



5 Generations — count 'em and see!

Mrs. Clara Smith who celebrated her 85th birthday on Nov. 3rd, is shown seated in the picture with her daughter, Mrs. Martha Blowers on the right. George Roth, son of Martha Blowers, is next. His daughter, Mrs. Martha Tyler, is standing next to him; while her son, Raymond Tyler, is sitting on his Great, Great, Grandmother's lap.

Andover F.F.A. Attend National Convention

F.F.A. members Beryl Bird, Steward Bird, Martin Howland and Steve Baker of Andover, and Bill Frazier from Fillmore under the leadership of Frank Russell attended the National F.F.A. Convention in Kansas City as members of the New York State Delegation.

Bill Russell and Steward were members of the N. Y. State Livestock Judging Team, while Martin and Steve were Chapter delegates. The group left Andover around 8:00 A. M., Sunday, October 10th, making their first official visit at the Central Ohio Breeders Association (COBA), and toured their bull barns and facilities. COBA is one of the mid-west largest artificial breeding co-operatives.

They stayed overnight in Greenfield, Indiana, and on Monday stopped in Springfield, Illinois to visit the Lincoln Tomb and Memorial. This was a very patriotic and impressive sight and one of the high lights of the trip. Monday evening found them staying overnight in Hannibal, Mo., the birthplace of "Mark Twain", Samuel Clemmins. It was here that Steve was first taken ill on Tuesday morning, and thinking that it was merely fatigue from riding so much, he remained in the hotel to rest.

The rest of the members toured the caves and the area made famous by Mark Twain in his famous stories, then picked up Steve and headed for Kansas City.

Steve still didn't feel any better so he was taken to a Doctor for medical attention in Salisbury, Mo. and then hospitalized upon arrival in Kansas City.

Tuesday thru Friday was spent in Kansas City for the National Convention, with the group attending sessions every day and evening.

Wednesday, Vice President Humphrey was scheduled to attend the convention but the illness of the President kept him in Washington so he talked to the convention by telephone. The Public Speaking Contest was also held the same day.

The Negro Farmers of America was officially joined with the F.F.A. in a very impressive and significant ceremony. The F.F.A. is the first national organization of its size and scope that has joined with an all negro organization. This was a Southern group which was separate from the F.F.A. in the South because of the segregation issues there in the past.

On Thursday, the Livestock Team judged at the American Royal. Martin Howland also entered

the Livestock Showmanship Contest and received a bronze emblem award. The Livestock Judging team received certificates of participation.

Friday morning the group attended an awards banquet for contestants in the judging contest after which they started their journey homeward, returning by the way of Lexington Kentucky and Wheeling, West Virginia.

The team arrived back in Andover around 10 P. M., Sunday, October 17th after nearly 2,500 miles of traveling experiences. Mr. Russell, the team advisor stopped in to see Steve and checked on his condition at the Hospital several times a day and of course notified his parents as soon as the emergency arose.

Steve was found to have a bleeding stomach ulcer and underwent emergency surgery after his family flew out to take care of the necessary medical arrangements. He recovered very quickly and was able to fly home arriving in Buffalo Sunday the 24th and since then has returned to school.

Library News

The following books have been added to the Andover Free Library:

- "The Golden Fleece", Padraic Colum
- "Petunia", Roger Duvoisin
- "The Big Book of Helicopters", Clayton Knight
- "The First Book of Ships", Jean Bendick
- "Leaves", Peggy Caulfield
- "Gliders", Larry Kettelkamp
- "Our Calendar", Ruth Brindzen
- "The Fairy Doll, Rumer Godden
- "Butterflies", Dorothy C. Hogner
- "The Alhambra", Washington Irving
- "A Band in the River", Norma Newcomb
- "Squire of Death", Richard Lockridge
- "The Collected Stories of K. A. Porter", Catherine Anne Porter

The following books are on Rotating Loan from the Southern Tier Library System:

- 6 Adult
- 7 Young Adult
- 28 Juvenile

Scout News

Girl Scout News

Wednesday, November 3rd, the Girl Scouts celebrated Juliette Low's birthday. She was the founder of the Girl Scouts. Also at this meeting we voted on buying Patrol Leader Cords.

