

From Our Files

Arthur Downer, George Dean and George Gavin are absent from school, digging potatoes this week. James Miner of Greenwood and Miss Olive Holt of Jasper were united in marriage at Jasper, October 9th. The Ladies Aid Society of Independence will serve a Chicken Pie Supper at the Parish House Saturday evening. South Hill - Matteson and son are doing the threshing work in this section. The Misses Grossman of Independence were guests of Lillian Halsey, Saturday night and Sun-

Legal Notice

STATE OF NEW YORK STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS Albany, September 23, 1974 Pursuant to the provisions of section seventy-two of the Election Law, the following Proposition Number One will be submitted to the voters of the State for approval or disapproval, at the General Election on November fifth, nineteen hundred seventy-four. ARTHURS H. SCHWARTZ Chairman Abstract of Proposition Number One

The purpose and effect of section two of chapter 118 of the Laws of 1974, to be known as the Rail Preservation Bond Act of Nineteen Hundred Seventy-Four, is to promote and assure the continued provision of essential commuter and intercity rail passenger and rail freight services to the inhabitants of the State and to assist in the preservation and improvement of such rail services in order to meet the economic, energy and environmental needs of the communities of the State. The statute authorizes the creation of a State debt to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate two hundred fifty million dollars (\$250,000,000) to provide monies to be used, in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as the Legislature may prescribe, for the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, establishment, improvement and rehabilitation of commuter and intercity rail passenger and rail freight capital facilities, for the acquisition of real property and interests in real property required or expected to be required therefor and for any capital equipment used in connection therewith.

The statute provides for the submission to the voters at the 1974 general election of the proposition whether the provisions of the Act authorizing the creation of a State debt for the above purposes in the amount of two hundred fifty million dollars (\$250,000,000) shall be approved.

Form of Submission of Proposition Number One Rail Preservation Bond Issue

To promote and assure the preservation and improvement of essential rail passenger and freight services to the inhabitants of the state, shall section two of chapter one hundred eighteen of the laws of nineteen hundred seventy-four, known as the rail preservation bond act of nineteen hundred seventy-four, authorizing the creation of a state debt in the amount of two hundred fifty million dollars (\$250,000,000) for capital facilities be approved?

- 41 Amesbury, Glen & Son, Broad St., Lot & Bldg., 1 Acre Bd. N. Dunbar, E. Dunbar, S. Hwy. W. Dunbar 89.88
41 Burdick, Angela J., Richburg Hill Rd., 2.2 Acres, Bd. N. Messer, E. Messer, S. Hwy. W. Messer 348.98
41 Thomson, H B & Wife, Cobble Land, 8 Acres, Bd. N. Thomson, E. Ferry, S. Ferry, W. Ferry 26.53

Any taxes which the certificate holder shall have paid since the date of sale must be paid with interest, in addition to the amounts above stated. Belmont, New York, September 18, 1974.

JAMES A. MULHOLLAND Treasurer of Allegany County

day. Our farmers are preparing for potato digging with very little enthusiasm - the market prices being 35c a bushel - on a par with the milk prices of the past season. Claire Backus of Andover, delivered the mail on our route Wednesday.

Stephen Clarke of Independence attended a football game in Buffalo.

Martin Dixon, aged 90, died October 10 after an illness of a few weeks. He was born in Ireland and came to this country when a small boy and always lived in Andover. Funeral services were held at the Blessed Sacrament Church, Monday with the Rev. P. C. Tracy officiating. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Snyder motored to Buffalo, Sunday. Misses Mary Snyder and Mary Boyd spent Saturday and Sunday guests of friends in Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ingraham and son, Carl, spent Friday at A. R. Lee's near Whitesville.

Mrs. Fred Updyke and little son of West Union, are guests this week at the home of Mrs. Dan Witter and Mrs. Charles Bines.

Mrs. W. J. McAndrew, Leo McAndrew and Mr. and Mrs. George McAndrew, motored to Geneva Saturday, spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gasper.

