



50 YEARS AGO

June 18, 1926

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Grand Master, Harold J. Richardson appointed Cashier Andrew D. Fuller District Deputy Grand Master of the Allegany District. He will have jurisdiction over all the Masonic Lodges in Allegany County.

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed June 16 at the Babcock home on North Main Street, when the annual violin recital, given by the pupils of June Reed Babcock with William Earl Babcock at the piano, to relatives and friends of the pupils. Those taking part were: Louise Harrison, Louis Joyce, Doris Burdick, June Babcock, James Fuller, Alice Rogers. After the program refreshments were served. Joseph Donovan and Marie Donovan of Wellsville were among the out-of-town guests.

Mrs. Joseph Eberle (Nellie S. Atherton) died June 11 at the age of 45. Besides her husband she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Helen Atherton of Shinglehouse Pa.

Byron S. Baker age 67, died very suddenly Sunday p. m., while sitting at the keyboard at Tip Top Tower. Besides his wife, six children survive. Merle and Robert of Salamanca, Mrs. Clarence Wilbur of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Orville Henderson of Rochester and Brington and Ruth at home. Burial was in the Turner Cemetery (Maple Grove).

Miss Emma Folsing is assisting at the State Bank during the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Witter are parents of a son born last week.

Dr. C. W. O'Donnell and daughters, Katherine and Susan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jordan in Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Baker and daughter, Ella Adelaide leave to day for Indianapolis, Indiana where the National Hardware Convention will convene for two weeks.

Claire Backus and daughter Laura Adelaide, Mrs. Addie Cole and William Loughhead motored to Eldred, Pa., Sunday and were guests at the home of E. I. Marsh. Mrs. Backus and daughter, Jeanne who have been visiting Mrs. Backus' mother in Philadelphia, returned home with them.

Vincent Axford joined his wife, Eloise who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Maude Clark of Independence. They left Thursday for their new home in Knoxville Tenn., where Mr. Axford has accepted a position as manager of the Knox Porcelain Corporation.

S. T. McCormick age 73, died at the St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell, June 12. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Mary Dempsey of Troupsburg; two brothers, John of Durango, Colo. Frank of Hornell and three sisters, Mrs. William Shannessy and Elizabeth McCormick of Troupsburg and Mrs. James Sullivan of Hornell. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery.

Miss Cymeline Marie Hammell of Andover, was graduated from George Washington University of Washington, D. C., June 9 at the 105 Commencement. She was of a Class of 450 graduates. One of the features of commencement week was a trip to Mt. Vernon. Every year the members of the senior class make a pilgrimage to Mt. Vernon to lay a wreath on the tomb of Washington.

Miss Elizabeth A. Joyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Joyce, and Avery Mead, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mead, were married June 14.

Rev. Royal E. MacGowen, former Pastor of the Andover Presbyterian Church, has joined the Episcopalians and became Associate Rector at St. Stephens Church in Olean.

Charles Preston died at his home three miles from Andover on the Independence Road, June 16. He was born in Almond March 14, 1847 a son of Rufus and Lois Howe Preston. On June 27, 1870 he married Elizabeth Burdick and to them were born two children Daniel who died in infancy and Myrtle, wife of Robert Mingsus Mrs. Preston died November 12, 1911. He later married Mrs. Libbie Bentley. Burial was in East Valley Cemetery.

The Freshmen Class of Andover High School gave a farewell party for Louise Harrison in the school gymnasium, June 12. Miss Harrison, after studying for a year, returned to her home in Tulsa Oklahoma.

The following people have made applications to the local Board of Health for licenses as Milk Dealers in the Village of Andover: George Vickers, Lou Atherton Van Thompson, H. E. Robinson and Floyd Madison.

Mrs. D. A. Murphy of Johnstown, Pa., is visiting her sisters Mrs. P. J. Dougherty and Mrs. James Guinn of Andover and her brother, Michael Gavin on Pingrey Hill.

Prof. W. W. Palmer and family of Niagara Falls, spent the weekend guests of Andover friends.

