

Mausoleum To Be Built For Local Residents Use

A group of local Citizens have announced that plans are in the offing to build a Mausoleum for the convenience and use of local residents when they have a death in the family during the winter months.

The local Cemetery Associations of the Town of Andover have agreed upon and accepted the offer of a site for the building in the Gate of Heaven Cemetery by the Blessed Sacrament Church, since there is a usable foundation there and offers easy accessibility during the winter months.

The building will be built of concrete blocks at a cost of around \$1,200 and will be available for the use of families living in the Town of Andover free of charge. In the past years, families of deceased relatives have had to pay in the vicinity of \$35 for storage before burial in a local cemetery could be completed.

Local citizens and businessmen will be calling on residents in the Town of Andover in the near future for donations with which to build the projected facility.

Funds collected thru the generosity of townspeople will be turned over to, and administered by, the Andover Office of The Citizens National Bank for this project.

PURELY LOCAL



—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woods of Tupper Lake, N. Y., spent Friday through Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn D. Trowbridge and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Cannon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lynn D. Trowbridge entertained at Sunday dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woods of Tupper Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. James Cannon and son, James and Miss Linda Walters of Andover.

—Miss Lee Kessler of Grove City College, Grove City, Pa., arrived home Saturday to spend the Christmas Holidays. Her classmate Miss JoAnn Morse of Batavia was a week-end guest of Miss Kessler at the home of her parents, Prin. and Mrs. James H. Kessler.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Howland, daughter, Miss Judy and son, Jon met their daughter, Miss Sandra Howland from Morrisville, in Hornell Tuesday evening and left en route to their new residence in North Carolina. They plan to spend Christmas in Florida.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nichols and family spent last Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Al Lounsberry and son in Scio.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Palmer, daughters, Cheryl and Wendie of Scio, spent last Sunday afternoon visiting their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gavin and son, Brian.

—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas York, sons, Roger and Tom and Miss Patricia Hanbach of Greenwood, also Stanley Smith and Larry Dieterman of Alfred Ag-Tech, attended the Marian Globe Trotters game at Community College in Corning, last Wednesday night.

—Miss Isabelle Loughhead of Eldred, Pa., spent Sunday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Backus.

—Mrs. Niles Sherman and three sons left early Sunday morning en route by motor to California to visit their two sons and brothers Robert and Merle Sherman during the Christmas Holidays.

Legion Notice

The regular meeting of the Lynch-Burgett Post No. 397, will be held this Tuesday, December 21st at 8 p. m.

1966 Legion Dues are due now. Need 40 more for quota.

Edward Dyer Hardy

Burial services were held Wednesday morning at 11 A. M., at Hillside Cemetery, Andover, for Edward Dyer Hardy, whose death occurred Sunday, December 12, 1965 in Rutherford, N. J., following a short illness.

Edward D. Hardy, 93, was born in Andover the son of the late Koswin and Georgianna Dyer Hardy. He graduated from Andover School and Genesee Normal School and was also a graduate of the University of Rochester.

He retired in 1942 after 41 years of being principal in the School No. 9, now known as the Edward D. Hardy School in Elmira. He was married to Frances Keefe of Elmira, whose death occurred a few months preceding his retirement.

Mr. Hardy was a member of the West Minister Presbyterian Church in Elmira.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Miles Livermore (Grace) of Rutherford, N. J., Miss Sylvia Hardy of Andover and one brother Raymond Hardy of Almond. Also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the Hagerman Funeral Home Tuesday evening. The Rev. John Geldmacher, pastor of the West Minister Presbyterian Church, officiated.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Robinson, her mother, Mrs. Miles Livermore; Mr. and Mrs. F. F. McCoubrey of Rutherford, N. J.; Raymond Hardy of Almond, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hardy of Karr Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hardy of Alfred Station were the out-of-town relatives to attend the burial services held at Hillside Cemetery, Andover, Wednesday morning for Edward D. Hardy.

News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

Pvt. Gary Lee Ordiway, who had completed his boot training at Farris Island, spent 15-days visiting relatives and friends in Andover. He left Sunday to report to Cherry Point, N. C.

