

School Board Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Andover Central School was called to order Monday evening, March 12, 1973, by Carl Atwell, President. Mr. Weibezahl and the following Board members were present: William Walker, Conner Stephens and Francis Horan.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read for approval. Motion to approve these as corrected was made by William Walker, and seconded by Conner Stephens. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

William Walker made the motion that the certified bills for the month of February on the General Fund be approved for payment. Carl Atwell seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes. Amount \$13,037.22.

Title II bills were approved in the amount of \$105.17. Motion was made by Francis Horan and seconded by Conner Stephens. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Flood Recovery bills for \$1,571.50 were approved for payment. Carl Atwell made the motion and Francis Horan seconded. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

School Lunch bills for \$1,794.01 were approved for payment. Francis Horan made the motion and Carl Atwell, seconded. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

The Cafeteria report was read by Mr. Weibezahl, showing a net loss of \$14.10 for the month of February. A motion was made by Conner Stephens to file this report with the minutes. Seconded by Carl Atwell. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Payrolls for the month of February -- \$42,548.72 were read for approval. William Walker made the motion and Conner Stephens seconded. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Interest is due on Bus No. 28 on March 20, 1973. Francis Horan made the motion that this be paid. Carl Atwell seconded the motion. Passed by 4 votes of yes. The amount is \$169.09.

Francis Horan made the motion that the President of the Board of Education, Mr. Carl Atwell, be authorized to borrow \$50,000.00 in anticipation of revenue to be received from the State of New York. Conner Stephens seconded the motion. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Francis Horan made the motion and Carl Atwell seconded that the school enter into County-Wide bidding on certain Cafeteria items. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Francis Horan moved to let the Senior Class go to Washington and Gettysburg. Seconded by William Walker. Passed by 4 yes votes.

Mr. Atwell moved to allow Zoltan Szabo to attend Social Studies Conference in Rochester, March 15, 16, and 17. Seconded by Conner Stephens. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Conner Stephens moved, Carl Atwell seconded to send Mrs. Burger to NYS English Council in Saratoga Springs in the future. Passed by 4 yes votes.

Moved by Francis Horan and seconded by Conner Stephens to hold Teachers Workshop on March 28th. Passed by 4 yes votes.

Moved by William Walker to send telegram to State Senator Present and Assemblyman Emery to express the very bleak financial situation in Andover School. Seconded by Francis Horan. Passed by 4 yes votes.

Treasurer's Report was read for comparison. William Walker moved to accept and Carl Atwell seconded. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Mr. Carl Atwell moved that we hire Mr. H. Edward Yazak, CPA to do our Audit for the school year 1972-73. Mr. Francis Horan seconded. Passed by 4 yes votes.

Mr. Carl Atwell made the motion that the meeting be adjourned at 11:15 P. M.

New York State Lottery Lists Unclaimed Prizes

Albany, N. Y. — March 1973 — There's \$1,654,000 in the till of the New York State Lottery waiting to be collected by its rightful owners. Tax Commissioner Norman Gallman said today. The amount represents unclaimed prizes from March 16, 1972 through

February 15, 1973.

Represented in unclaimed prizes are 11 worth \$50,000 and 201 in \$5,000 prizes in the 50-cent weekly lottery, together with four \$10,000 prizes and 59 prizes of \$1,000, in the Lottery's \$3 Special of last summer.

Uncollected \$50,000 prizes begin with the drawings of July 13, 1972 and extend through February 15, 1973. All previously established \$50,000 prizes have been collected.

State law specifies that lottery winners have until one year from the drawing date on their tickets to collect their prizes from the Lottery. After that, all uncollected prize monies go from the Lottery to the State's abandoned property fund. Prizewinners, with ample proof of their eligibility, can still collect their money, but it becomes a much more involved process.

Commissioner Gallman urged all persons holding tickets for past drawings to examine their tickets carefully and claim prizes due them with minimum delay.

The Lottery is able to identify the ticket entitled to a prize, the drawing date for which the ticket was purchased, and the vendor who sold the ticket. It is now searching for winners of tickets purchased in:

STEUBEN — \$5,000 prizewinning ticket purchased for the October drawing in Hornell.

