

## Village Board Holds Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Andover Village Board was held in the Village Office, Thursday evening, December 13, 1973. Those present — James Bliss, Mayor; Avery Mead, Ronald Glover, and Michael Brace, Trustees; Albert Winslow and Max Graves, Village Planning Board; and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Harvey.

The meeting was opened by Mayor Bliss.

Mayor Bliss read the proposed Village Ordinances and as no persons appeared opposing the ordinances the Mayor declared the hearing closed at 8:30 p. m.

Michael Brace moved, seconded by Ronald Glover, that WHEREAS a Public Hearing has been held on a Building Ordinance, and no persons appeared opposing such ordinance, that it be adopted. Carried.

Ronald Glover then moved, seconded by Michael Brace, that WHEREAS a Public Hearing has been held on Flood Insurance Ordinance No. 1, that it be adopted. Carried.

It was then moved by Avery Mead, seconded by Michael Brace that WHEREAS a Public Hearing has been held on Flood Insurance Ordinance No. 2, that it be adopted. Carried.

All three Ordinances will take effect on the 21st day of December, 1973, after publication and posting as required by Village Law.

Moved by Michael Brace, seconded by Avery Mead, to place the usual ad in the Andover News to be paid for by the M.E.U.A. Carried.

This concluded the business of this meeting, and the Mayor declared the meeting adjourned.  
JOAN C. HEBBLE, Clerk

## Sesqui-Centennial Planning Committee Meets

The blustery weather of Monday evening did not discourage nine members of the Sesqui-Centennial Steering Committee who met at the Village Hall to review past business and to proceed with the new.

Harold Rice, Chairman of the Headquarters Committee, has obtained the use of the old Town Hall on N. Main Street as the Headquarters building for Sesqui-Centennial business.

A history book under the direction of Bessie Mulconery and Margaret Wood is already in progress. If any persons have items they would like recorded in this book, contact one of these ladies or Mrs. Fred Sisson. Each local church and organization is asked to appoint an historian to be responsible for getting information to the historians compiling the Sesqui-Centennial History.

The sale of the souvenir pens has been very brisk. If you still would like a pen and a chance to win a TV, which is a fringe benefit of the pen purchase, better hurry.

Mr. MacCrea of Andover Central School Art Department is co-operating with the committee to present several exhibits at various intervals during the sesqui year.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon McNéill have been appointed participation chairman and will be in charge of "Bells" activities.

Kick-off date has been set for January 21. A special meeting for the general public will be held at Andover Central School cafeteria at 8 P. M. Participation prizes — stock in the Fun of the Festival will be available at that time. Come and have a good time.

If anyone has any questions or comments, please contact a committee member. Also — January 21 will be a good day to learn more and help more.

## Mrs. Edward Demerley, News That's Print To Fit

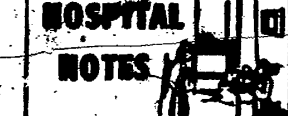
Mrs. Agnes Demerley of Eden, died Monday, December 10, 1973 in Our Lady of Victory Hospital, Buffalo.

She was born in Andover on September 10, 1912, a daughter of Peter Joyce and the former Elizabeth Shay.

Survivors include her husband, Edward; one daughter, Mrs. Charles (Mary Louise) Collantino; five sisters, Mrs. Henry (Gertrude) Dole of Eden; Miss Veronica Joyce of Andover; Mrs. Zita Drake of Canoga Park, Calif.; Mrs. Lloyd (Margaret) Shay and Mrs. Merle (Dorothy) Shay, both of Wellsville; and the late Francis Joyce.

Funeral services were held at 9:15 at the Donald M. Demerley Funeral Home in Hamburg with a Mass of the Resurrection celebrated at the Immaculate Conception Church in Eden at 10 a. m.

Burial was in the Eden Cemetery.



Mrs. Jessie Ahrens, a patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, has been discharged.

Mrs. Fay Brown, a patient in the Bethesda Hospital has been discharged.

Roger Baker, a surgical patient in the Bethesda Hospital has returned home.

Christopher Matkinson underwent surgery Monday at the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Josephine Fritzell underwent open heart surgery Wednesday, December 12th and is out of the Intensive Care Unit and doing nicely. Her address is:

Long Island College Hospital  
Henry Street  
Brooklyn, N. Y. 11201  
Room 462

Mrs. Lella Livermore is a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Miss Jane Troxell, a patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, has been discharged.