Andover Grange Fair Wednesday afternoon and evening, October 22. Fricaseed Chicken supper 5:30 until all are served. 50c per plate, children under 12 - 35c. Good program including Mr. Raymond Cooper, New York State Grange Lecturer in the evening.

It is expected that the newly appointed pastor of the M. E. Church, Rev. A. W. MacDougald, will be in the pulpit for Sunday services.

40 YEARS AGO

September 28, 1934

J. H. Backus & Son Publishers The Eggleston Park activities were highly worthwhile to boys and girls this week when the total reached a new high of 485 boy and girl campers during the summer program.

Fred W. Barber, 55, a farmer, who resides near Obi, has been appointed supervisor of the Town of Clarksville by the Town Board to succeed Denzil G. Perkins who resigned to become Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cook of Rochambeau Ave., are parents of a son, Paul Theodore, born Sept. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Atwell of Elm Valley are parents of a son, Duane Roy, born Sept. 24th.

Mrs. Mina Gordon received word of a arrival of a grandson Sept. 24th. The parents of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Neu of Nile Hill, Mrs. Neu is the daughter of Mrs. Gordon.

The afternoon division of the Kings Daughters of the Andover Presbyterian Church, were entertained at a 1:30 luncheon at the home of Mrs. Della Porter, Tuesday. She was assisted by Mrs. P. W. Swink, Mrs. Roy Parker and Mrs. A. R. Baker.

A family gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kemp on Barney Street, Sunday in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. Tom Swain and Harry Kemp. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kemp and Earl Kemp.

Alfred University's New York State School of Ceramics will be favored with an increased budget and installation of an experiment station. Twenty-five years ago the department had 17 first year men with a total registration of 130 men.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Snyder of Dyke Street entertained at a family dinner, Wednesday in honor of the birthday of their son, R. O. Snyder. A fine birthday cake, made by Mrs. Martin Hoyer, graced the table. Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Snyder and daughter, Nancy and son Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Snyder and Mrs. Neil Sinclair were present.

WHAT'S IN A NAME by Josephine Baker

(using the surname of students in the high school the following was composed):

The Baker got up barley to Cook ham-Burgers, and make Parker-house rolls for the Pops and Deans breakfast which was to

HI-HERALD

Red Cross News

by Debbie Baker

The Annual Red Cross Drive has officially started and will continue until the end of the month. The money will be used to aid recent victims of the flooding and hurricanes in the Honduras. Please give to this worthy cause and encourage your friends to do so, also.

The Grades from K - 6 and the Homerooms from 7 - 12 with the largest amount of money at the end of the drive will receive prizes.

Downbeats

There will be an All-County Concert Saturday, October 26, in Cuba.

The Musical organizations participating are: the All-County Stage Band; Jazz-Rock Ensemble; Junior High Choir and Junior High Band.

Tickets will be \$1.25 for adults; 75c for students and \$3.50 for a family.

be very Hardy.

The Pope got angry at the Dean and Burns, so Sly did Appier and shot off a Cannon which scared the black-Smith.

The Dean got the hearted and sent his wife a Cable and a set of Rogers silverware as a gift.

The Pope was very Wittie and went to Church the following day.

The Dean later told his wife he was going to Lever and go West.

He went where the grass was Greene and kept going until he reached the Wahl of China.

The Pope having nothing to do decided to go to the Babcock theatre and so he asked nis Host to go with him.

30 YEARS AGO

September 28, 1944

Claire C. Backus, Publisher

This week's Servicemen's pictures are Tech Sergeant John J. Regan and Fireman First Class Thomas Lester Regan, sons of Mrs. T. K. Regan of West Greenwood Street.

John A. Quigg, 77, life-long resident of Andover, died September 22 at his home on West Greenwood Street. He is survived by his widow, a son and a daughter; a brother and a sister and two grandchildren. Interment was in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Joyce are parents of a daughter born Sept. 21 at the St. James Mercy Hospital.

Rev. Eugene Hoyt of Mt. Vision has accepted a call to become pastor of the Andover Baptist Church and will assume his duties on Sunday, October 8th.