The following Athletic Awards (the Purple A) were given to Fanny Perry, Capt.; Louise Folsing, Dorothea Snyder, Lillian Holmes, Rose Dawson and Gertrude O'Connell. Those who received numerals '25 and '26 were: Bernadine Hann, Louise Harrison Alice Rogers, Elwood Williams Claire Greene and Robert Common. The boys team receiving gold filled basketballs in place of the "A" were: Kenneth Alvord, Capt.; Clifford Howland, Linford Horton, Harold Lehman and Albert Rogers.

40 YEARS AGO

June 12, 1936

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3,000 people witnessed the masterful pageant that unfolded the century of life at Alfred University when 138 people received their diplomas, the largest graduating class in Alfred University's 100 year of history.

Miss Natalie Marie Shepard, on leave of absence from her duties as director of athletics for women, received her master of arts degree from Teachers College Columbia University June 2. Miss Shepard majored in Physical Education while at Teachers College. She received her Bachelor of Science degree from Alfred University in 1933. Miss Shepard is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard, Pastor of the Andover Baptist Church.

At the meeting of the Village Board Tuesday evening, it was decided to hold the Band Concerts in Andover on Wednesday evenings this summer. The first Concert will be played June 17 at 8 p. m. Andover business places will remain open until after the Concert.

Fifty Postmasters and their Deputies were called to Wellsville Tuesday to receive instructions regarding the manner of caring for the Veterans Bonus Bonds which are due on the 15th. Andover was represented at the gathering by Postmaster J. D. Cheesman, Deputy Mrs. Mary Burns and Clerk, Mrs. Marie Alvord.

The June meeting of the Elm Valley Community Club will be held June 17 at the School House with a tureen dinner at 12 Noon. The same day at the Elm Valley Cemetery, all men are asked to help trim and clean-up the Cemetery and any others who have relatives buried there are asked to come and help.

Mrs. Walter Wright, Mrs. Milton Sisson, Mrs. Walter Greene and Mrs. William Pease, members of the Allegany County Home Bureau, were among the fortunate New Yorkers who enjoyed a tour of the White House conducted by Mrs. Franklin Roosevelt during the recent convention of the Associate County Women of the World held in Washington, D. C., the first two weeks in June. About

175 women took the tour. Roxie Bundy Brundage died June 6 at her home on Center St. She was born August 20, 1871 a daughter of Herbert and Henrietta Bundy. On June 3, 1903 she married Benjamin S. Brundage who survives with her aged mother. Burial was in Valley Brook Cemetery.

Oliver Kemp, Allison Baker and Gerald Hann played, in the University Band at Alfred Sunday afternoon.

Francis McAndrew, son of Mr. and Mrs. George McAndrew, was a member of the graduating class at Alfred University.

Miss Beatrice Dickinson, Mrs. R. E. Dronfield and Mrs. R. O. Snyder entertained at bridge Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Snyder on Main Street.

All of the Rural Teachers of Fifty Supervisory Districts will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Church for the afternoon and supper at 5 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carretto of Hornell are parents of a daughter, Rose Marie born June 6 at the St. James Mercy Hospital. Mrs. Carretto was the former Marion Coat of Andover.

Those who received First Holy Communion at Blessed Sacrament Church, Sunday at 9 o'clock with Rev. H. J. Gerloch officiating were: James Hyland, John George and Jean Lynch, Donald Baker Donald Gavin, Joseph Yannie James Joyce, Charles Joyce Thomas Lynch, Patricia Joyce Susan McAndrew and Patricia O'Hagan.

In a letter from A. R. Brillion of New Haven, Conn., he tells of his son, John Robert graduation from Holy Cross College of Worcester, Mass., in June 10. John was born in Andover and his many friends here join in extending congratulations.

Among the people who took part in the Children's Day at the Presbyterian Church, June 14 were Jean Stevens, Johann Theegete Audrey Baker, Edna Mae Kruger Nancy Jane Tucker, Richard Hann, Ruth Hardy, Ruth Eleanor Poles Betty Jean Howland, Charles Hall Jean Rogers, Anna and Marolyn Hardy and Craig Snyder.

Charles Manroe is located at Long Beach Camp with the Navy.

Wayne Nelson Crandall, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Crandall of Andover, graduated from Cornell University with a degree of Bachelor of Science in Agriculture at their 68th Commencement June 15.