## Local Lions Club Sponsor Prizes For Home Decorations

The Andover Lions Club is sponsoring a contest for the best decorated homes within the Village of Andover again this year.

Prizes for the contest have been set by the Club with money to be awarded as follows:

- First Prize — \$25.00
- Second Prize — \$15.00
- Third Prize — \$10.00

The homes will be judged during the Day-Time, and any outdoor lighting arrangements WILL NOT BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION, since the Andover Lions Club is supporting the current "Energy Crisis Program" and is asking local residents to co-operate with local plans.

The Committee will be judging the local homes within the Village on Saturday afternoon, December 22nd and winners will be notified as soon as possible.

## Free Welding Clinic

Everyone interested is invited to a free short course in how modern welding equipment can save them valuable time and money on repair jobs — complete with a welding demonstration covering all procedures and techniques.

Those who attend will be invited to try the modern welding equipment. Learn overhead and vertical welding in one evening.

The free welding clinic is being sponsored by the D. & L. Feed in Andover at the A.C.S. Industrial Arts Shop at 7:30 P. M. — January 3, 1974 in cooperation with the

Well Folks, that sure was a real touch of winter that we had to start the week out with wasn't it? Sunday was bad enough with some snow and the thermometer about 20, but Monday with it dropping down near Zero and a regular blizzard in progress — it sure made it rough driving — with practically no visibility at all. Then with the mercury dipping down to about 6 below Tuesday night we just had to accept the fact that WINTER IS REALLY HERE! However, the weatherman is predicting that it will warm up Wednesday evening with the probability of more snow — and even rain by Thursday morning. Won't that be nice now? Here's hoping the weather will at least clear up for Friday and Saturday so that all of the people going to Christmas parties won't have too many problems.

We notice that there are a few dogs still running loose with one big red Irish Setter have the tendency to scatter the Mayor's garbage all over Tuesday morning before the garbage truck came to pick it up. Yep, we even had several witnesses to this — didn't we Joan?

Then too, with some snow on the ground we have had the usual rash of complaints about snowmobiles running around on the side streets about 1 and 2 a. m., as well as buzzing up and down Main Street (State Highway Route 21). Isn't there a State Law against this? Or aren't these State Laws being enforced locally? Just the ones that happen to be easy and handy maybe?

## News Briefs of Local Servicemen

Navy Fireman William G. Sherman, son of Mrs. William G. Sherman, whose wife, Fay, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schultz, all of Andover Road, Route 3, Wellsville, N. Y., was Route 3, Wellsville, N. Y., and Navy Fireman Leonard T. Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Welty of Rte. 1, Whitesville, N. Y. were commended as crewmembers of the U.S. Two Jima amphibious assault ship for their efforts as part of the U.S. Sixth Fleet task force in the Mediterranean during the latest Middle East crisis. The powerful force stood ready to evacuate American citizens from danger areas and to back up our government's diplomats as they helped negotiate a cease fire.



Pvt. E-2 Ronald Pease, who has recently graduated from AIT School at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, expects to arrive in Andover Thursday to spend the holiday leave with his grandmother, Mrs. John Lever and other relatives.

Twentieth Century Mfg. Co., who will provide equipment from its improved new line of welders designed for farm, shop, and home use.

## Mrs. James W. Fuller School Board Holds Monthly Meeting

Mrs. Louise J. Fuller, a resident of New York City for 32 years, died in Lenox Hill Hospital, Thursday, December 13, 1973 following a long illness.

She was born in Andover on October 22, 1907, a daughter of Michael and Anna Will Folsing. She married James W. Fuller in New York City on September 17, 1938.

While living in Andover she worked in the former Burrows National Bank and for ten years in the First Trust Company in Wellsville. When in New York, until her retirement, she worked in the former Empire Trust Company and following the merger, the Bank of New York.

She was a member of the Presbyterian Church of Andover.

Survivors include her husband; four sisters, Mrs. Guy (Emma) Tucker, Miss Elizabeth Folsing, and Mrs. Fay (Helen) Boyd, all of Andover; and Mrs. Gerald (Margaret) Burns of Lake Worth, Florida.

