



—Mrs. Craig Snyder and daughter, Linda of Canandaigua, were Monday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Snyder. Mrs. Craig Snyder returned to Canandaigua Tuesday and Miss Linda remained until Thursday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Snyder.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phelps were Sunday callers of her mother, Mrs. Harry Rowleigh of South Dansville, her brother, Mr. and Mrs. LeGrande Rowleigh, also of South Dansville and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyers of Dansville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stimson returned home Sunday after spending two weeks visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Van Huse and family of Oakland, Maine. They also called on their sister-in-law, Mrs. Brook Stimson of Princeton, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Miller of West Palm Beach, Florida, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Marsh.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simons and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson returned home Sunday after spending 2½ weeks visiting Mrs. Simons' sister, Mrs. John Garland and family of St. John's Newfoundland and also other relatives and friends in the area.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cahill and family left Wednesday, July 5th for Tempe, Arizona, where they spent three days visiting at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Cahill. They left Tempe, Monday, enroute to California. They spent two days visiting Disney Land and traveling along the coast of California before returning to Tempe, Arizona for the week-end. While there they spent Saturday visiting the sights in Mexico. Leaving Tempe, Arizona on Monday the family then went to Utah where they visited the Grand Canyon and other points of interest before returning to Andover, Sunday July 22nd.

—Mrs. Harold Webbezahl and daughter, Mrs. Clifford Burdick and daughter, Mrs. Reid Mattison and Mrs. Claire Backus attended the Christian Women's Club Mother and Daughter Luncheon held Thursday July 19 at the Alfred Ag-Tech Lodge. A group of five students from Houghton College presented vocal and instrumental selections preceding a talk given by Clair Drake, Village Missionary from the Mid-West. Mrs. Drake and two of their sons were also present. Approximately 200 people enjoyed the program.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Howland of Illinois were greeting Andover friends Friday. They were enroute to visit his father, Earl Howland in Franklinville.

—Mrs. John Lever, Miss Mary Lee, Mrs. Claire Backus, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Albaugh and daughter, Lori, and young house guest, attended the Rock Oratorio, "It's Getting Late" presented by the summer Freeborn singers at the Spencer Methodist Church in Hornell, Sunday night. Rev. Gerald A. Wolter former pastor of the Andover Methodist Church, welcomed the congregation and introduced the group and directors.

—Mrs. Walter Spauldings of Nutley, N. J., who has been visiting friends in Wellsville, was calling at the home of her aunt Mrs. John Lever Wednesday afternoon.

—Mrs. John Lever, Miss Mary Lee and Mrs. Claire Backus left Thursday morning to spend the day and Friday with Mr. and Mrs.

Walter (Red) Strouse at their campsite in Lindley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Allentown, Pa., were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Landis Kibbe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clarke and family of Stony Point, arrived Saturday to spend their vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Landis Kibbe and at their camp near Greenwood.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Miniarick of Garnerville, N. Y., were Tuesday to Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clarke and Mr. and Mrs. Landis Kibbe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Landis Kibbe have received word that their grandson, Jeffrey Coons sustained an injury to his left eye and is a patient at St. Mary's Hospital in Rochester.

—Mrs. Joseph Clarke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Landis Kibbe, sustained a broken leg Monday evening when she slipped on wet grass at their camp near Greenwood. She received treatment at the Jones Memorial Hospital and is recuperating at the home of her parents.

—Friendship Old Timers will celebrate their 50th anniversary Saturday, July 28th from 2 - 4 p. m. at the Island Park Friendship. The reception will be at 6 p. m. with dinner at 6:30 p. m. An "After Glow" will be held at the Friendship Rod & Gun Club to allow people to renew old friendships.

—Allen Cooble of Ormal has been named as the new president of the Volunteer Fireman's Association, Allegany County. Cliff Reich, representing the Wellsville Fire Department, was the recipient of the "George Mickle" Award for Fire Prevention.

