



—Mrs. Marion R. Keyes from McGraw, is spending a few weeks guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kent and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Searle and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kent.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barlow were guests from Thursday until Sunday at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Foster of Cleveland, Ohio. While there they attended the Sportsmen, Trailer and Boat Show held at the Public Auditorium in Cleveland.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spicer spent Sunday in Wellsville with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Spicer, to visit with their grandson, Richard Spicer, and son Bobby and Mrs. Roberta Secrisp of Santa Monica, California.

—Mrs. Kenneth McClure and Mrs. Oliver Kemp were Monday and Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Whitehouse and family of Canandaigua. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Craig Snyder.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Middaugh returned home Monday evening from Forresterville, Md., where they spent the week-end as guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Forrester and grandson, Jeffrey. They also visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Middaugh, Jr. of Suitland, Md. They enjoyed seeing the Cherry Blossoms which were in full bloom during the week-end.

—Mrs. Howard Ellis, Mrs. Howard Green, Mrs. William Green and son, Scott, of Canisteo and Mrs. Blanche Lockwood of Campbell, were Wednesday guests of Mrs. James Waufler and daughters, Julie and Jody.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Searle of Syracuse spent from Saturday until Monday guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Searle.

—John D. Oakes, son of Mr. John G. Oakes of Andover flew to Monrovia in Liberia Africa on Tuesday on a special assignment for Pan Am Airways. Don is technician in charge of maintenance of ground equipment for the 747 airplanes. He has been with Pan Am for over 20 years. His home is in Redwood City, California.

Mrs. Lawrence Owen

Mrs. Lawrence Owen, 79, of 60 Steuben St. Hornell, died Saturday afternoon, March 24, 1973 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Elmira following a short illness.

She was born in Rag Hill, Pa. and lived in Hornell most of her life. She was the widow of Lawrence H. Owen.

Surviving are two sons, Forrest G. of Niagara Falls, and Lawrence Paul Owen of Horseheads; nine grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral Services were held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the Crandall and Crandall Funeral Home in Hornell. Burial was in Hope Cemetery, Hornell.

Named To Dean's List

Daniel Slade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Slade, has been named to the Dean's List at Clarkson College in Potsdam, N. Y., for the Fall Semester of 1972. His index was 3.4.

Named To Dean's List

The winter quarter Dean's List at the Wellsville Vocational Division of State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred includes a total of 112 students. Equally divided between freshmen and seniors, the students qualified for Dean's List honors by maintaining a minimum index of 3.5 (B plus) out of a possible 4.0, according to Harold Babcock, assistant director of the division.

Achieving Dean's List status for the quarter from Andover were:

Robert J. Baker, 7 Harmon St., drafting

Ronald L. Godwin, Andover, R. D. 2, automotive specialists

Use the Classified Ad Section.

New Lead Test Ready For Use

A revolutionary new test developed by the State Health Department for detection of lead poisoning in children has been field tested and is now becoming operational in localities across the state. Dr. Hollis S. Ingraham, State health commissioner, has announced.

Dr. Ingraham said the new test, which requires just a few drops of blood from a finger tip, utilizes sophisticated measuring equipment and a computer to analyze lead levels in the blood with greater speed and reliability than previous methods and at lower laboratory cost. He said the test was developed by the Department's Analytical Toxicology Laboratory in Guilderland, which is under the direction of Dr. Douglas Mitchell. The Laboratory is currently conducting a series of workshops to train technicians in sampling procedures for the test.

"One of the bugs which had to be worked out concerning the test was brought to light in preliminary testing", Dr. Ingraham noted. "It was found that the presence of lead on the exterior skin of those tested contaminated the blood sample and invalidated the test."

Dr. Ingraham said that the problem was solved by applying a special spray to the finger before the pinprick sample was taken. He explained that the chemical spray dries on the finger and forms a film; the skin is then pricked and the blood wells up onto the film, which provides a contaminant-free surface for the sample.

"One of the big pluses of the new test is that it doesn't require the use of a syringe or a large blood sample — two factors which may have kept some parents from seeking lead testing for their children. Another key factor is

the speed with which the analyses can be done — the whole process from vaporization of the sample to printed results takes about 10 seconds. The new test will provide faster service for mass testing and may even double the daily output of a testing laboratory."

The Commissioner said that it has been estimated that approximately 380,000 children between the ages of one and five are exposed to lead poisoning related to substandard housing in the state. Children suffer lead poisoning thru eating pieces of plaster and chips of paint containing lead. Lead poisoning can result in crippling, mental retardation and death. The Analytical Toxicology Laboratory estimates that nearly 10 per cent of all blood samples it has analyzed thus far contain dangerous lead levels.

