

Medical Center "Open House" A Huge Success

The "Open House" at the new Andover Medical Center held Sunday evening from 7 - 9 p. m., saw around 200 local and area residents visit the new facility and meet the Doctors staffing it and was termed a "Huge Success" by the Officials of the R.M.A.A.C. that entertained.

Builder Herald Ford, accompanied by his wife, presented a beautiful bouquet for the occasion with dignitaries from the area presenting their respects and good wishes. Included among these visitors were Dr. David Huntington, President of Ag-Tech, and his wife; Mr. Robert Chastoff of N. J., Consultant from National Training Laboratory; Dr. "Cliff" Miller, and Dr. Peter Kho from Wellsville, Stanley Gutowski from Geneseo, Assistant to Assemblyman James Emery; Mayor "Mike" Brace; and Mr. and Mrs. Herald Ford.

James E. Burgett was given special recognition for his assistance and supervision that he donated during the construction of the building.

Mrs. Robert Love, Mrs. Finley McCoubrey, and Mrs. Carlton Coats acted as Hostesses and served punch and cookies to the visitors.

Dr. Henry Atkins, Medical Director; Dr. William Coch; and Dr. Gary Ogden, the newest member of the Staff, all members and physicians of the National Health Service Corps, hosted the successful event, visited with the guests and took them on tours of the facility during the evening.

The new 30 by 100 foot building built on the site of the former Joyce Hotel and sponsored by the Rural Management Association of Allegany County affords a modern well-equipped medical facility, dedicated to providing health care services to residents of the entire rural area, with a goal of bringing new Doctors to the area that will settle down and remain here.

In addition to the three Doctors on the staff, the medical staff includes two medical nurse practitioners, Theresa Farley and Judi Grant; Janice Woythal, a registered nurse; and Kathy Manion a licensed practical nurse. Carlton Coats of Wellsville, is the Executive Director of the Facility.

Professor and Mrs. Robert Love, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Coats, and Mrs. Finley McCoubrey, Committee Members who took care of all of the details of the "Open House", express and extend a sincere "thank-you" to all of the guests who attended as well as to every one who assisted in any way and helped make this event so successful.

4-H Auction At Allegany County Fair

A special feature at Allegany County Fair and your chance to buy top quality meat for your freezer, is the 4th Annual 4-H Market Animal Auction, Thursday, August 5th at 6:30 p. m.

Young market animals have been selected and fed by 4-H boys and girls to assure buyers of high quality and tender lamb, pork and beef.

Trucking and slaughtering arrangements can be made for the convenience of buyers.

Mr. Victor Ken of Cuba is the auctioneer.

60th Perry-Warren Reunion August 14

The 60th Perry-Warren Reunion will be held Saturday, August 14th at the West Greenwood Grange Hall, Rt. 417 between Greenwood, N. Y. and Andover, N. Y. "Top of Hill".

Please bring table service and a dish to pass.
Ruth Milligan

Donald G. Thorp

Donald G. Thorp, 65, of 20 Chestnut Street, Andover, died Monday night, July 26, 1976, at Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville, following a long illness.

He was born June 24, 1911 in Cohocton, the son of Frank and Cora (Sambammer) Thorp. He was a resident of Andover for 22 years and prior to his retirement was owner of the Thorp Service Station and Thorp Hardware.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy Moore Thorp of Andover; seven daughters: Mrs. Thomas (Wanda) Lynch of Wellsville, Miss Sandra Thorp of Stafford, Kan., Mrs. James (Noreen) Manley of Clarksburg, Pa., Mrs. Carolyn Dannheim of Andover, Mrs. William (Sharon) Cole of Andover, Mrs. Stephen (Dianna) Burton of Andover, and Miss Maureen Thorp of Andover; three sons: Donald, Glenn and David, all of Andover; 21 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Clarence Krick of Johnson City, N. Y., and Mrs. Francis Schumacker of Cohocton; and two brothers: Edwir of Wayland and Wilson of Nunda. He was a member of the Cohocton Presbyterian Church.

Funeral arrangements are being made by James B. Mulholland Funeral Home, Andover.

