

Join Us In Celebrating National Newspaper Week?  
An Editorial



**NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK**  
OCT. 10th - 16th

This, your own Hometown Weekly Newspaper, invites you to mark National Newspaper Week, Oct. 10 - 16, with us. It is a week set aside to remind Americans of a right, basic in this Country: The Right to Know. We pledge anew that we will continue to dedicate every effort to keep this the best informed community in the Country!

The local newspaper provides a service that is unique, irreplaceable, and a fundamental part of our national life. Its pages tell an endless story of the events, great and small, that influence and determine the destinies of each of us. There is good news and bad — but, whatever its character, it is part of the scheme of things. Only the newspaper can adequately record it — and keep it as history in the ever-growing files of past issues.

**Newspapers Must Keep Their "Freedom of the Press"!**

History has made the newspaper like, and yet unlike, any other business. Like any business it must show a profit to live. More important, it must show a profit to remain free — free from subsidy, free from obligation, free from paying tribute to any special interest, free to report the truth and serve its readers fearlessly and honestly!

Together with "Freedom of the Press" goes the People's right and duty to be informed of what is happening in their representative form of government, whether it be Village, Town or County. This right is protected by the U. S. Constitution in, at least, two places: in the preamble, which sets forth the intention of the signers that the Constitution shall secure the "blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity"; in the first amendment, which names three "freedoms" which Congress cannot by law abridge — religion, speech and press.

There is nothing quite like the U. S. press. In many countries, the newspapers are propaganda organs of government and willingly or unwillingly abide by the wishes and orders of those in political power. In others, a few papers of vast circulation blanket their countries, and there is little exchange of varying views. In others, corruption and venality have destroyed the public's faith in the worth and honor of its press.

Here, however, the newspaper, with few exceptions, has been faithful to its trust. It has stood for that in which it believes, regardless of the shifting winds of politics and of the pressures of power. It stands, however difficult it may be at times, for the freedom of the press and of the right to defend and advocate policies and philosophies it considers vital to the public interest.

So, while most of the world lives in darkness, our newspapers serve as a light of freedom, making a big difference in people's lives.

Won't you join us in celebrating National Newspaper Week? You could start out by writing that "Letter to the Editor" that has been on your mind — but not on your paper!

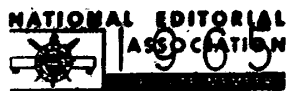
**THE ANDOVER NEWS**

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**50 YEARS AGO**  
October 1, 1915

J. H. Backus, Publisher  
Tom McAndrew of South Hill and Miss Susan McCurren of Du-Bois, Pa., were united in marriage Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howland of Elm Valley are the parents of a son, born last Thursday.

Rev. Herbert W. Walton left Tuesday for the Genesee Conference at Rochester.

Misses Alice Clarke and Reva Clarke went to Little Genesee Thursday to attend the Seventh Day Baptist Association.

John Mallory has purchased the residence and lot corner of Third and West Greenwood Sts., and is erecting a Blacksmith Shop thereon.

Lloyd Robinson went to Ithaca Monday to enter Cornell University Agricultural Department.

Uriah Davis went to Rochester last week to enter Rochester Business Institute.

Earl Stocum of Hornell spent Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Stocum.

**40 YEARS AGO**  
October 2, 1925

J. H. Backus & Son, Publishers  
Rev. F. A. Hassold of Preble, N. Y., has accepted a call to the Andover Presbyterian Church and will begin his work at once.

Miss Margaret Wilcox and Orla R. Baker were united in marriage Wednesday, September 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Padden are the parents of a son, born September 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dolan left Thursday by motor for Omaha, Neb., where they will attend the National Legion Convention to which Mr. Dolan is a delegate from this State.

Miss Mary McFetridge left Wednesday for Buffalo where she will enter the Buffalo Hospital Training School for Nurses.

L. R. Stevens and Harry Joyce motored to Rochester Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tucker of that city.

Mrs. B. C. Cole and Mrs. J. M. Diffin spent the week-end at Mrs. Diffin's daughter's, Mrs. E. H. Brandes of Willing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beebe and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Teasdale motored to Clyde, N. Y., Friday and were guests of friends until Sunday.

**30 YEARS AGO**  
October 4, 1935

J. H. Backus & Son, Publishers  
In the forty years ago column dated Oct. 2, 1895: — The Parden and McGinty Produce Co., load potatoes with the price being 15c a bushel. Also the Cheese Market for Western New York was 7 1/2c.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Bension are the parents of a son, born Sunday, September 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spicer of Independence drove to Akron, Ohio Thursday to spend a few days with Mrs. Rhue Fish Peterson.

Miss Edna Joyce of Independence passed the week-end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sly of Belmont.

William Dougherty went to Bolivar last Friday to work in the Market Basket Store in that Village, for a few weeks during the absence of the manager.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mead of East Valley motored to Elmira Friday and were guests of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mead.

Foy Parker, daughter, Florence and Miss Ruth Stocum motored to Buffalo Monday where the Misses Parker and Stocum entered the School of Nursing at the Buffalo General Hospital.

Mrs. Hester Greene and Mrs. Mina L. Gordon motored to Rochester, last week, where they visited Mrs. Greene's brother, Howard Clark and family for several days.

According to research by the National Fire Prevention Association, fire destroys or damages 67 homes every hour, and at least one person dies in a dwelling fire every hour and 20 minutes.