Anyone having a Girl Scout uniform please contact one of the following people: Mrs. James Gram, Mrs. Clayton Barnes, Miss Lois Tripp.

New Punch Card Permanent Plates Issued Nov. 8th

Albany, November 8—The first of some six million punch card forms under the Department of Motor Vehicles' new "permanent plate" registration program went into the mails today to motorists throughout the state.

The mailing will continue for the next 20 days, until all vehicle owners in the state will have been sent a pre-filled-out punch card. It represents the first public phase of an operation that will eventually end license plate headaches that have annoyed a whole generation of New York State car owners.

Motor Vehicle Commissioner William S. Huits said motorists will notice several changes. These include:

— The form will already be filled out with most of the required data. All that motorists will have to do is answer a few simple questions on the form and sign their names.

— The duration of the registration will vary anywhere from 10 to 15 months, from October 1966 to March 1967. The pro-rated fee printed on the form will reflect the length of the registration and also, for passenger cars, the 50 per cent fee increase approved by the 1965 Legislature. The varying expiration dates will lead, during 1966 and 1967 to the establishment of a staggering system to end the annual January plate rush. The 1966 expirations are determined according to the final number on 1965 license plates. After this year, all plates will be issued for 12 months.

— Upon submitting a completed punch card application, the 1965 renewal stub, and the proper fee to a Motor Vehicle Office, the vehicle owner will receive two "permanent" blue-and-gold yellow license plates. He will also receive a small plastic sticker to fasten to the rear plate, indicating the plate's expiration date. In later years, upon renewal, motorists will receive a new sticker. Plates are especially treated to resist salt and weather and have been coated with high-quality enamel. Industrial tests indicate a life of at least six years for the plates.

"Any new program will have its headaches," Commissioner Huits said, "and I suppose we will have ours during this transitional period. But I think that once we get past these first few months, we will have a registration system second to none in the country."

He offered this advice to motorists: — Unless you live in Albany County or hold one of the so-called "Special Registrations," do not mail your application to Albany. Obtain your plates in your local Motor Vehicle Office.

— If your punch card application is unusable because of errors, plan to visit your Motor Vehicle Office to complete the transaction this year. That way you will avoid delay and protracted correspondence.

— Please read the brochure that accompanies each application carefully. It covers the new procedures in detail and can help avoid misunderstanding, delay, and inconvenience.

Mrs. Lee Dodge Accepts School Nurse Position At Andover Central School

Mrs. Lee Dodge of Wellsville, N. Y., has accepted the position of School Nurse at the Andover Central School and began her duties Wednesday, October 27th.

Mrs. Dodge, an area resident for most of her life is a graduate nurse from the Arnot-Orden School of Nursing in Elmira and has attended the New York State University at Buffalo and Genesee State Teachers College, where she is working towards a degree in School Nurse Teaching.

Mrs. Dodge has two children, a daughter, Lynette, 10, and a son, Pradlee, 5.

News That's Print to Fit

We wish to take special note of the creditable effort made by the younger set at Andover Central School who worked like good fellows and turned over \$101.35 in their UNICEF drive on Halloween for the fund.

With the big game hunting season just around the corner, a new story about Jim Papst, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Yorton, was brought in to us that should be of interest to all big game hunters.

Jim, who lives in Saginaw, Michigan, saved up for two years to go on a 30-day hunting trip — and really got his money's worth. All together, he bagged a Big Horn sheep, a grizzly bear, mountain goat and a moose.

Hunting on horseback with two guides in the mountains of Alberta, Canada, Papst used 338 and 300 magnum rifles to bring down the four North American trophies early this month.

His first kill was the Big Horn sheep, which Papst rates as North America's number one trophy, but received his biggest thrill—and perhaps a few grey hairs—a few days later when he shot the bear.

"There were two grizzlies after me and they scared my horse so much that it wouldn't stop running so I could get a shot. As long as the horse was running, the bears chased it," he said.

He finally slowed his horse down enough to shoot the 300 pounder three times with his 338, with the bear falling less than 20 yards away from him.

"I got him between the eyes with the last shot," he said, and the "funny thing about that was I was hunting moose and got lost when I shot the bear."

He shot his moose a week later, but from a much safer distance as he was around 150 yards from the 1,200-pound moose when he killed it.