Mrs. Lottie Drew has moved from the Atwood Farm in Independence into the W. E. Clarke house on the Heselon Farm near Whitesville.

Butler Drew and Lula DeGroff of Little Genesee were married June 3. They will reside on the Atwood Farm vacated by his mother.

John Lever and daughter, Dorothy, Dr. S. B. Scott and son, Donny, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Church Mrs. W. J. Alderson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh and Jimmy Driscoll attended the circus in Hornell, Friday.

Mrs. E. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. John Ruhland and Dan Sullivan of Buffalo were guests of Mrs. Williams' daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perry this week. They all motored to Sabinsville and Harrison Park, Pa., while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Alvord in company with friends from Wellsville, motored to Letchworth Park Sunday.

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June 6, 1946

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Miss Alta Hawks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hawks of Independence, has completed her course of study in the Rochester Business Institute and is now employed as assistant bookkeeper in the Rochester Office of the Red Cross.

Mrs. Fay Boyd entertained four tables at a dessert bridge at the Folsing home Tuesday evening. Honors were awarded to Mrs. George Sackett, Mrs. John Nobles and Mrs. John Lever.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Trowbridge entertained at dinner Thursday Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Trowbridge and son, Jack and daughter, Myrtle Ann of Syracuse, L. M. Trowbridge and Mrs. James Cannon and daughter, Ann.

Miss Patricia Temple of Andover and Miss Katherine Regan of Wellsville, winner of the Good Citizenship Contest, were presented pins which were awarded an-

nually by the DAR to high school girls chosen from the different schools for their dependability, service, leadership and patriotism at the first meeting of Catherine Schuyler Chapter DAR held at Friendship last Friday.

The regular Children's Day Program will be held at the Andover Presbyterian Church Sunday at 10:30. At this time baptism of children and the receiving of new members into the church, will take place.

The 41st Kemp Reunion will be held June 26 at the Elm Valley School House.

R. E. Spicer of Independence had two weasels killed by lightning during the storm Tuesday, afternoon.

Mrs. Stella Blair and Miss Celia Manroe of Orlinda, N.Y., are visiting Andover friends and relatives this week.

E. D. Baker, Andover Historian left Friday for Albany where he is attending the State Historians meeting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilman were in Belmont Saturday to attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Anne McLaughlin to John Tropman of Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Green and Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Atwell were in Buffalo on business Saturday.

Mrs. Gerald Burns and daughter, Dorothea of Toledo, Ohio, arrived Tuesday to pass some time at the Folsing home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Green, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith, Earl and Wilmer Atwell attended the funeral of their cousin, Reid Heliker of Painted Post Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Bell of Buffalo passed from Thursday until Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Lottie Drew. Thomas Drew of Little Genesee also called on his mother. Saturday and they all attended the Drew-Howland wedding.

June 13, 1946

With teams in two leagues Andover baseball fans will have plenty of activity this season if the weather will give them a break. So far rain games have been very prevalent. The Andover Legion has a team in the Octagon League under the direction of Walter Gath and Jack Rosintoski is managing an Andover team in the Hornell Tribune League. The American Legion team lost a close game to Genesee, Sunday on the Andover Diamond by the score of 5 to 3. The Andover players were: Briggs McAndrew, Scott, Dugan, Howland Holt, Phillipson, Gorsuch and Lehman.

Pvt. Dewey E. Northrup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Northrup of Andover, who is stationed at Fitzsimmons General Hospital, Denver, Colorado, pictures is in this week's issue of The Andover News.

A committee headed up by Dewey Northrup, Chairman, and Mrs. Robert Phelps, Vice Chairman; has been appointed in Andover, to make arrangements for the coming of Fresh Air Children, this summer. Other members on the committee are: Mrs. Richard Harder, Mrs. Louis Joyce, Mrs. E. W. Holt, and Mrs. Carrie Slade. The Fresh Air Children are scheduled to arrive in Andover July 25 for two weeks.

Miss Helen Louise Glace, daughter of Mrs. Charles Sloum, and Raymond S. Lehman, son of Herman Lehman, were married June 8 by the Rev. Eugene Hoyt.

