



Barbara Y. Leonard

Engagement Announced

The engagement of Miss Barbara Y. Leonard to Michael J. Nobles has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Leonard of 23 Barney Street, Andover N. Y. Mr. Nobles is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Nobles of R. D. 4, Wellsville, New York.

Miss Leonard is a 1973 graduate of Andover Central School and is attending State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred.

Mr. Nobles is a graduate of Scio Central School and a 1970 graduate of Construction Technology from the State University at Delhi, and is presently employed as a private contractor.

A June 20 wedding is being planned.

Kathy Haskins Places In County Oratorical Contest

Kathy Haskins, a junior who represented our school and Allegany County in the Eighth District American Legion Oratorical Contest at Fredonia on Sunday, is to be congratulated. Kathy has spent many hours on her prepared speech, "Freedom and What the Bill of Rights Means to Me."

In addition to the prepared speech each contestant is required to deliver an extemporaneous speech on one of six articles taken from the Constitution and the Amendments. About ten minutes before Kathy was to give her extemporaneous speech, she, as were all contestants, was presented with a specific article. The article chosen for this year was Article VI, paragraph two, of the Constitution. Kathy as usual was well-prepared and was the recipient of a ten dollar award.

The first and second place winners were Sharon Ambrosia, a student from Niagara Falls and Patrick Martin from Jamestown.

Again, Congratulations, Kathy, for such fine and time-consuming effort!

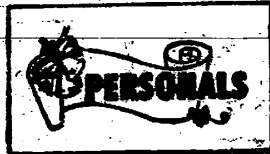
Appreciation

I wish to express my appreciation to Father Fiore, my friends and relatives for their prayers, cards, flowers and visitations while a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital. Great appreciation and thanks to our ambulance crew and Dr. Miller and Dr. Tartaglia. Mrs. Avery Mead, Sr.

NOTICE

The Jacobs Brothers will hold a concert Saturday, March 16 at the Andover Central School Auditorium at 8 P. M.

Advance tickets can be obtained at the Andover Restaurant by Wednesday, February 27.



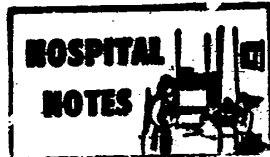
—Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fossett and son, Jeffrey of Camp Springs, Md., were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Middaugh.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Vickers of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vickers and daughter, Valerie and Jennifer of Ramsey, N. J., were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Vickers and other relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kent were last week-end visitors in Syracuse and attended a birthday celebration at McGraw, N. Y., Saturday, in honor of Mrs. Marion Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. Searles and daughter Amanda, who were also spending the week-end in Syracuse with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Searle, joined them for the celebration.

—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Quinn of Cuba, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Slawson and daughter, Rebecca of Friendship and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fossett and son, Jeffrey of Camp Springs, Md., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Middaugh.

There have been many challengers to the Number One spot in Big 30 basketball scoring, held by Pioneer's diminutive Pat Dugan, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dugan (Ceci Lynch). Pat notched 72 points in games against Alden and Cleveland Hills and boosted his per game average to 28.3 from the previous week's 26.7.



Mrs. Avery Mead Sr., a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, returned to her home, Sunday.

Douglas Whiting was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

Donna Glover, a patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, has been discharged.

Mrs. Grace Drake is a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Walter Jacob is a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Carl Childs, a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, has been discharged.

Jason Fuller is a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Glenn Halsey, a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, was discharged Sunday.

Completes Course

Ronald R. Kemp, switchman for Iroquois Telephone Company at Alfred Station, New York, has completed a course in USI Motor-switch offered by the Continental Telephone System Training Center, Dulles International Airport, near Washington, D. C.

The motor-switch converts one-way lines to two-way communication lines and is urged in Automatic Number Identification in long-distance calling.

On completion of the course, the craftsman will be able to adjust, repair and maintain the motor-switch according to Continental practices and safety standards.

Kemp joined the Continental System in 1970.

Karen Wilcox Receives State Grange Position

Mrs. James M. (Karen) Wilcox of R. D. 1, Almond, Allegany County, has been appointed, as Junior Superintendent of New York Grange, according to State Grange Master Robert S. Drake of Woodhull, Steuben County.

In her new capacity, Mrs. Wilcox is responsible for a year-long Junior Grange program involving some 4500 boys and girls from five to 14 years old in over 180 Junior Granges in 49 counties of the state. The program is supervised by matrons, or patrons in each local unit and by Junior Deputies in each county, and is an integral part of the Grange family fraternity with local J/G units affiliated with subordinate Granges.

A teacher of retarded children at Alfred-Almond Central School, and the wife of a dairy farmer, James M. Wilcox, the former Karen Ruckle was born in Cuba, N. Y., and graduated from Friendship Central School in 1960 and earned her degree in Elementary and Special Education at State University College at Geneseo in 1964.

Herself a former Junior Grange member, Mrs. Wilcox was Ceres and Junior Matron at Inavah Grange, later Lecturer and Junior Matron at Almond Grange 1102 where she is now a member, is a past Lecturer of Allegany Pomona Grange, and during 1970-72 was District Youth Director for New York State Grange.

The new Junior Superintendent has been Lecturer and Secretary of the Young Patrons of Allegany County, is a Past President of the County Association for Retarded Children, has been resident and Secretary of the county American Dairy Association Princess Committee, a PTA member, program chairman of a square dance club, and a member of the Steuben-Allegany Teachers Association. She has been junior choir director, Sunday School teacher and Vacation Bible School teacher in her church.

With a son, Rodney James, the Wilcoxes live at R. D. 1, Almond.

Allegany County Fire Control Report

The following is the Allegany County Fire Control Report from 82 East Greenwood Street, Andover, New York for the month of December 1973:

FIRES	
Mercantile	0
Industrial	0
Dwellings	10
Farm Bldgs.	0
Motor Vehicle	3
Oil Field	1
Grass & Brush	1
Pennsylvania Calls	2
Miscellaneous Fires	6
Total Calls	23

ACCIDENTS — 3	
MUTUAL AID	
In County	5
Out of County	0
Total Calls	5

Siren Tests — 87	
Radio Checks — 36	
Vehicle Practice — 2	
Vehicle Maintenance — 33	
AMBULANCE CALLS	
Alfred	9
Almond	6
Andover	3
Angellia	9
Belfast	6
Bolivar	14
Fillmore	6

Andover Union Lenten Services

The five Andover Churches are again having Union Lenten services this year each of the five Sunday evenings in March. The services are sponsored by the Christian Missionary Alliance Church, The Blessed Sacrament Church, The First Baptist Church and the Methodist-Presbyterian Parish. The public is cordially invited to attend these services which will be held at 7:30 P. M., each Sunday evening in March.

The service this Sunday, March 3rd, will be in the Methodist Church Sanctuary. The service will be the 45 voice Houghton College Choir in concert directed by Professor Terry L. Fern.

The Chapel Choir ministers through its music to churches in the western New York region in week-end trips; and members are chosen through audition and training to a high standard of ensemble performance. Its repertoire ranges from the Renaissance period to hymn arrangements, spirituals and Southern tunes. Piano and organ soloists are featured. This season the group will journey to Ohio and Pennsylvania on extended tours. Half of the membership are music majors while the remaining are liberal arts students representing a variety of fields.

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Friendship	12
Genesee	4
Rushford	3
Shinglehouse	6
Total Calls	81

False Alarms — 6	
Miscellaneous Calls — 573	
Total Calls for the Month — 848	

Dates Claimed

May 16 - 17 — Methodist Women's Society Rummage Sale.

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