Papst rounded out his hunting grand slam by picking the mountain goat off some high cliffs from which it came tumbling down nearly 100 feet before he could capture this prize.

Overwhelmed by his success, Papst, a member of the Saginaw Gun Club, said he would try again "as soon as I can save a few bucks again."

If any of you local big game hunters are interested in any further details—maybe Clyde will fill you in on the necessary info.

While talking about deer hunting with Dan Lobdell, a friend of ours that runs the Potter Packing Co., over near Middlesex way, the discussion worked around to some of the problems he runs into every year.

He swears—up and down—that the following "Tips For The Hunter" must be what is passed along to many of the "City Hunters" that pull in to his place to have their work done:

First, you need a fast car so that you can beat the other hunters to the best spot—one that will do say, 90 or 100 M.P.H. This will give you the opportunity to be killed before you get in the woods, thus saving some other hunter some ammo and the mess of shooting you.

Take along one or two cases of whiskey, four cases of beer, and lots of ammo, food, tents, and since sleeping bags take up a lot of space, take along another case of whiskey instead.

Be sure to shoot at anything that moves or looks as if it might move. If it's not a deer, there is always the chance that it might be your mother-in-law.

Now if you get a deer down, be sure to shoot him with all your remaining shells, this will insure splintered bones and ruptured entrails.

In case you try to draw the deer be sure to rip open any intestine you find intact. Don't bother to wash it out, as the blood and manure will improve the gamey taste. Remember the locker plant operator will be disappointed if you bring a clean one in.

Allegany County Fire Control Report

The following is a report from the Allegany County Fire Control at Andover, New York for the month of October, 1965:

FIRES	
Industrial	6
Mercantile	0
Farm Buildings	2
Dwellings	8
Oil Field	1
Grass & Brush	8
Motor Vehicle	2
Pennsylvania Calls	1
Miscellaneous Fires	9
Total Calls	41
Accidents — 0	
MUTUAL AID	
In County	1
Out of County	1
Total Calls	2
AMBULANCE	
Alfred	2
Bolivar	6
Fillmore	5
Richburg	2
Total Calls	15
Siren Tests — 123	
Radio Checks — 69	
Vehicle Practice — 15	
Vehicle Maintenance — 34	
False Alarms — 1	
Miscellaneous Calls — 198	
Total Calls for the month — 438	

New Navy Office In Hornell

R. W. Hargarten, Commanding Officer of the Navy's Recruiting Stations in the Buffalo Area, has announced the opening of the new Navy Recruiting Station at 44 Canisteo Street, Hornell, New York, next door to the Bus Depot in that city.

The old office was previously located at 473 Seneca Road, North Hornell, N. Y. The official opening was November 1, 1965. The new office will be geared to handle the increase in the Navy's higher input of personnel. There will be two recruiters in the new office they are: Chief Howard Schöhl and William Meyers, Signalman First Class. For information phone Hornell 324-5454.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Howard Green, a surgical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital has returned to her home.

Masonic Notice

The regular Communication of Andover Lodge, No. 558 F. & A. M., will be held Monday evening, November 15th. Third degree will be conferred. First Section will be at 5:30 p. m., with a dinner at 6:30 p. m., served by the Eastern Stars. Second Section will begin at 8 p. m. All Master Masons welcome.

Don't Drive After Drinking

If you decide to skin it, roll it around in the dirt, pine needles, and leaves. Then wrap it in newspapers as they will stick well and printers ink has such a nice flavor. This will let you read November's news in February.

Now drag it to the car and throw it over the hood — as close to the radiator as possible — so it will get all the heat and duct, etc.

Then, on the way home, be sure to stop at a tavern so you can tell all the other hunters how you killed it at three hundred yards. Don't forget to stay at the tavern until the locker plant is closed for the night and the operator is sound asleep (probably having a nightmare).

Then get him up and despite the fact that he may have a hundred other deer hanging up ahead, tell him just how you want it all cut up into choice steaks and chops — and have it ready to-morrow!

To all of us hunters that hunt for the sport of it, this may seem a little jaundiced and far-fetched — but it might explain some of the odd sights, actions, and deeds that are committed by some of the city hunters that come down in this neck of the woods during deer season. 10-4?