Will Reunion

The 25th annual reunion of the descendants of the Will family was held Sunday, July 22 at the Howard Burdick Cabin at Elm Valley, with sixty-two relatives and guests present.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected: Gail Burdick, President; Howard Burdick Vice-President; Mrs. Susan Miller of Rochester, Secretary; Treasurer: Mrs. Carl Will of Rochester. Mrs. Katherine Welsh and Mrs. Arthur Kemp, both of Andover, are the Program Committee.

Mrs. Louise Bridge was honored as the oldest member present. Michael Reid Leonard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leonard, the youngest, Robert Leonard is serving in the U. S. Navy and reports to Saratoga Spring, Monday.



Sara Jane Rose II

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Rose of R.D. 2, Andover, N. Y., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sara Jane II, to Daniel Eugene Dodge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dodge of Water St., Andover, N. Y. Sara Jane will graduate from Andover Central School in June of 1974.

Daniel was a 1972 graduate of Andover Central School and is now attending Bell & Howell College in Columbus, Ohio.

A garden wedding is being planned for June 1974.

Irrigation Vital For Garden Crops

With the growing season advancing toward its climax, garden crops should grow rapidly but they require plenty of water for growth. Most vegetables are comprised of 90 per cent or more water, so the daily water requirement is quite high.

Additional water in the form of irrigation for those gardens that tend to get dry will be well rewarded in terms of better crop quality and yields, says Prof. Ray Sheldrake of the N. Y. State College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, Cornell University.

A critical time to irrigate the garden is when sweet corn, for example, begins to show tassels, and when tomatoes, cucumbers, and summer squash begin to set fruit. "A dry situation that brings about wilting of plants for four or five days is really murder on tomatoes at this time of year because such a condition often leads to dry rot or blossom end rot," Sheldrake points out.

The ideal way is to supply a fairly uniform amount of moisture to crops throughout the entire growing season to insure plant growth at a steady pace.

The best equipment to use in a garden sprinkler; irrigate the garden with about one inch of water. The amount of water can be measured easily with empty coffee cans placed around the garden during the irrigation operation; run the sprinkler until an inch of water collects in the cans.

"You cannot do an effective job of irrigation by standing there with a hose and nozzle squirting water on the garden," Sheldrake points out. "This rarely does much more than wet the leaves and the surface of the soil."

To be effective, water should wet the soil to a depth of five to six inches; a good irrigation of this type will suffice for a week to 10 days.

"Leave the coffee cans out in the garden even when the sprinkler is not on to measure the rainwater that has fallen on the garden," Sheldrake suggests. "A vegetable garden should receive at least one inch of rainfall every seven or 10 days at the most. If this doesn't happen, turn on the sprinkler."

Sprinklers similar to those used in commercial vegetable production will put out water in a circular pattern covering 20 to 30 feet.

If water begins to puddle during irrigation the sprinkler is putting out water faster than the soil can

take it up, so water the garden slowly, Sheldrake says.

Many gardeners think that watering is harmful when the sun is out. "This is an old wives' tale and it really doesn't make any difference at all," Sheldrake points out. "Water the garden whenever you have the time, I prefer to water in the evening or even after dark so that the efficiency of the water usage will be greater".

Eric County Fair To Award Over \$60,000

The total list of cash prizes to be awarded at the 1973 Eric County Fair and Exposition, August 17-25, will total over \$60,000. Fair secretary Ben DeYoung announced today.

Information is now available on the various categories of cash prizes to be awarded to winners in the "Funfairade" parade, the gigantic spectacle to be held on Saturday, August 18. The parade will be televised live on WBen-TV. Entry blanks for floats and various other participants in this huge parade, one of the largest in the East, are now available. The blanks, as well as the premium books can be obtained by writing secretary Ben DeYoung, at 5600 McKintley Parkway, Hamburg, New York, 14075, or calling 649-3900.

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