

Sesqui-Centennial Week Begins Sunday - "Faith of our Fathers Day"

PRESIDENT RICHARD M. NIXON RESIGNS



Sesqui News

Was that really the last regular meeting of the Executive Committee? Way back there in October it looked like such a long time until August. Even in June it seemed that there was a lot of time. Then came July 4, Motorcades, Kangaroo Korte, not to mention all the activities of the neighboring towns and villages and the Allegany County Fair. So here we stand on the threshold of our wonderful Birthday Party.

This Friday evening will be the Question Period for the Queen Candidates — on the school portico, weather permitting and otherwise inside. Remember the Queens will not be judged at this time. It is a get-acquainted offering, and the Queen will be elected by vote at the Town Hall, August 10 — 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.

The Queen Candidates will be radiant, of course, by Friday evening after having shaken hands with the horse in the winner's circle at Batavia Downs. This will have happened on Thursday evening, the Andover Sesqui-Centennial. George Hooper, Promoter, made all the arrangements for this event.

The school grounds stand in readiness for all the concession stands, wiring has been completed and the area is mapped out. Hospitality is under control. Dignitaries will be received at the Legion Hall. We still need people to act as hosts and hostesses there and to sell tickets at the general booths on the grounds. There will be a calendar at Headquarters for any volunteers to sign for these duties at their own convenience. Please volunteer.

Parade Committee has obtained some really great units to participate in the Parade on Saturday. You will be most pleased with their efforts.

Youth Day plans are nearing completion under the direction of Ralph Peterson, Brian Lynch and the committee. A band has been contracted for the Wednesday evening affair, there'll be a Little League Game in the afternoon, a parade and lots of fun for everyone. Remember carnival tickets will be 25c a ride that afternoon, also there are a few advance-sale ticket strips left at Headquarters at 5 rides for \$1.00.

There really are no plates left. The whole committee regrets this, but wishes to thank the Queen Candidates for doing such a really great job in selling and the general public for buying in such a cooperative manner. We wish we had ordered more plates, but 1200 seems like a large number when first one orders not knowing how much response there will be to a project. Thank You!

The history book has been delay-

Advanced Ride Tickets Available

A fresh supply of Advanced Sale Tickets for the Rides have arrived at Headquarters.

Style Show

As part of the Sesqui-Centennial Ladies Day activities on Tuesday August 13, a Style Show will be held at A.C.S. from 6:30 - 8:30 p. m.

The committee, consisting of Edith Wallace, Alberta Rogers, Sandra Howland and Elsie Swartz, has been busy "rounding-up" original clothing which dates back as far as 1839; these garments are not copies, but "the real McCoy" generously donated for use by several families in the area. The histories of these garments, handed down through the generations, will be an important part of the Show.

The clothing will be modeled for the event by men, women, and children in town who have expressed an interest in helping to portray the history of Andover.

The public is cordially invited to attend this very colorful and interesting part of our Sesqui-Centennial Celebration Week. Admission will be 50c for adults and 25c for children.



Carl Childs was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital, Wednesday afternoon as a medical patient.

ed and we express our deepest regrets. We are doing everything humanly and otherwise possible to get it into your hands by August 12. We had our material all ready on dead-line, but it is impossible sometimes to plan how to avoid unpredictable circumstances. Please be just as patient as you already have been for a short time longer. We promise you one thing — it is going to be worth waiting for.

About thirty-five dignitaries, public officials and mayors, etc., from out of town have indicated that they will accept our invitation to attend the Sesqui on Saturday. If you should have a convertible that has not already been sought or offered, will you please contact Doris Ann Jackson.

Vesper Services, Sunday evening, August 11, are all planned. Rev. Albaugh has been most cooperative in organizing this event, with the village ministers and Mike Brace. Thank you all. Remember that there's a picnic on the ACS grounds at 4:00, Sunday afternoon, entertainment — some of it by the Old Tymers, and the actual Vespers at 5:30. There will be no facility for cooking your picnic, so bring sandwiches or what-ever, that does not need further preparation. Drinks will be available.

Rehearsal for the Dress Review will be Thursday evening at ACS at 7:00. Rehearsal for the Coronation ceremony will be at ACS Sunday at 2 P. M.

Parade & Sadie Hawkins Dance

Sesqui Youth Day

Wednesday, August 14th has been designated as official "Youth Activity Day" by the Sesqui-Centennial Committee and is the time for all the young people of Andover to show the Adults how spirited they can be.

The official Youth Day Program will open with a gigantic parade down Main Street featuring the Andover Central School Band. All youths are urged to march in the parade and compete for the trophies.

Trophies will be awarded for the following categories:

- Best Appearing Float
- Best Decorated Bicycle
- Best Old Time Costume
- Most Unusual Animal

The parade will assemble in the School parking lot at 9:30 A. M. and start at 10:00 A. M. Sharp. The parade will travel down Elm Street turn on Main Street to Greenwood Street and then return to the School on Church Street.

All the Amusement Rides will open at 11:00 A. M., and charge special reduced rates to 5:00 P. M. for all the children.

At 1:00 P. M. Mr. Gath of Andover, will conduct a Bicycle Rodeo on the parking lot at ACS. This has been a very popular event in the past and promises a challenge to all riders who compete. A beautiful bicycle will be given away to the boy and girl rider who win.

Immediately after the Rodeo the games and races will start on the Southwest corner of the playground. The activities will include a tug-of-war rope (any Jr. Chapters want to challenge each other?), Basketball shoot, Greased pole Races, and a Water Balloon Toss. Children may compete by age level 1 - 6, 7 - 12, and 13 - 16 for the great prizes during the events.