NYS Big Game Hunters Successful

New York State big game hunters were successful in taking 55,231 deer during the fall of 1972, a record for 1971. Not included in the totals are two post season hunts (Long Island and Seneca Army Depot). Department biologists use the buck take to indicate trends in populations because the buck take is not substantially affected by the number of permits issued. The 1972 buck take of 40,960 is up from the 1971 buck take of 35,637.

With regular big game licenses, gunners took 40,188 adult bucks statewide and party permit hunters took 13,477 deer of both sexes.

The number of party permits issued this past season was almost the same as in 1971. Archers harvested another 1,596 deer, also of both sexes. This year's archery take is the highest on record. The previous high of 1,407 deer taken by bow and arrow was in 1968.

The Department's deer management objectives are to maintain the largest sustained buck harvests compatible with a healthy deer herd man's other uses of the land. An examination of the Regional figures show that the Department is meeting these objectives only in

the Central and Western Region, where public support has allowed continued application of suitable management practices.

The 1972 Central and Western buck take of 21,195 exceeds the 18,841 take of last year. The total take of 35,028 is also higher than the total take of 29,650 in 1971. Through the annual use of the party permit system in this region, the deer kill has been 29,500 or more deer each year for the past 10 years. The permit system has eliminated the boom and bust takes of the past and has proven the desirability of a sustained deer population.

All counties in this Region showed an increase in both buck take and total deer from 1971. Steuben County, again this year, was the leading county in total deer take of 5,648 and also led the Western counties in buck take of 3,166. Steuben Co. was followed in the Western Region by Allegany, and Cattaraugus both in total deer take and buck take.

Livingston and Yates counties set record buck and total deer takes this year. In addition, the 1972 buck take in Chautauqua, Chemung, Monroe, Seneca, Wayne and Wyoming counties were records.

The comparison of the total 1972 take in the 5 top counties in the Central and Western areas is as follows: Steuben County 5,648; Allegany, 4,563; Cattaraugus 3,109; Chautauqua 2,228; Chenango 2,126.

(All the other counties in this area were below 2,000).

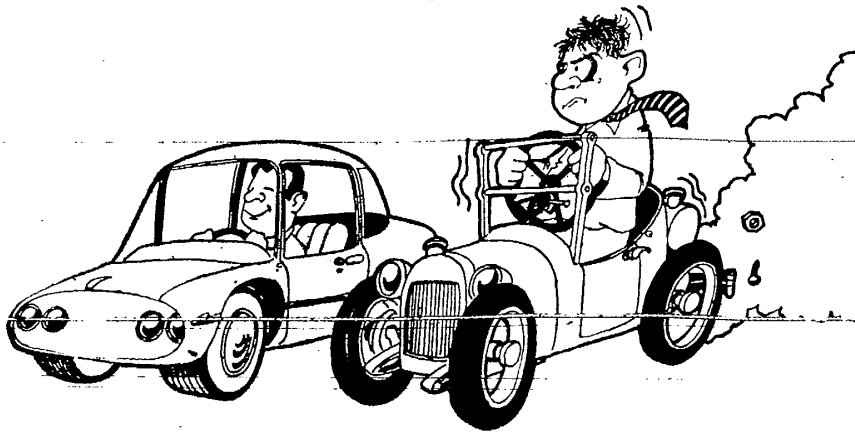
In Steuben County alone, the take was more than the total take in the entire Adirondack Region, which was 4,789. Also, the totals of Steuben, Allegany, Cattaraugus, and Chautauqua of 15,548 — was more than the entire total of all the counties making up the Catskill Region which had 15,414.

Veterans News

Many veterans holding National Service Life Insurance may be eligible to apply for a total disability income provision on their policies, according to James J. McLaughlin, State Veterans Counselor.

The provision, the counselor stated, provides that if the insured becomes totally disabled before his 65th birthday and meets other requirements, he will be entitled to income payments of ten dollars a month for each thousand dollars of NSLI in force.

Veterans who desire detailed information and assistance in applying for the total disability income provision are urged to visit the local counseling center of the New York State Division of Veterans' Affairs located at the Municipal Bldg., Wellsville, N. Y., on Tuesdays, and at the City Bldg., 108 Broadway, Hornell, N. Y., on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.



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