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## "Operation Advance" Meeting Held

The first meeting of "Operation Advance" program was held last Thursday evening at the local Citizens Bank Conference room with Principal James H. Kessler, Chairman; Dr. Finla Crawford, Reid Mattison, Donald DeRemer and Ralph Allen attending.

Community growth and development was discussed considering the housing shortage, economic needs of the Community as well as possible Business Development Sites and areas.

Questionnaires were filled out by each individual and sent in to "Operation Advance" headquarters for evaluation.

Due to a previous scheduled PTA meeting on Feb. 20th, the next meeting of the group will be held Thursday, Feb. 27th at 8:00 p. m., at the Harold Sisson residence.

Anyone interested in the program is cordially invited to attend.

## News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

Fort Bliss, Tex., Second Lt. Robert M. Conde, 22, son of Mrs. Marco J. Conde of Andover, is scheduled to complete an officer orientation course at the Army Air Defense School, Fort Bliss, Tex., March 27th.

Lt. Conde is receiving instructions in the duties and responsibilities of a newly commissioned air defense officer.

The Lieutenant is a 1959 graduate of Andover Central High School and received a bachelor of science degree in 1963 from Alfred University. He is a member of Kappa Psi Upsilon fraternity.

Before entering the Army Conde was employed as a teacher at Whitesville Central High School.

Clarence Davis, PR/3 of Quoinset Point, R. I., spent the weekend with his family.

SP4 and Mrs. Jack Clark and son of Beverly, Mass., left Tuesday after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark of Davis Hill, and other relatives in Andover, Anglica.

Jack's address is:  
SP4 Jack Clark  
US 51501831  
Batty "D" 3rd Missile BN.  
Danvers, Mass.

## Republican Caucus

TAKE NOTICE—The Caucus of the registered Republican Voters of the Village of Andover will be held at the Andover Central School Auditorium Saturday, February 22, 1964 at 8:00 p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for Two Trustees on the Republican Ticket and for the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before the said Caucus.

ROBERT A. BAKER  
HUGH BARLOW  
CARLYLE MYERS  
Republican Village Committee

## Attention Firemen

A pump practice on the new fire engine will take place Wednesday, February 26th at 7 p. m.

## Community TV Assn. To Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Community TV Antenna System Association will be held Saturday night, February 28th at 7:00 p. m. in the downstairs lounge of the Lynch-Burgott Post No. 897, American Legion Home.

All members are urged to attend this annual meeting. Please use the side entrance on West Center Street.  
Ralph A. Allen, Treasurer

## Chamber of Commerce Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Andover Chamber of Commerce was held last evening at the Grange Hall with 31 present enjoying a tasty roast beef dinner served by the ladies of the Grange.

A short business meeting was held following the dinner with Wendell Vars, President, presiding.

Fay Boyd reported that "Herrn" Wallace had done a commendable job of keeping the Village Skating Rink cleaned off at no expense to the Village or Taxpayers. He was given a big round of applause and several members commended on how much the young people as well as grown-ups had enjoyed the skating facilities.

The inadequate lighting situation at the Ponds was discussed and several possibilities were suggested but no action was taken.

"Mike" Gath reported that the "Teen-Age" dances which are jointly sponsored by the American Legion and the C of C, have been very well attended and have been a huge success with at least 80 young people in attendance at every dance.

He also commended the young people for their exemplary conduct and appreciation of the program.

The dates for the annual Minstrel Show were set for Friday and Saturday evenings, May 1st and 2nd with committees to be announced later.

Possibilities of bringing new business to Andover was discussed with the President empowered to appoint a committee of interested businessmen to study the subject.

## Buffalo Evening News 1964 Almanac Now Available

The one and only complete reference book about Western New York, The Buffalo Evening News Almanac and Fact Book for 1964 is now available.

Thousands of facts available in no other single volume, particularly information about Western New York county town and village officials, make The News Almanac invaluable to residents of this area. Lists of articles are correct as of January 20. Every town and village of the eight Western New York counties is represented in The News Almanac.

Weather probabilities—especially forecast for Western New York by Dr. Wolfgang K. Blitzenregen—holidays, season changes, sunrise and sunset time for the Buffalo area, census data and name of state and federal government officials assigned to the Western New York area also are listed.

The flavor of old-time Almanacs is retained in the 1964 News Almanac, for it includes such items as recipes; how to entertain at tea; a schedule to assist prospective brides in their wedding plans; the care of wood furniture and even how to tell fortunes with playing cards, as well as horoscopes.

