ORCHIDS TO LOCAL VOTERS

An Editorial

We were very pleased to see that Local Voters turned out in good numbers to cast their ballots for the candidates of their choice and also took an active interest in voting on the proposed amendments.

It is regrettable that the voters in the Cities followed the usual predicted path of voting yes on the Amendments and we dare to hazard a guess that at least 70 per cent of them didn't even know what they were voting on.

We are proud of the fact that our local voters didn't follow the predicted path of rural voters and vote No on all of these Amendments, but instead voted on each one separately according to the information that they had at their disposal.

We feel that if voters throughout our entire country would take this much interest in every election, this Nation wouldn't be slowly heading towards what appears to be a Federally ruled "Welfare State."

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GREENWOOD NEWS

Grace Young, Reporter

Gary Chaffee, President of Explorer Post 62 and his brother, Duane, Assistant Senior Patrol leader of Troop 62 received the rank of Eagle Scout at a Special Court of Honor at the Methodist Church Tuesday night. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Chaffee and both boys started with Cub Pack 62. Duane was first to earn requirements for Eagle rank and also received the God and Country Award last year. Gary has served as a staff member of Camp Gorton for two years.

Lawrence McCarthy of Hornell, Western District Advancement Chairman was in charge of the Court of Honor. The Rev. John Harrison gave the Invocation and Mrs. Albert Lamphier was organist. Wesley Tennant, Principal of Greenwood Central School was narrator with Scouts holding the insignia of each rank stepping to the front. Robert Hoagland, Vocational Agriculture Teacher at G.C.S., was speaker. Taking the story of Joseph he recommended that each boy needs to develop strong character and not seek revenge but return good for evil. The Citation was read by Howard Brewster, Supervisor of the Town. Taking part in recommending the boys as to character and community service were Jerry Burd, Fred Kirk and Clair Kernan, Scout Committeemen. Scoutmaster Edward Mullen and Post Advisor Hayden Cook gave the pins to the parents to pin on their sons. McCarthy also presented pins to the boys to pin on their mother. Sheldon Kernan, who received his Eagle Rank last year presented each boy with two books on Scouting. Other former Eagle Scouts of the Troop are Leo Genung and Pete Stephens. Refreshments were served in the hall by Scout Mothers to over a hundred Scouts and friends.

B. E. Burger, Welfare Officer for Greenwood reports the November surplus will be at the Town Office in Kernan Store this Thursday. Recipients are to bring containers and signed cards to collect the food from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Hallowe'en was observed very quietly in Greenwood. Boy Scouts volunteered to clean any store windows that were marked. Parents attended an assembly at G. S. C. Thursday afternoon for the annual parade of children Kindergarten through Sixth Grade in costume. The Student Council sponsored a Hallowe'en party at the school in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Holt were hosts Sunday night for the family supper at the Methodist Church with 40 in attendance. Rev. Robert Myers gave the invocation. Following the supper a film, "Seconds to Midnight" was shown in the church.

Rev. Myers announced a Prayer Meeting and Official Board Meeting at the church Thursday evening in preparation for Special Services to be held beginning November 15th. The congregation was treated to extra music Sunday Morning. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Myers of Butler, Pa., cousins of Rev. Myers, sang several duets.

Mrs. Cora Burley, Mrs. Rachel Holt, Mrs. Pearl Bassett, Mrs. Elva Sherman and Mrs. Daisy Teribury, members of the Women's Division of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints worked Thursday and Friday for the Church Rummage Sale at the I.O.O.F., Hall in Hornell. They report a net profit of \$70. Mrs. Libbie Sampson spent Thursday afternoon with the ladies.

Correction: — It was the Rev. William Hickey, Chaplain at St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell who performed the marriages rites of Miss Margaret Brown and William O'Rourke.

The Rev. Robert Kress was a patient in a Buffalo Hospital and had just gone for a few days with friends in Lockport. Rev. Kress, who had been pastor of the Rexville and Canisteo Catholic

Churches, has been transferred to St. Andrews Church in Rochester. The Rev. Vincent P. Collins, assistant pastor of St. Ann's Church in Hornell since 1957, has been appointed pastor of St. Mary's Church in Rexville and St. Joachim's Church in Canisteo, effective November 6th. He has been helping in the parish during the illness of Rev. Kress. Sunday, October 27th a Confirmation Class of the two churches was held in Rexville at 3 o'clock for 66 children and 9 adults.

Greenwood Central School will be closed Monday in observance of Veteran's Day.

Redmond Goodno of Buffalo spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Goodno and attended the Church Family Night.