Corporal Paul Dunham of Quantico, Va., passed the weekend with his parent, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Dunham.

Clifford Harrington, Allegany County Farm Bureau Agent, will be the guest speaker tonight at the Exchange Club Meeting held at Hotel Joyce.

Ten dollars in prizes were awarded to twenty of the youthful Pet Paraders in the Parade Saturday p. m., held in connection with the American Legion Celebration. Over 100 children participated.

1st prize of \$25 was won by Stanley DuBois of East Valley with a pair of goats cleverly harnessed to a small cart. Everything was made by him; and it showed a lot of hard work and effort; 2nd prize of \$15 went to Jimmy Jackson with a cart containing a fawn and dog together both colorfully decorated with crepe paper; 3rd prize of \$10.00 went to Jerry Rogers and Freda Kupp who were co-drivers of a midget auto that led the Parade; 50c and 25c prizes went to the following: Peter Deemore, Gordon Hulse, Robert Huffman, Gerald Clark, Ruth and Eva Curry, Arlene Cannon, Betty Reisman, Roger

Phelps, Linford O'Dell, Marion Northrup, Aretta Grossman, Mary Anne Joyce, Marilyn Harris, Lee Hancock, Ellen Joyce and Marie O'Laughlin. After the prizes were awarded at the Carnival Grounds everyone who participated in the Parade was treated to a free ride on the Merry Go Round.

Pfc Bernard Barker passed the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Barker, returning to Fort Dix, N. J., Monday afternoon. Rev. W. D. Sheerer returns to Andover for his fourth year as minister of Andover, M. E. Church. It was announced at the Conference by Bishop Earl Leddin.

The following Andover stores will be closed Wednesday p. m.: Red & White Store, Sackett's Super Market, The Market Basket Store, Reynolds Market, Levers' Trading Post, Postcard and Printing Store.

Fred Green opened a new Soda and Sandwich Bar in the Atwood Store on Main Street, Saturday. Mr. Green gives Andover another modern ice cream parlor. Sandwiches featuring Crosby Ice Cream. Other lines in keeping with this business will be added as they become available.

James E. Mueholland has purchased the E. J. O'Laughlin (General) Home and will take possession in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. O'Laughlin expect to leave for Coeman, Michigan the latter part of next week where he will manage the Doherty Funeral Home in that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nobles and daughter, Patricia of Elm Valley passed the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nobles of Shovel Hollow. Other guests at the Nobles home were: Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Sutherland and family of Richburg, Mr. and Mrs. William June and family of Bolivar and Mrs. John Brownson.

Miss Edna Wickwire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wickwire of Belmont, formerly of Andover, and Robert F. Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sullivan of Belmont, were married June 15.

The Friendly Class of the M. E. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Warren Ahrens June 18 at 8 p. m., for their regular business and social meeting.

Mrs. Carl Burdick of Elm Valley, Chairman of the local Home Bureau, will entertain the members at her home for a picnic, July 11 and election of officers.

The Oakes Family Picnic was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Oakes in Purdy Creek on Sunday, June 9. There were 30 present. Those from Andover who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Scott Prest, Mr. and Mrs. John Oakes and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Baker and daughter, Rose Marie of Almond, were calling at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Baker, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Backus were weekend guests at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Loughhead of Hilton.

Legal Notice

Notice To Bidders Computer Services Assessment Records County Of Allegany

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that vendors having the computer hardware and personnel needed to process assessment records of real property in the County of Allegany using the Assessment Roll and Levy module sub system of the New York State Real Property Information System are hereby invited to submit bids for the purpose of providing this service to the County of Allegany. Specifications for this project may be obtained at the Allegany County Real Property Tax Services Agency, County Courthouse, Belmont, New York 14813, on and after the date of this notice.

SEALED bids for this purpose will be received by the Director of said Agency until 5:00 P. M., on Wednesday, July 14, 1976. Subsequent contracts awarded to vendor should begin on or about September 1, 1976. The said Agency, on behalf of the County of Allegany, reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

Dated: June 30, 1976. John J. McGranaghan, Director Allegany County Real Property Tax Services Agency

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