The following is Merlyn Whiting's new address:
Merlyn Whiting
FA 1382414
U.S.S. Uhlmann DD687
Fleet Post Office
San Francisco, California 96601

Inducted Into Armed Forces

The following registrants of Local Board No. 71, Belmont, New York, have been inducted into the Army and left for Fort Dix, New Jersey, December 6, 1965:

James I. McKelvey, West Clarksville
Michael L. DeRock, Oramel
Dennis Chamberlain, Cuba
Alton L. Stanford, Wellsville
John C. Hecker, Angelica
Raymond Campbell, Friendship
Michael W. Price, Wellsville
Glenn Yager, Fillmore
David W. Cole, Belfast
Daniel Hollister, Bolivar
Michael L. Prince, West Clarksville

Jerry E. Ward, Friendship
Paul J. Nowak, Wiseco
Joseph F. McCaffrey, Cuba
The January quota for Local Board No. 71 is 17 men for induction.

Local Youth Enlists In Navy

William Charles Emery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Emery of 41 North Main St., Andover, enlisted December 3rd in the Navy's four month deferment program. Upon completion of the four months, he will report to the Navy's Training Center at Great Lakes, Illinois for six weeks of training.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. William Shawl of Belmont are the parents of a son, born Wednesday, December 8, 1965 at the Jones Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burch are the maternal grandparents.

News That's Print To Fit

Recently, we have received several "Letters to the Editor" which were either Typewritten or printed, and did not have the signature of the person writing them.

These letters raised questions which normally would have evoked answers if we had been able to print them.

Since the authors of these letters took the time and trouble to send them to us, we feel that perhaps they were not aware of our policy in publishing "Letters to the Editor."

It has always been, and still is—and will continue to be, our policy to publish any "Letter to the Editor" that we feel is "Fit to print" "answers a useful purpose", and is signed by the writer, (No matter whether we personally agree or disagree with the content of the letter).

However, upon the writer's request to withhold his signature, we will do so—but—we must know the originator of the letter before it is published! Naturally, the letter, as well as any information given us is kept in strict confidence as a privileged communication.

We have heard various rumors about the expiration date of auto and truck registrations so took the trouble to call the County Clerk's Office in Belmont to set the record straight.

Your Car, Truck, and other 1966 registrations expire on the same dates as they have in previous years—with the date appearing on the bottom of the registration form. For Example: Auto registrations are—"Good Until Midnight, January 31"; Truck (Van Type) are—"Good Until Midnight January 17"—etc.

Also, New License Plates CAN NOT BE DISPLAYED ANY EARLIER THAN THEY HAVE IN PREVIOUS YEARS! In other words, the new plates for an Auto Can Not be displayed until Jan. 1st; with trucks and other vehicles following the same rule as last year.

Now, for the information of all you people that have already sent in for your Car or Truck Registrations,—if you haven't heard back from your license application within a week—you can be reasonably assured that you will receive your plates by the time they are needed.

The mail is being opened every day at the License Bureau and applications are being checked over as fast as they come in. The ones having mistakes or errors on them are being returned the same day so that they can be corrected and still submitted within the deadline limit.

The license applications that are correct are being processed and returned as fast as possible—but at the present time they are swamped, and even by working nights, there will still be a slight delay until they are caught up.

However, we have been assured that all applications that are in now will be processed and returned by the 1st of January.

Grange News

Andover Grange No. 1098 will hold their Annual Christmas Party Wednesday, December 22nd at the Grange Hall with a 7:30 p.m. dinner. Each family please bring buttered rolls and a dish to pass. Also bring a 50c gift for exchange marked man, woman or child.

UPW Hold Annual Christmas Dinner

The Andover Presbyterian Women held their Annual Christmas Dinner and Program Tuesday evening with a 6:30 dinner. The tables were attractively decorated in the season's motif. Members with names beginning with K thru Y were in charge. There were thirty present. Mrs. Clara York, Mrs. Ruth York, Mrs. Marion McClure and Miss Susan McClure presented the program.

Don't Drive After Drinking

Vincent McCormick

Vincent McCormick, 78, died unexpectedly at his home early Saturday morning. He had been in failing health. Mr. McCormick was a farmer all his life. Vincent and Helen McCormick had celebrated their golden wedding in March 1961. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Rexville. Surviving are his wife, four daughters, Mrs. Claude (Cecelia) Wallace of West Union, Mrs. Linford (Virginia) Wallace of Greenwood, Mrs. Luke (Isabel) Hambruch of Gasport, Miss Betty McCormick of Buffalo and one son, Leo at home; a brother, Emmett McCormick of Lewiston; two sisters, Miss Grace McCormick of Buffalo and Mrs. Agnes Mohoney of Williamsville; two grandchildren, Richard Wallace of Greenwood and Nancy Hambruch of Gasport and two great grandchildren.