## Farewell For Dr. and Mrs. Gross

Friends of Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Gross are cordially invited to attend a farewell gathering in the Andover Methodist Church parlors Sunday, February 23rd from 3:00 to 5:00 in the afternoon.

Dr. Gross will assume his duties March 1st in the University Methodist Church of Buffalo, N. Y.

## OES Notice

The regular meeting of Anna W. McArthur Chapter No. 242 will be held at the Masonic Temple, Monday evening, Feb. 24. All Officers are requested to be present. The refreshment committee will be Mrs. Iva Sisson, Mrs. Althea Phelps and Mrs. Rosemary Wightman.

## Local March Of Dimes Net \$575.00

Mrs. Marie Alvord, Chairman of the local March of Dimes, reports that \$575.00 was Andover's contribution for 1964. Mrs. Alvord wishes to thank all those who contributed, also the workers who assisted in this program. Following is a list of those participating: Mrs. James Gavin, Miss Connie Lewis, Mrs. Harry Joyce, Mrs. Fay Boyd, Miss Margaret Wood, Miss Marguerite Rick, Mrs. Rob't Smith, Miss Marianne Meyn, John Coats, Mrs. Edward Wilson, Mrs. Ruth York, Mrs. Rosemary Burgett, Mrs. John Howland, Miss Donna Brown, Mrs. Fotine Norton, Mrs. Bertha Hardy, Mrs. Leo Alvord, Miss Jean DeRemer, Mrs. Marian Tidd, Miss Janet Burger, Mrs. Wellman Burch, Mrs. Glenn Halsey, Mrs. Erma Lewis, Mrs. Fred Sisson, Robert Dougherty, Mrs. Robert Dunham, Mrs. Elmo Barden, Miss Marjorie Dixon, Francis Guinn, James H. Kessler, Miss Agnes Taylor, Mrs. Florence Greene.

## Grange News

### Andover Grange

Andover Grange will meet Wednesday, February 26th at 8:30 p. m. Deputy Master Ernest Witter and Juvenile Deputy Margaret Witter of Cuba, N. Y., will be present. Let there be a good attendance.

### West Greenwood Grange

The West Greenwood Grange met Saturday night at the Grange Hall and conferred the First and Second Degree on Annette Archibald of West Greenwood Grange and Martha Lynch of Andover Grange.

Catherine Murray was chosen as Princess and John Coats as Prince to represent West Greenwood Grange in the Pomona Prince and Princess Contest to be held in April.

The next regular Grange Meeting will be held Saturday, March 7th at which time the County Deputies, Mr. and Mrs. Howard DeMunn of Troupsburg will make their Official Visit. All members are urged to attend.

### Sister Dies

Mrs. Grace K. Rewalt, 78, of the Homell-Almond Road, the widow of James E. Rewalt, died unexpectedly at her home Friday, February 7, 1964.

A native of Greenwood, she resided in Hornell before moving to her present home 15 years ago.

She was an employee of the former Neil Gleason Inc., Store in Hornell and a former employee of Rosenbaum's, Hornell. She was a charter member of the Women of the Moose, a past regent and a member of the Academy of Friendship of the WOM.

Surviving are one son, R. King Rewalt of Goshen; one step-son, James W. Rewalt of Rochester; one sister, Mrs. Cowles Whiting of Andover; one half-brother, Otto Quick of Greenwood and one grandson.

The Women of the Moose held a Memorial Service at 7:30 p. m. Sunday.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the Robertson Funeral Home in Hornell with the Rev. Richard Stone of Westminster Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial was in Hope Cemetery, Hornell.

## Post Office To Be Closed Saturday

The Post Office will be closed all day Saturday. No window service or Rural Mail Service. Mail will be dispatched from Trains 7 and 2 at 10:30 a. m.  
MARY A. BURNS,  
Postmaster

Boost Your Home Town!

## Fire Disaster Family Need Donations

The Allegany County Red Cross is making an appeal for the Robert Gruber family, who lost their home and furnishing in a fire last Wednesday.

Donations of bedding, linens, sheets, blankets and towels, also baby crib and livingroom furniture are needed. Contact George Sackett at Sackett's Food Market Store 478-3144, Andover Chairman, or Mrs. Leon Coffin, First St., 478-3604.

## February 23rd Heart Sunday

Mrs. Carol Beman has been appointed Heart Sunday Chairman of the Heart Fund Drive for Andover by Chairman Carl Phillips of Canaseraga.