Following a four-week shut-down because of the prevalence of infantile paralysis, the neighboring communities including Andover Central School will open next Monday, October 2nd.

Miss Ella McLaughlin, who for several years has conducted a millinery store in Andover, is opening a new dress shop in connection with her millinery parlor.

The annual District Masonic convention was held in Andover Thursday with 135 Masons attending. R. W. Howard Burdick, District Deputy Grand Master of Allegany District was in charge of the arrangements.

Grange News - Earl Atwell presented the facts in the National War Fund Campaign, showing pictures illustrating the need for our giving.

Dewey Northrup reported the plans of "V" Day observance. Doris Atwell gave a recitation and Mrs. Clifford Burdick presented a paper on "Farm Women Have A Great Responsibility."

Mrs. George Wyckoff of Elm Valley entertained a group of neighbors at a dinner Friday as a farewell party for Mrs. Etha O'Dell, who has been spending the summer at the Wyckoff home. Mrs. O'Dell left Tuesday by bus for her home in Cody Bluff, Okla.

Mrs. William Langley and Mrs. Burt Page of Hornell spent Monday at the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Whitaker. Mrs. O. J. Whitaker and daughter, Beth attended an Atlantic Company picnic at Thurston Park in Rochester, Sunday.

Editorial

by Diane Bliss

There's a touch of controversy roaming the halls at A.C.S. Even if it is practically the end of soccer season and cross-country is about finished, there is still a sour feeling among many students over our present eligibility system and, in fact, any eligibility system.

Arguments are strong for either side. Not all students agree on one opinion and not all of the faculty can be generalized to have another opinion. Think it over. There have been a good number of students trying to devise a calm, mature, but effectively strong way to voice their disappointment. This is my way and hopefully it will say something for those who haven't found their own way, yet.

Sports are generally an after-school activity calling for the student participants to put in their own extra time to represent Andover Central in athletic competition. These are extra-curricular activities in which the student may choose to participate or ignore. Those who do are putting a special effort to both improve themselves and the school's recognition.

The controversy has in the question of whether or not an eligibility system should be allowed to control the actions of a student during post-school hours or the student's right to participate in extra-curricular activities of his own will. Should the student who doesn't have the scholastic ability in some areas to consistently produce average or above average results be deprived from participation in the one thing left in which he can excel? Should a bad day bringing a failing quiz or misunderstanding bar the student from the playing field? Should a single teacher be able to dictate whether a student participates in an after-school, extra-curricular activity?

There are no personal hard feelings meant for any member of the faculty. We find fault with a system. Our only answer to the next obvious question, "can you think of anything better?" is yes and no. No - there haven't been any other systems suggested. Yes - many feel the elimination of any eligibility systems should be considered. The students have heard repeatedly the good reasons for and the purpose of having an eligibility system. The students only wish for a few concerned ears to listen to their reasoning and for a possible reconsideration of the current or any eligibility system. I'll be interested in a few reactions, written or otherwise.

Cub News

Last week the Cub season started off with an exciting game between the Celtics and the Pistons. The Celtics won this game by a small margin with Pat Atwell high scorer for the Celtics with 22 points, Randy Bridge and Kevin Perry each with 2 points and Melvin Loring with 4 points, making the final score of 30 for the Celtics.

The Pistons put in a good fight right up to the last second with Jesse Shaw with 12 points, Randy Grantier with 12 points, and Paul Joyce with 4 points. Final score for the Pistons was 28.

The second game between the Knicks and the Bucks, finished with the score, Knicks - 16 and Bucks - 27. For the Knicks Tony Dougherty had 4 points, Jay Jackson had 2 points, Ronny Glover had 2 points, Jamie McCormick earned 4 points and Kevin Ordway scored 2 points.

High scorer for the Bucks was Doug Weitzel with 11 points followed by Arnie Spencer with 5 points, Carl Neidermaier with 4 points and Arron Russell with 2 points.

