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James H. Jackson
The Andover Fire Department
Andover, New York
Dear Mr. Jackson:
Congratulations.

The committee on The Volunteer Fireman Of The Year 1963 on June 5, 1964 in conference to judge the applications received for the 1963 citation and award, after hours of deliberating, the committee cited you, James H. Jackson of Andover, as the New York State Volunteer Fireman Of The Year 1963 for the outstanding performance of duty in the rescue and saving the life of truck driver John White of Fort Edwards, New York, October 25, 1963 at 6:40 A. M., single handed.

You will be awarded honors, plaque, \$100 United Savings Bond from Fireman's Association of the State of New York and a silver bowl from Schenley's Industries at our 92nd Annual Convention at 11:00 A. M. August 18, 1964 in the Olympia Ball Room, Hotel Manhattan, 44th - 45th Streets at 8th Avenue, New York 36, New York. We request and trust that you will appear in person at the convention to receive this coveted citation.

Sincerely yours,
Eugene M. Braun, Chairman
LeRoy Kinsey
William Atkiss
Edward P. McKinney,
(President)

Little League Action This Week

The Yanks basted the Angels 7 to 5, Friday evening, at the Silk Mill Diamond, in a close contested game.

J. Howland and R. Schrader shared the pitching chores, for the Yanks twirling 3 innings apiece.

The heavy hitters for the winners were R. Schrader, two for four, one a triple. D. Harris and R. Brown also contributed hits for the winning cause.

R. Potter and D. Joyce pitched for the losers, Joyce also lashed out a triple for the Angels.

Friday evening at the Silk Mill Diamond at 6:30 p. m., the Angels tussled with the Braves, and Saturday at 10:30 a. m., the Yanks met the Mets.

The Grasshopper game scheduled for Monday, June 22nd has been changed to Friday, June 19.

News Briefs Of Local Serviceman

A3 Class John Cook is spending a 20-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cook, after which he will be re-assigned to the Plattsburg SAC Air Force Base.

A3C Elwin E. Schoonover, on a 17-day furlough from Chant AFB, Illinois, left Sunday for California. His new address is:

A3C Elwin E. Schoonover
AF 12680819
456th Strategic
AERO Spec Wing
Beale AFB, California.

George W. Stephens

George Walsh Stephens of 68 Main Street, died in the Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville, on June 18, 1964 after a short illness.

Born July 18, 1881 in Elizabeth New Jersey, Mr. Stephens was the son of the late Reverend Thomas Stephens, Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and Mrs. Stephens of Spring Valley, New York.

Mr. Stephens was employed in the Passenger Traffic Department of the Erie Railroad and came to live in Andover, N. Y., in 1947. He was married in 1924 to Helen M. Rogers who survives him together with a sister, Miss Lavinia Stephens of Englewood, N. J., and several nieces and nephews.

The Reverend Daniel Bennett of St. Andrews Episcopal Mission, Andover, N. Y., officiated at the funeral services which were held at the Embser Funeral Home in Wellsville on Tuesday, June 16, 1964.

"Birth of Freedom" Meeting Held

The scheduled "Birth of Freedom" Celebration meeting was held Thursday evening, June 11th and was called to order by Frank Cahill, Chairman.

Representatives of only a few local organizations were present but it was reported that these units are entering floats in the Parade.

The Committee requests that they be notified before Thursday, July 2nd, of all those businessmen and local organizations that are planning on entering floats in the 4th of July Parade. This is necessary so that the Parade Line-Up can be made out and published so that Units will know where they are to fall in line and thus be able to start the Parade at 11:15 sharp!

The Finals in the Queen contest will be announced in the Andover News on July 1st and the Ceremonies and Parade will be broadcast live over Radio Station WLSV of Wellsville.

The final joint meeting of all units will be held July 1st at which time it is imperative that all representatives be present in order to make last minute arrangements with proper coordination.

It was also announced that the "Southern Tier Riders" of Wellsville will participate in the Parade and will present a Horsemanship Demonstration at 1:30 p. m.

The "Recon" Company, Troop C of the National Guard in Hornell has promised the "News" Editor that they will bring an M-41 Tank as well as an Armored Personnel Carrier over to participate in the Parade and then have these units on display for public inspection.