Mrs. Beman will appoint her volunteers for the Heart Sunday Drive which will be this Sunday, February 23rd.

## Hospital Notes

Leeman Davis, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial for the past three weeks has returned to his home.

Mrs. Emma Henyon, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital returned to her home Friday.

Daniel Lynch, a surgical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, returned to his home Saturday.

Mrs. Adelaide Ordway, a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital has returned to her home.

Mrs. Charles Slocum, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Francis Horan and infant son returned to their home Wednesday from the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Leonard Snyder was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital, Saturday as a medical patient.

Philip Pelton was admitted to the Strong Memorial Hospital in Rochester, Tuesday for observation and medical treatment.

Francis Brown is a patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital.

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Horan (Jeanette Ball) are the parents of a son, Timothy Paul, born Saturday, February 15, 1964 at the Jones Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Horan are the paternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Goodridge of Athens, Ga., are the parents of a daughter born Thursday, February 20, 1964. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Goodridge of Elm Valley are the paternal grandparents and Mrs. Fern Snyder of Alfred is the maternal grandparent.

## Wellsville-Allentown Section Of Route 17 To Be Resurfaced

News has been released from the office of J. Burch McMorran, superintendent of the State Department of Public Works, that the stretch of Route 17 between Wellsville and Allentown is included in the list of 27 State Highway improvement projects for 1964. Bids for the projects, which will cost an estimated record-breaking total of \$81,028,000, will be opened on March 5, 1964. The Route 17 improvement locally will start from the intersection of Route 19, and extend southwest 40-45 miles to just west of the Alma-Bolivar Town Line. The 24-foot and variable width highway will be resurfaced with asphalt concrete over most of the section. In the hamlet of Allentown, the highway will be rebuilt with a new 40-foot-wide asphalt pavement. Estimated cost of this Allegany County project is \$750,000.

Commercial Printing at the News Printing House.

## News That's Print To Fit

After hearing about another minor scrape at the bridge on the corner of Main and Rochambeau, it reminded us that the last time we were in Belmont on business we stopped off up "on the Hill" to pay our respects to Ferd Shear, County Highway Superintendent.

Ferd didn't happen to be in but we visited awhile with some of the rest of the staff and eventually brought the conversation around to the new foot bridge that the County had assisted on.

We mentioned the potential driving hazard at this junction due to the high cement railing obscuring the approach of the newer model cars as well as small children that might be jay walking on the bridge.

It turns out that they were rather surprised that the railing hadn't been removed as they elicited the information that this was one of the strong points that was brought out in the request to the County for the need of the foot-bridge in the first place.

Seems like if this was one of the strong points in the request to have action taken on it in the first place it should be met with now that the County has assisted us and done their part of the bargain. 10-4?

Veni, Vidi, Vinci! Which when translated from Latin according to the dim archives of our Latin vocabulary memory could mean: I came, I saw—whoa! That would also ring a bell and could mean an old riddle or joke, or could even refer to an implement used by a carpenter in the pursuit of his labors.

Anyway, according to the grapevine, Carpenter Harry was wearing a rather "pink"—or we might say a "red" complexion—as a result of a missing saw or two.

It seems that upon completion of his daily labors, he loads his equipment into the trunk of his car and then ties the trunk down with rope and parks his car in his garage overnight.

The other morning when he started out for work he noticed his two electric saws were missing from the trunk although it was still tied down exactly the way he had it rigged up the night before.

Thinking that perhaps one of the boys had borrowed them for an odd job, he waited until that evening to inquire if they had his missing tools. However, when it turned out that they didn't know anything about it he naturally reported that they were missing.

Imagine his consternation—when the very next morning the loot was found at the scene—of his most recent project. (More than likely where he had placed them in preparation for loading up the trunk of his car.) Don't feel too bad about it though as it could have been your hat when calling upon a friend—we had a friend that had a lot of explaining to do over a situation like that!

While on the subject of stories—we may as well kill some that have been making the rounds. Yep! Like the local Chief of Police going to Alfred or Arcade or somewhere else. We don't know whether it was just wishful thinking on the parts of the sinners, or just fishing for bait, but any rate we decided to beard the lion in his den and find out "the facts in the case"—man—just the facts!

Accordingly, we cornered 'Fred' for an interview and quote him as saying: "There is absolutely no truth in the rumors whatsoever."

Snucks, now what will the poor gossips have to talk about? You, or me, or maybe at this time of the year—political candidates.

The typical family man has a billfold full of pictures and no money.