Principal Wesley Tennant and Lloyd Chaffee of the Board of Education attended the Annual Meeting of the New York State School Boards at Syracuse last Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane McCormick and family moved Friday from the Robert Cheesman house to Andover.

Mrs. George Puffer reports that her nephew, Reed Sampson is now on the crew of the USS Goodrich based from Florida. Reed is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sampson of Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Flay Pease of the Andover Road was the guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wallace from October 25th to Monday November 4th, coming to attend the wedding of Miss Gloria Wallace and Clair Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Palmer of Wellsville attended the Eagle Scout Court of Honor Tuesday night to see Gary and Duane Chaffee receive the Rank of Eagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hussey attended Homecoming events at Houghton College Friday night and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brown of Livonia were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Edwards of Hornell called on her mother, Mrs. Clayton Scribner Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Knight of Jacksonville, N. Y., were week-end guests of her Aunt, Miss Ellen Young and took Miss Ellen Young and Miss Grace Young to Hornell for Sunday dinner at the Sherwood Hotel in honor of the birthday of her aunt.

Mrs. Pearl Bassett received word that her son Sgt. George Bassett, based at Elgin Air Force Base in Florida is transferring to Kessler Air Force Base in Mississippi for a special course.

Mrs. Julia Scribner of Whitesville, Mrs. Belle Updyke of West Union, Mrs. Laura Scribner and Mrs. Edith Pease were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wallace Thursday.

Miss Judy York brought a classmate from the School of the Deaf in Rochester to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton York. His mother, Mrs. Ruth York of Andover attended church with the family Sunday and went to Rochester with them to take the girls back.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Chaffee and sons, Gary and Duane were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Palmer at Wellsville.

Miss Ellen Young, Miss Grace Young, Mrs. Mary Young were supper guests of Miss Sabrey Stephens Wednesday night to celebrate the birthday of Miss Ellen Young.

Radioman 3/C and Mrs. Billy Chitwood and daughter, Vickie Lee of Pensacola, Florida, were recent visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dixon and family.

Mrs. Pearl Bassett spent the week-end with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burley and family at Stephens Mills.

Mrs. Anna Wood went to Canisteo with Mrs. M. P. Wheeler Wednesday and spent the afternoon with her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Wood.

Swim or sink, live or die, survive or perish with my country was my unalterable determination. —John Adams-Works

Turning Back
The Pages
of Andover History(Taken from the Files of
The Andover News)

50 YEARS AGO

Oct. 31, 1913

J. H. Backus, Publisher

Frank and Leon Bloss have purchased of S. H. Cleveland his grocery business, corner of Main and Greenwood Streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartley Joyce are the parents of a son, born last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Garvin are the parents of a son born this week.

Herbert Warfield and Lee Trowbridge went to Willsville, Oct. 22nd, where they will drill for Harley York.

Mrs. William Corey, 45, died at her home on Water Street, Sunday night. Her husband and a daughter survive.

John Casey came home from Binghamton Saturday to pass Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Casey, Sr.

40 YEARS AGO

Oct. 26, 1923

J. H. Backus & Son, Publishers

John H. Faisant, Supt. of the Andover Silk Mills, died at the St. James Mercy Hospital Sunday. His wife and four children survive.

Mrs. Homer Donaldson, 58, died Friday, October 19th. Her husband survives.

W. E. Densmore had the misfortune to have his arm fractured in a run-away accident.

Miss Mayme Dean of Lackawanna passed the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Dean.

Mrs. Evelyn Barney of Buffalo is visiting at the home of Miss Emily Barney.

Mrs. James O'Boyle of Belfast is spending this week at the home of her father, Richard McAndrew.

Editor J. Harvey Backus was in attendance at the New York Publishers Association in Rochester, Friday and Saturday.

George C. Wewley was called to Lunenburg, Canada Wednesday by the illness of his father.

30 YEARS AGO

Oct. 27, 1933

J. H. Backus & Son, Publishers

John Deming in company with his nephew, Rutherford Deming of Denver, Colo., were calling on A. B. Cook in Almond last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Steadman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Milligan and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wickwire of Scio.

Mrs. David Waiter, Mrs. Earl Howland, Mrs. George Vickers, Mrs. Harold Hardy and Mrs. Lyle Mulconery attended a Rebekah Past Noble Grands luncheon at Cuba, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Longwell and sons of Elmira were Sunday guests at the Raufenbarth-Fuller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson and Mrs. Frank Teasdale were Sunday guests of Miss Reta Wiles of Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Horton and children of Buffalo were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Slocum.

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