Ken and Wendell Vars and Raymond Slade will have a gun display in Vars' Men's Shop which will include many antique pistols. It is hoped that other business places will have their windows decorated with displays appropriate for the occasion.

Several entries have already been made in the Queen Contest but if there are any more eligible contestants desirous of entering the contest be sure and submit your letter and picture to the Chairman of the Committee before it is too late—remember, any girl in the Senior Class can enter the contest.

It was also announced that a chair plane, pony rides and a diesel locomotive train will be on hand for the children to ride on.

The sale of the Bar-be-cue tickets is moving along briskly with children's tickets to be on sale at the door on July 4th, so make your plans now to stay home and celebrate the Holiday with your friends and neighbors instead of taking chances on the crowded highways.

Grange News

Andover Grange will meet for their regular meeting Wednesday evening, June 24th at 8:30.

Warning To Parents

It has been increasingly obvious to this Department that for the past two years there has been a decided increase in the number of complaints received of juvenile violation committed in this Village. There has also been a decided increase of indifference on the part of many parents in the acts committed by their children and of their whereabouts, especially at night. Parents of children under sixteen years of age have the direct responsibility of keeping their children off the streets after nine o'clock at night except in case of emergency as stated in the Curfew Ordinance. A simple phone call by the child and a few minutes of the parents time to pick up their child after a function that extends past nine o'clock at night is all that is needed to comply with the law and save the child from a Police Juvenile Record and parents from paying a fine together with much embarrassment. Irrespective of a curfew law, the City or Village street is no place for any child under sixteen years of age after 9 p. m. unless accompanied by their parent or guardian.

Due to the increase of complaints and violations and apparent indifference of some parents for their children's safety and well being, the Curfew Ordinance will be very strictly enforced. Unless you want to be called to the Town Hall to pay a fine or have your child detained until you can be located, then I suggest you make proper arrangements in event of functions lasting past nine o'clock at night. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.

It will be the policy of this Department to notify either personally or by mail, the parents of any juvenile still under parental supervision found by an Officer in any compromising situation which may endanger his or her safety or well being. This will include notification of parents of such juveniles found riding in vehicles stopped by this Department for speeding and/or other serious traffic violations.

This notice constitutes the first and only warning. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS and NO FUTURE WARNINGS regarding matters contained in this notice.

F. L. MIDDAGH
Chief of Police,
Andover, N. Y.

DEAR READERS: The Houston Police Department prepared Ten Easy Rules for Raising a Delinquent. And here they are:

1. Begin at infancy to give the child everything he wants. In this way he will grow up to believe the world owes him a living.
2. When he picks up bad words, laugh at him. This will make him think he's cute.
3. Never give him any spiritual training. Wait until he is 21 and then let him "decide for himself."
4. Pick up everything he leaves lying around—books, shoes, clothes. DO everything for him so that he will be experienced in throwing all responsibility on others.
5. Quarrel frequently in his presence. In this way he will not be shocked when the home is broken later.
6. Give a child all the spending money he wants. Never let him earn his own. Why should he have things as tough as you had them?
7. Satisfy his every craving for food, drink and comfort. Denial may lead to harmful frustrations.
8. Take his part against neighbors, teachers, policemen. They are all prejudiced against your child.
9. When he gets into real trouble, apologize for yourself by saying "I never could do anything with him."
10. Prepare for a life of grief. You are bound to have it.

Boost Your Home Town!

Mrs. Charles Slocum

Mrs. Gertrude Slocum, 75, of Maple St., died Saturday, June 13, 1964 in the Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville, following a week's illness. She had resided here for 23 years, previously living in Coudersport, Pa.

Mrs. Slocum was born in Alfred Jan. 7, 1889, a daughter of Chauncey and Eliza Witter. She was married to John M. Glace, who died in 1925, and to Charles Slocum, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Howard Glace of Tonawanda; five daughters, Mrs. Lula G. Smith of Coudersport, Mrs. Ruth Manion of Niagara Falls, Mrs. Bertha Furlong of Brockway, Pa., Mrs. Alice Randall of Coudersport, and Mrs. Helen Lehman of this place; several grand and great grandchildren. Another son, John Glace, died about four years ago.

