

ACS Proposed School Budget Continued

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A730 Employee Benefits

This represents an increase of over \$18,000., nearly all of which is required by law. (Social Security, Retirement, etc.)

A800-211 Bonds

When we borrowed money for the building addition in 1958, we agreed to increase our payments from \$25,000. to \$30,000. during the last five years of our repayment period. This is the first of those five years.

In addition, at the annual meeting, you will be asked to approve the issuing of a bond for \$10,000. for repairs to the roof of the building. If you approve the bond issue, the first \$2,000. payment will come from here.

Of the \$28,422.73 increase in this year's budget, over \$20,000 of the increase is in items we are required by law to increase. Although the budget has increased only 3.4% over last year, the estimated school tax increase in the Town of Andover will be about \$6.80/ thousand assessed valuation. This means an increase of between \$20. and \$25. for the average homeowner in Andover.

There are two reasons for this tax increase. First, last year, in an effort to keep the tax increase as low as possible, we used our planned balance, or savings, of nearly \$25,000 to offset added costs. With that planned balance gone, this year the whole increase must be absorbed by taxes. In the second place, the state has not carried its share of the educational load. The token increase in state aid cannot begin to keep up with the increased costs of materials and services.

If Andover is to maintain her position as a local, independent school system, we must be willing to maintain the standards and the programs necessary for quality education. This requires the support of the entire community. We believe that this budget is an economical approach as can be found to maintain our school program.

The Annual Meeting will be held at 8:00 P. M., on Tuesday, July 10th in the school auditorium. Also on the agenda is election of a member of the School Board. The term of Carl Atwell, Board President, expires this year and he is the only person who has filed his petition to run this year, as required by state education law.

Advertisement For Bids On Municipal Contract

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that sealed proposals are sought and requested for the performance according to specifications of a contract to be let by the Village of Andover, County of Allegany, State of New York, for street improvement. Work consisting of grading, cleaning, patching, black topping and curb installation of Baker Street and Church Street, in the Village of Andover, New York.

The sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Trustees at the Village Offices on Main Street, Andover, New York, until seven o'clock P. M., Monday, July 9, 1973, and will be publicly opened in the Village Office at seven thirty P. M., the same day.

Copy of the specifications for said work, and can be obtained at the office of the Village Clerk, on Main Street, Andover, New York, on or after June 27, 1973. Proposals shall be made and received upon the following conditions:

Each proposal must be accompanied by the deposit of a certified check payable to the order of the Village Treasurer in a sum equal to 10% of the bid price.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted to it.

All deposits except that of the successful bidder will be returned. Upon acceptance of his bid, the successful bidder shall execute a contract in accordance with his proposal and furnish a suitable security bond in the sum of the amount of the contract conditioned for the faithful and prompt performance and completion of the work specified in the contract; if he neglects or refuses to execute said contract and furnish said bonds, the deposit heretofore mentioned of 10% of the list price, shall be forfeited and retained by the Village of Andover, New York as liquidated damages.

The contract will contain a provision that every mechanic, laborer and workman employed in or about the work contemplated by the contract shall be paid not less than the prevailing rate of wages and provided with not less than the prevailing supplement which are set forth in the specifications a copy which may be obtained as aforesaid

Dated: June 27, 1973
JOAN DIBBLE
Village Clerk

David Glover

David Glover, 81, of Baker St., Andover, died Monday, June 25, 1973 in the Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville, after a long illness.

He was born in Sunderlinville, Pa., and his wife, Leona, predeceased him.

Survivors include one daughter, Grace in Canada; three sisters, Florence Decker of Newark Valley, May Tubbs of Manlius, and Mrs. John (Nora) Tubbs of Ulysses, Pa.; one brother, Vern Glover of Eldred, Pa. and seven step-children.

Funeral services were held at the Koch Funeral Home in Ulysses, Pa., Friday at 1 p. m. Burial was in Parker Hill Cemetery, Sunderlinville, Pa.

Appreciation

I wish to express my appreciation and thanks to all the friends who called and sent cards while I was in the hospital. Also a special thanks to the doctors and the nurses

Mary Burgett

Marriages

June 9: Miss Pamela Palmiter of Alfred Station and James Doyle of Potsdam

Deaths

Mrs. Agnes M. Cronin, 69, of

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brother survive.

Ward P. Eldridge, 67, of Wellsville, June 21. His widow, two sons, a daughter, four grandchildren and three brothers survive.

Leroy Cornelius, 41, of Wellsville, June 23. His widow, his mother, three step-children, a sister and a brother survive.

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