**GREENWOOD NEWS**

Grace Young, Reporter

Layman's Sunday will be observed this Sunday, October 10th at the Methodist Church. Principal Robert Hoagland will be the speaker, assisted by other men. World Wide Communion Service was observed October 3rd.

The Volunteer Firemen have scheduled their Annual Auction at the Fire Hall, October 16th.

The Allegany-Steuben Holstein Club will hold a dinner meeting at 7:30 p. m., Wednesday at the Greenwood Central School. Consigners to the 50th sale receive their checks. This includes Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Warriner who received second high price for a cow and calf. Outstanding 4-H Club members will be honored for their Holstein projects. Club President, Francis Meeker of Barville said there would be a program in addition to a discussion of the sale and plans for the 1966 sale.

The Birmingham-Burd American Legion Auxiliary served a corned beef and cabbage dinner at the Post Home Saturday night. A dance followed for members and guests.

Francis Acker and Hartsville Grange Team installed the officers Saturday night at West Greenwood Hall of the two Greenwood Granges.

Word has been received of the birth of a son, Matthew William born September 25, 1965 to Rev. and Mrs. Robert Myers of Skylesville, Pa. Rev. Myers is a former Pastor of the Greenwood and South Canisteo Methodist Churches.

Mrs. Paul Zelinka, wife of the Methodist minister at Whitesville, died at a New York City hospital last Monday after an illness of nearly two years. She was the former Rosella Kreger and a one time Homemaking Teacher at Greenwood Central School, living at the Goodie apartment. Mrs. Albert Lampher, Mrs. J. H. Goodno, Mrs. Clarence Stephens, Misses Ellen Young and Grace Young called at the Wildman Funeral Home in Whitesville Thursday night. Rev. and Mrs. Roger Williams attended the funeral at the Whitesville Methodist Church Friday afternoon.

Roger Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith, enlisted in the U. S. Army in February. In September he was sent to Germany where he is serving in artillery near Munich.

B. E. Burger, Welfare Officer reports that the surplus food for October will be distributed this Thursday morning.

Hunting season opened this week and Town Clerk, Marjorie York had a busy week-end writing licenses.

The names of Mrs. John Wallace and Mrs. Albert Lounsbury were omitted from the local guests at the Murray-Hawkins wedding last week.

Mrs. Louise Cobb was a dinner guest last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fertell of Canisteo in Elmira Heights. Mrs. Cobb was taken sick and was a patient at the Arnot-Ogden Hospital until Tuesday. Mrs. John Flannery of Syracuse came to look after her mother and brought her back to Greenwood Tuesday. Mrs. Flannery returned home Thursday.

Jerry Burd returned home Wednesday from the Bethesda Hospital where he was a patient for nearly ten weeks with a fractured hip. Mrs. William McDonough stays with Mr. Burd when Mrs. Burd is at the Post Office.

George McCaffery was a patient at the Bethesda Hospital part of last week. He returned there Monday to have his sinus drained. Mrs. John Rogers came home from the St. James Mercy Hospital Friday, where she was a patient three weeks with a cracked pelvis.

Election Board, Eloise Jaceneline Murphv, Genevieve Williamson and Nina Stephens.

sat at the Masonic Hall Saturday for Registration. The Board will be there again this Saturday from noon to ten o'clock. New voters and new residents are added to the book of permanent registration.

Alumni Officers of G.C.S., in charge of the Fall Dance, Saturday night, Lee Gemin of Hornell, President; Mrs. Shirley Loney of Canisteo, Vice-President; Miss Donna Mullen, Secretary and Mrs. Patricia Alden, Treasurer, both of Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson of Slocum, Pa., called on Mrs. J. H. Goodno, Tuesday. Mrs. and Mrs. Charles York and Mrs. George W. Emily of Clinton, Conn., called on Miss Ellen Young Friday. They are natives of Greenwood and had visited their niece, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wood in Jasper since Wednesday. They were on their way to Rochester to attend a wedding Saturday.

George McCaffery III, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McCaffery. He is employed in Rochester and a 1965 G.C.S. graduate.

Miss Sharon Hunt, student at State University College at Genesee, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt. Miss Ruby Tyler of Hornell, called on Miss Ellen Young, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James DeMarte and family moved last week-end from the Glover apartment to the George Metzgar house on Church Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gifford of Buffalo and son, Robert Gifford of Des Moines, Iowa, came Saturday and took her aunt, Miss Sabrey Stephens home with them for two weeks. They also called on their aunt, Miss Ellen Young.

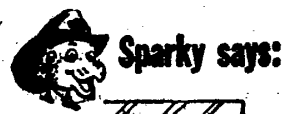
**"Red's" Racetrack Rambles**

Well all you racing fans — this is it! The Swang Song for the 1965 Racing Season.

The races were called off at Woodhull this past Sunday because of the bad weather in the latter part of the week. According to the boys at the track — they weren't able to get it in shape so figured they had better call it quits for the season and concentrate on getting it fixed up for next spring. They told us that they are planning on changing the track some-what and putting a new clay surface on it to get away from the dust-problem.

The track owners also announced that there will be a meeting for all drivers and car owners on Saturday Night, October 16th at 8:00 p. m., in Woodhull at the Odd Fellows Hall to set up the rules and regulations for next year's racing season. Everyone that is interested is invited to attend.

Well folks—that's it until next year—unless we happen to pick up some red-hot information that y'all need to know about. In that case "Red" will put away the moth-balls, come out of hibernation—and pass the "word" along.



**Clean Homes Seldom Burn**



Fire Prevention Week Oct. 3 to 9