The Jr. Coppers are planning on swinging into action at 3:00 P. M. and round up all those poor little tykes breaking the law. Defenders are warned that Brian Hange'm High, Lynch will deal severely with all who are "cited" Never Win, Atwell, will act as defense counsel.

A Little League All-Star Game will be played at the Grove at 6:00 P. M., featuring the greatest and near greats of Andover.

The day will end with a dance held at the ACS Gym featuring the fantastic rock group "Blue Money". The dance will be a Sadie Hawkins affair starting at 9:00 P. M. and end at midnight. Girls round up your favorite guy and drag him in. Cost will be \$1.50 per person. Dog Patch Dress will be optional. All in all it looks like a dynamite day for the Youth of Andover.

YOUTH DAY SCHEDULE

- 9:30 — Parade forms in school parking lot
- 10:00 — Parade starts
- 11:00 — Rides open
- 1:00 — Bike Rodeo
- 2:00 — Activities begin
 - Tug-of-War
 - Greased Pole
 - Races
 - Basketball Shoot
 - Water Balloon Toss
- 3:00 — Jr. Coppers round up offenders
- 3:45 — Kangaroo Korte
- 6:00 — Little League All-Star

The Mayor's Column

by James Bliss

I'm pleased with the effort people have been making in response to my column last week. If we all take time to think of how our actions effect other people then many problems can be eliminated.

Four of our young citizens and their parents should be commended. Gary and Chris Hoagland and Doug and Donny Horan couldn't understand why anyone would want to throw a traffic control cone in the creek, so they fished it out and brought it down to the Village Office. This kind of thinking and action certainly is a credit to them and their parents. Thanks.

Next week's the biggest week in 150 years. There's been a lot of hard work put in by many, many people, and quite a bit of fun so far. Now let's all enjoy ourselves. Congratulations and Best Wishes to the Town for the next 150 years.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Richard "Dick" Wittie will be available all next week August 11th thru the 17th to take any family pictures or portraits either during the day or in the evening by appointment.

So, if you want some pictures, either in black and white or color in your "Sesqui" garb for posterity — stop in at Dick's next week and "Get'er done"!

Baking Contest

The Baking Contest will be held Tuesday August 13, 1974 at the Andover Central School Cafeteria.

Registration of Entries — 9:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

Judging at 11:00 A. M. — Winners announced at Noon.

Eligibility — All residents of the Town and Village of Andover 15 years of age or over plus out-of-town members of the Belle Chapters.

First, Second and Third Place Winners will be named in each of the following classes:

Class A — BREAD AND ROLLS
One loaf of bread any size
One dozen rolls

Class B — CAKES
Loaf Cakes (may be iced, but only cake will be judged)

Class C — PIES
Two crust fruit pies (frozen, canned, or fresh fruit)

Class D — COOKIES
Drop cookies, one dozen to be entered

GENERAL RULES

1. No mixes or canned fillings may be used.
2. Recipe must accompany entry.
3. All entries are to be exhibited on paper plates and covered with transparent wrapping paper.
4. All entries become the property of the Sesqui-Centennial Headquarters and will be sold immediately after the judging. All proceeds going to Sesqui-Centennial General Fund.

Game at the Grove
9:00 — Rock Dance featuring (Blue Money)

Allegany County Lions Clubs

Rated 1-2-3

Three Allegany County Lions Clubs, Wellsville, Canaseraga and Andover finished 1-2-3 in "The Best Club Contest of District 20E1."

This announcement by immediate Past District Governor Edward E. Boyce of the Rochester Northside Lions Club, was a highlight of the first Cabinet Meeting of the District held Sunday at the Green Lantern Inn, Fairport, N. Y. District Governor Thomas Reynolds of Penfield, presided.

District 20E1 covers Orleans, Monroe, Genesee, Wyoming, Livingston, Allegany and a section of Steuben Counties. There are thirty-eight Lions Clubs within the District. The contest is based on community service and club participation in projects for which Lions Clubs are known.

Credit must be given to the secretaries of these clubs, Ron Bolander, Wellsville; Gary Lander, Canaseraga and George Brown, Andover. It was their factual monthly reporting that led to the honor bestowed upon these clubs.

Presidents of the clubs were: Clifford Ackley, Wellsville; Charles D. Oliver, Canaseraga and Thomas F. Smith of Andover. Mr. Boyce announced that each club would receive a plaque in honor of the occasion in the near future. Final point standings were: Wellsville 5555; Canaseraga, 5320; and Andover, 5117.

Bike Rodeo To Be Held August 14 At ACS Parking Lot

The Annual Bike Rodeo sponsored by the Andover Chamber of Commerce, will be held Wednesday, August 14th at 1 P. M. at the Andover Central School Parking Lot.

Competition is open to all grades 1 - 10 — Two Bikes will be given away again this year, one to the boy with the highest score and one to the girl with the highest score.

This event is made possible by donations from the Andover Chamber of Commerce, The Citizens National Bank and Trust Co., Joyce Pipe Line, Hyslip Insurance and The Andover American Legion.

This Rodeo is for Andover residents only and is in connection with the Sesqui-Centennial Youth Day.

Goodwill Industries Pick-up Friday Aug. 16th

The Goodwill Industries will make their pick-up in Andover on Friday, August 16th. Will you please bring your donations to the porch of the United Methodist Parsonage 35 E. Greenwood St. You may use your own plastic bags or boxes. There are still some Goodwill Bags available which may be picked up at the same address. Your donations will be appreciated.

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