Mr. McCormick was born and has always lived on the same farm in Greenwood.

The funeral was held Tuesday morning at St. Mary's Church in Rexville with Rev. Vincent Collins officiating and burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery in Rexville.



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

Mrs. Laura Witter, who was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital last week, sustained a fractured hip in a fall at her home.

Mrs. Shirley Geer, a surgical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, was discharged Tuesday.

Arthur Mills, Jr., is a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital.

Craig Barnes, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Barnes was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Friday as a medical patient.

Mrs. Anna Wood of Canisteo is a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, admitted Friday.

Carlyle Carmody is a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. William Conner was admitted to the Strong Memorial Hospital, Rochester, Tuesday as a medical patient. She is in Wing C-2.

Mrs. Pearl Coats was admitted to the Bethesda Hospital Monday as a medical patient.

Louis Joyce, a patient in the Buffalo Hospital, returned to his home in East Aurora Friday, Dec. 10th.

Mrs. Roger Baker is a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Home Demonstration

The Andover Unit held its Christmas Party at the Grange Hall Wednesday. A Holiday dinner was served at Noon with Mrs. Ruth York, Mrs. Lelia Livermore and Miss Margaret Wood in charge. An exchange of gifts and social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. John Brorson was in charge of the Workshop in the afternoon. There were twenty-two present.

Scout News

Cub Scout News

The regular meeting of the Cub Scout Pack 77 will be held Wednesday, December 22, at the Masonic Temple at 7:30 p. m.

Pack 77 wishes to thank Sgt. Raymond Slade for the use of his cabin in Fulmer Valley, for the Pecks Annual Camp-out and also to John Richardson, for the use of his window at Baker's Hardware for the Cub Scouts display of Thanksgiving Turkeys and other Cub Scout activities.

Boost Your Home Town!

Auto Registration Renewal Errors

Old familiar problems, rather than new ones are giving the Department of Motor Vehicles the most trouble as its program to automate its registration system continues.

Motor Vehicle Commissioner William S. Huits says that car owners, as in former years under the old system, are still:

— Forgetting to send their renewal stubs along with their mail applications.

— Mailing their applications to Albany instead of transacting the business at their local Motor Vehicle office.

— Installing their new plates before the permissible January 1 date.

In most respects, Commissioner Huits said, the new automated program is proceeding on schedule and according to plans.

"Reports about widespread punch card errors gave us some concern a few weeks ago," he explained. "We believed then that these reports were exaggerated and we are all the more certain now that they were."

A random survey of issuing of fices throughout the State shows that of all the applications approved so far, an average of higher than 90 per cent have been usable punch cards.

"This is not a bad average for a new program. Obviously we don't know whether we're getting too good or the best one first, but we have our fingers crossed."

As for the most common errors: Renewal stubs from the previous year's registrations are still required. "These constitute proof of ownership, and we need them for the car owner's own protection."

As for mailing applications to Albany, Commissioner Huits explained that the Department's issuing office here is a relatively small one, for residents of Albany County. "Send your application to the same local office where you have always obtained your plates."

As for installing the new plates, Commissioner Huits released the following timetable: Buses, taxicabs and ambulances, after December 17 and before January 1; passenger cars and suburban, after January 1 and before February 1; all other vehicles, after January 1 and before January 15. This is the same as in previous years.

To Be Honored At Farewell Party

A Farewell Party will be held for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brewster and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lounsberry Saturday, December 18th at the West Greenwood Grange Hall.

A treen supper will be served at 8 p. m. Please bring a dish to pass and rolls unless otherwise solicited.

A purse of money for each couple will be presented at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Burgett were called to Utica late Tuesday afternoon after receiving notice of the death of Mrs. Burgett's brother, William Moench, 71, who passed away at 4:00 p. m. that day.

Entertains At Bridge

Mrs. E. J. Allen entertained the members of the Entre Nous Club at a 7:30 dessert bridge at her home Thursday evening, Dec. 9. Honors were presented to Mrs. Leo Snyder and Mrs. F. G. Crawford.

Honored At Birthday Gathering

A birthday dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kemp, Grove St., Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barber of Oseola, Pa., were visiting her parents. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of Mr. Kemp and their daughter, Mrs. Linda Barber.

Keep On Buying Savings Bonds