Mrs. Slocum was a member of the Baptist Church of Andover, Edward Seaman's Relief Corps, No. 188, Baptist Missionary Society and the Baptist Ladies Aid Society.

A prayer service was held at 1:30 p. m., Tuesday followed by a funeral service at 2 p. m., at the Andover Baptist Church with the Rev. John Holmes officiating. Burial was in Hillside Cemetery, Andover.

C of C Meeting Held Wednesday

The regular monthly meeting of the Andover Chamber of Commerce was held last night at the Grange Hall with a larger than usual attendance.

Two young ladies from South America who are staying at the Conrad Church home were guests of the organization. Magda Montalvo whose residence is at 9 de Octubre No. 786, Quito, Ecuador; and Sonia Jaramillo who resides at Apartado No. 0-30, Quito, Ecuador were thrilled at the honor of attending in this role.

It was decided that there would be only one picnic this summer which will be held in July and will be for the family, with the time and place to be picked by the appointed committee. Wendell Vars and Conrad Church were elected as Directors and will meet with the rest of the committee within 10 days to select a President for the coming year.

It was voted to donate \$60 towards the Fireworks for the 4th of July and it was also voted to donate \$60 towards the expenses of "Jim" Jackson for his trip to New York City to receive the "Fireman of the Year" Award from the State Association.

Boost Andover front license plate substitutes were put on sale with most of the members purchasing them for their cars. These plates are available and are on sale at Vars Pharmacy, Short's Service Station, Ordways Restaurant and the Village Office for the nominal sum of only \$1.00.

It was also announced that the Chamber of Commerce will have a float entered in the 4th of July Parade.

Hospital Notes

Francis McCormick, a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital has returned to his home.

Mrs. William Gorsuch was discharged from the St. James Mercy Hospital Saturday.

Gussie O'Dell, East Valley, was admitted to the Bethesda Hospital Tuesday.

William Lang, Dyke St., underwent surgery at the Roswell Park Memorial Institute, Buffalo, Tuesday.

Claire Backus was admitted to the Bethesda Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment and observation.

Mrs. Cora Black was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Wednesday as a medical patient.

Mrs. Daniel Lynch returned Wednesday from the St. James Mercy Hospital where she was a medical patient.



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Graduated From Maine Maritime Academy

Thomas F. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Smith of 37 Elm St., Andover, N. Y., graduated from Maine Maritime Academy during Commencement exercises Saturday, June 13th at Castine, Maine.

He received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Engineering and a Coast Guard License as Third Assistant Engineer, Steam and Diesel of unlimited horsepower.

Smith is a member of the Propeller Club of the United States and also belongs to the Marine Engineers Beneficial Association.

He has accepted an appointment as Third Assistant Engineer with States Marine Lines, a shipping company engaged in worldwide shipping operations with the home port in New York City.

Smith is also a graduate of Andover Central School and a '62 alumnus of United States Merchant Marine Academy.

Little League Work Bee

All Little League Players and Fathers are needed on Saturday, June 20th to rake the new Little League Diamond in preparation for seeding it.

Please bring your own rake with an identification tab on it.

Any other people willing to volunteer help for this project will be received with open arms.

If possible, members of the Angels and Braves should arrange to work in the morning, and members of the Yanks and Mets work in the afternoon.

The faithful few who have been working nights and every weekend will certainly appreciate the help.

Attend Convention

The Woman's Relief Corps Department of New York, auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, Inc., held its 81st Annual Convention with session at the Castle Inn, Olean, June 14th thru 17th with Department President Leonoit Wuestrich presiding. The following from the Edward Seaman Woman's Relief No. 155, were present and attended the banquet held Monday night and also participated in the threeday program: Mrs. Oliver Baker, Allegany Valley Federation President; Mrs. Floya Lever, Mrs. Evelyn Lynton, Mrs. Leila Livermore, Mrs. Charles Scott, Mrs. Reta Foster, Mrs. Orpha Yeager and Mrs. Charles Monroe.

Awarded Tuition Grant

Mrs. Mary Stocum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Brown, has been awarded a tuition grant by the New York State Health Department. She began graduate study at the University of Rochester on June fifteenth.

Mrs. Stocum is employed by the Steuben County Public Health Nursing Service and resides in Bath.