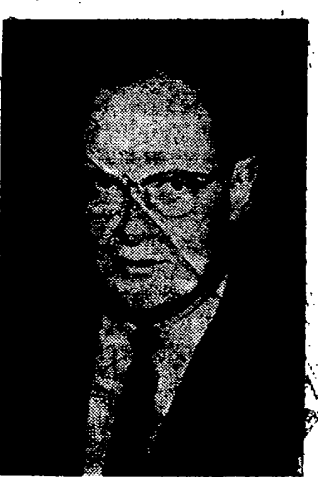
Friends were received at the Mason T. Dye Funeral Home in Wellsville Saturday and Sunday. Funeral services were held at the Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Monday with the Rev. Ray Albaugh, pastor of the Andover Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Interment will be in Hillside Cemetery, Andover.

## The Mayor's Column

by Jim Bliss

The Holiday Season is almost upon us. I feel that the restraint the people of Andover have shown in restricting their outdoor displays should be commended. I know that the true spirit of Christmas has not been dimmed though. The Village Trustees and myself wish you all a Merry Christmas.



Dr. Roger F. Rawe

Dr. Roger F. Rawe will serve as acting president of the State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred during the six-months absence of Dr. David H. Huntington, college president.

Dr. Huntington will leave his post January 1 for a sabbatic which will extend through June 30.

Dr. Rawe, who has been vice president of the college since the position was established in 1966 has been confirmed as acting president by the State University Board of Trustees. A former professor and department chairman at Alfred State College, Dr. Rawe was appointed dean of the college in 1961.

The policy of granting periodic study leaves to SUNY presidents was formulated last January by the University's trustees who saw the plan as a way for presidents to gain fresh perspectives related to their administrative and academic performance. Dr. Huntington is one of several SUNY presidents to be granted a leave under the new policy.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Andover Central School was called to order Monday evening, Dec. 17, 1973, by the President, Mr. William Walker Mr. Mosher and the following Board members were present. Mr. Francis Horan, Mr. Carl Atwell and Mr. Conner Stephens.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read for approval. Motion was made by Carl Atwell and seconded by Francis Horan carried by 4 votes of yes.

The minutes of the Special meetings — November 26 and December 3rd were read for approval. Motion was made to accept these minutes as read by Conner Stephens. Seconded by Carl Atwell. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Motion to approve the payrolls amounting to \$41,212.30 was made by Francis Horan, seconded by Conner Stephens, passed by 4 votes of yes.

Resolution passed by 4 votes of yes that the bills in the amount of \$17,938.21, General Fund for November 1973 as certified by Mr. Mosher, be paid. Motion was made by Carl Atwell and seconded by Francis Horan.

Motion was made by Francis Horan that the Cafeteria bills for November — \$1,574.10 be paid. Motion seconded by Carl Atwell carried by 4 votes of yes.

The monthly Cafeteria report was read showing a net profit of \$181.49 for November. Motion to file this report with the minutes was made by Conner Stephens and seconded by Francis Horan. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

A motion was made by Francis Horan to pay the interest only due on the New School Bond due on December 15, 1973. The amount of this payment is \$2,700.00. Motion was seconded by Conner Stephens. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

Motion was made by Conner Stephens that General Fund loan of \$2,000.00 to Federal Title I — 1973-74 in anticipation of revenues to be received on this Grant Carl Atwell seconded the motion. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Conner Stephens moved to approve the Clerk's and Treasurer's reports. Carl Atwell seconded. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Carl Atwell moved to approve Federal Title II Warrant in the amount \$59.81. Francis Horan seconded. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

Mrs. Jean Jackson, representing the PTA discussed student meal tickets. No action was taken.

Francis Horan made a motion to approve the Area Educational Television Study. Seconded by Conner Stephens. Carried by 4 votes of yes.

A motion was made by Francis Horan and seconded by Carl Atwell, that the Board request the Education Commission to approve the employment of a retired administrator, Howard Mosher. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

A motion was made by Carl Atwell, seconded by Francis Horan to request BOCES shared services for 1973-74. Passed by 4 votes of yes.

A motion was made by Francis Horan, seconded by Conner Stephens, to adopt motion regarding free lunch program.

A motion was made by Francis Horan, seconded by Carl Atwell, to approve new second semester English program.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:45.

MARY K. SLADE, Clerk

## Masonic Notice

The regular Stated Communication of Andover Lodge No. 558 F. & A. M. will be held Monday evening, January 7, 1974 at 8 o'clock.

Installation of new Officers will take place at this time, followed by the traditional oyster stew for refreshments.  
Wayne Carter, Secretary