Dr. Ingraham said that lead poisoning testing programs exist in the counties of Albany, Rensselaer, Erie, Monroe, Niagara, Orleans, Chemung, Broome, Cayuga, Cortland, Onondaga, Tompkins, Dutchess, Orange, Nassau, Suffolk and Westchester and New York City, Utica and Rome.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Latten (Harriet Dean), are the parents of a son, Dean Eugene, born Sunday March 25, 1973 at the St. James Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean are the maternal grandparents.

Tax Notice

Save Money — Pay your Town and County Taxes before they are returned to the County Treasurer. Reta Foster, Collector

Deaths

Mrs. Jay McFadden, 67, of Wellsville, March 21. Her widow, two daughters, a son, a brother and five grandchildren survive.

Golden Age Club News

The Andover Golden Age Club met Monday, March 19th at the Grange Hall for their thirteen luncheon and meeting. There were 28 members present and two guests. The guests were Mrs. Stacy Russin and her small granddaughter, Rev. Ray Albaugh gave the invocation.

A business meeting followed the luncheon. This was conducted by the President, Margaret Karnes. The group recited their Creed, made a salute to the Flag and recited "The Lord's Prayer".

The Secretary and Treasurer gave their reports, also Mary Burns, Corresponding Secretary, gave a summary of her duties. The Club voted to give \$5.00 to the Red Cross. Bessie Mulconery and Emma Baker read a humorous article.

Thanks to those who served on the Committee.

The next Club meeting date is April 2.

Hooray Golden Agers let's increase over attendance.

The following are asked to serve Mrs. Roy Glover, Mrs. Ruth Jeffers, Mrs. Margaret Karnes and Mrs. Gladys Livermore.

The meeting was adjourned with Rev. Albaugh giving the closing Prayer and presiding at the piano for the group to sing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again".

survive.

Robert H. Hodge, 88, of Friendship, March 25. A daughter, a son, a sister and nine grandchildren survive.

Richard H. Hawley, 80, of Wellsville, March 24. His widow, a sister and a brother survive.

John C. Peltnot, 66, of Friendship, March 28. His wife, three daughters, two sons, four grandchildren and three sisters survive.

Veterans News

GI BILL DEADLINE WARNING

May 31, 1974 is a crucial date for post-Korean veterans who were discharged from military service between January 31, 1955, and June 1, 1966. That's the date their GI Bill education benefits expire. Unless they begin training soon, they could lose part or all of their benefits.

Benefits for these veterans were not authorized until enactment of the current GI Bill on June 1, 1968. Thus, they must complete training within eight years of release or by May 31, 1974 deadline, whichever is later.

The deadline does not apply to veterans interested in flight training, apprenticeship and on-job and farm cooperative training, however. These veterans have until August 31, 1975, or eight years after discharge, whichever is later, to complete training. This is because these training programs were not available until October, 1967.

WIVES AND WIDOWS going to school under VA's Dependents' Educational Assistance Program now can take on-the-job training, attend institutions or higher learning in foreign countries, and take correspondence and high school courses at government expense.

For complete information and assistance contact your 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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Annual Report of the Supervisor Town of Andover

Year Ending December 31, 1972

GENERAL FUND				
	Jan. 1, 1972	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance
Cash on Hand				
Town Wide	\$343.93	\$40,345.50	\$34,089.50	\$6,599.93
Outside Village	\$470.58	\$ 3,190.35	\$ 3,660.93	None
Perm. Improvement	—	\$30,833.74	\$30,553.68	\$ 280.06
HIGHWAY FUND				
Repairs & Improvements	50.61	\$31,924.75	\$29,495.32	\$2,480.04
Bridges	—	\$ 2,251.00	\$ 1,441.68	\$ 809.32
Machinery	—	\$55,133.59	\$53,575.73	\$1,560.26
Snow & Misc.	—	\$11,500.00	\$11,225.19	\$ 274.81
Totals	\$50.61	\$141,645.08	\$128,291.00	\$5,404.69
FIRE PROTECTION				
		\$ 2,159.00	\$ 2,159.00	None
During 1972 — Payments on Equipment were as follows:				
Cat. Grader	\$6,000.00	Pyt. \$225.00	Int. \$225.00	Balance None
Int. Truck	\$3,000.00	Pyt. \$165.00	Int. \$165.00	Balance None
Trojan Loader	\$4,500.00	Pyt. \$924.95	Int. \$924.95	\$13,997.00
Ford Pickup	\$3,250.00	Pyt. —	None	None
Sand Spreader	\$1,500.00	Pyt. —	None	None

This is a summary of the Annual Report of the Supervisor to the Department of Audit and Control of the State of New York. The detailed report is on file at the Office of the Town Clerk, and may be inspected by any person during regular Town Clerk hours.

HOWARD BURDICK
Supervisor
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