In Cub action, Saturday morning the Pistons downed the Knicks in the first game by a score of 16 to 10. Shaw and Grantier led the Piston scoring with 8 and 6 points. Jim Green connected for 4 points for the losing Knicks.

The second game was a thriller right down to the final buzzer with the Bucks edging out the Celtics by the close score of 29 to 27. Weitzel, Spencer and Fish scored 10, 9 and 8 points to lead the Buck scoring while Atwell of the Celtics was high for the game with 16 points. Don Clemens scored 5 points to help the Celtic cause.

Keep Our Sporting Savings Books.

Panther Frowl

by Dale Russell

The Panthers traveled to Wells-ville, Tuesday, October 15, after the big win against Scio. The game was played on a very poor field for soccer conditions, but the Panthers came out winners as Marty Geer scored the lone goal on a penalty kick in the third period. The Panthers are 6 - 2 overall.

The Panthers came home for one of their last two home games, Friday, October 18, and they won 3 - 1. Mike Bliss had a "hat-trick" as he scored all three goals. Steve Scott was injured during the course of the game and was taken to the hospital in Wells-ville, but Steve will be back in action soon.

The defense played a good game as the flow of the game was mostly on our end of the field.

The Panthers are now assured a spot in the Sectionals, as we are presently tied with Richburg and Belmont in first place with a record of 4 - 2.

CROSS-COUNTRY

by Mike Richardson

On Tuesday, October 15, Andover was host to Bolivar and Friendship, only to be defeated by Bolivar, but came through and won against Friendship. Andover placers were: John Davis, Sixth; Scott Wilson, Eleventh; Charlie Dougherty, Tenth; Marty Grossman, Fourteenth and Russ Godown, Sixteenth.

On October 18, Andover met with Alfred-Almond and Scio at Scio and was defeated by Alfred-Almond. They did beat Scio and moved into fourth place in the County. Placers were: John Davis, Second; Charlie Dougherty, Eighth; Scott Wilson, Eleventh; Chris Mattison, Thirteenth and Rusty Godown, Twenty-fifth.

The next meet is scheduled for the twenty-second of October with Alfred-Almond and Scio at Alfred-Almond.

Pantherettes

by Cindy Tamm

The girls' soccer team lost their second soccer game to Whitesville, Thursday, October 17. The score was 3 - 1, the goal having been made by Diane Bliss.

This was quite a disappointment after the victory over Scio on October 11. The score was 2 - 1, the goals being made by Kathy Haskins and Teresa Joyce.

The team now holds second place in the league.

The two final games are important for the girls and their standings. They played in Richburg, October 22, and the last game is at home against Friendship on October 24.

The results of these games will appear in next week's paper: Good Luck Girls!

Tot Spot

Grade Three Mrs. Harder - We have celebrated several birthdays since school started. In September Jeffery Carl, Douglas Horan, and Cheryl Merriam had birthdays. Our October birthdays are Suzanne Atwell, Todd Fanton and Michelle Emery. During the summer vacation Deborah Marsh visited Sturbridge Village and Suzanne Atwell went to Europe to visit her sister. Peter McNeill enjoyed a trip to Pittsburgh to see a ballgame. Terry Henlin went to Roseland Park. Susan Lehman had fun at the carnival at Island Park. Ann Carlin visited Brenda Cooper and rode her pony. Douglas Howland and his family enjoyed camping at Allegany State Park. Kevin Snell has a new puppy named "Peggy". Todd Fanton's has had four baby kittens and Thomas Middaugh's horse had a colt. Michael Buchsenschutz is very happy to have a new baby brother.

Grade Four, Mrs. Peterson - Birthdays in October include Kim Spoor and Mark Bennett. Jim Mulholland went to New Hampshire this last summer while many others went to Pennsylvania and also different places in New York State. Bruce Bakera cat has four kittens, and Sarah Boye has a new black cat. Melanie and Daphna both have new dogs while Kimberly Spoor has a new French Poodle. Jeremy Bridge has a new baby mouse named Christy.

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