Visiting hours are 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m., Wednesday at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at the funeral home Thursday at 2 p. m., with the Rev. John A. Baxter, pastor of the Andover Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial will be in Hillside Cemetery, Andover.

Contributions to the Allegany Heart Chapter in lieu of flowers would be appreciated.

Church Vacation Fellowship For Third-Seven Grades

The Andover United Methodist Church is having Church Vacation Fellowship for boys and girls in grades 3 through 7 (fall grades), for the Wednesday evenings of August, beginning August 4th. The program will be from 6:30 P. M. to 8:30 P. M. and will include indoor and outdoor recreation, films and stories, a craft and refreshments and the possibility of one overnight.

All boys and girls in grades three through seven, this fall, are invited to join in the fun and Christian fellowship.

The Rev. Ray Albaugh is directing the program and will be assisted by Miss Doris Church and others.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Grant of Wellsville are parents of a daughter, Melissa Lee, born Friday, July 2, 1976 at the Jones Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mosher of Wellsville are maternal grandparents; Winfield Grant of Cuba paternal grandfather; Mrs. Mareta Routh of Randleman, North Carolina, paternal grandmother; and Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Perry of Andover, paternal great-grandparents.

Local Senior Citizen Wins "Citz" Contest

Grace Burger of Chestnut Street, a local Senior Citizen, was the winner of the Andover Citizens National Bank & Trust Company "Something Special Club" Contest. The drawing was held on July 26, 1976 at the Bank in Andover with Mrs. Burger receiving a "Rockwell" pocket calculator as the prize.

Hazel Cornell of Andover, was in the Bank at the appointed time of the drawing and drew the ballot with Mrs. Burger's name from the ballot box.

Weekend Of Racing At Zoar Moto Park

This weekend, Friday thru Sunday, will see the first Score International road race in the Eastern U.S. at Zoar Moto Park, Zoar Valley Road, Springville, N. Y., located 38 miles south of Buffalo, off Route 219.

The Zoar/Score Off Road Challenge races will feature 8 classes

The Mayor's Column

by "Mike" Brace

The Nutrition Program for the Elderly is underway. Although there are more people that could take advantage of this fine program. In addition to a delicious hot meal, participants can partake in the following additional services: Recreation, Health Counseling, and Welfare Counseling, Nutrition Counseling, Shopping Assistance, and Limited Transportation. Two fine people, Mary Broughton and Diane Bolman from the Office of Aging, are working with their site manager Leah Sanders in putting on this program. On Tuesday, I was with the contingent from Andover and can report a delightful time.

A reminder, the program runs Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of every week. Individuals that are interested in going should contact Grace Burger to make both meal and transportation reservations. She can be reached at her home, 478-8932. Individuals that can meet at the Grange Hall should arrive at 11:00 a. m. Bus Driver Jim Haugh will pick up those people at the Grange Hall and then go to individual homes to pick up those individuals that can not go to the Grange Hall.

This program is being funded and operated by the Allegany County Office of the Aging. It was through the efforts of our Recreation Committee that represents both the Village and the Town governments that the organization in Andover has been initiated. This is another example of the work that the Recreation Committee is doing in the field of human services in Andover.

On Sunday, the Village experienced a temporary outage. The problem was found in the oil breaker switch that controls the Main Street Circuit. The Outage occurred at 6:20 a. m., and by 8:25 a. m., power was restored to the entire Village. A corroded contact inside the oil breaker switch proved to be the nemesis.

Dave Roseman called in assistance from Wellsville's Department of Water and Light. Jim Waterman and Bob Costello responded and assisted in the repair. Trustees Harold Rice and Karl Graves along with members of the Fire Department assisted in the activities to restore full operation. At 9:40 a. m., the entire system was in normal operation.

Plans Announced For Big Senator Jim Buckley Rally

Chairman Alex Litchard of Wellsville, today announced plans to hold a big rally and get-together in Allegany County for supporters of Senator "Jim" Buckley on Saturday evening, July 31, 1976 at Angelica Park and Grange Hall from 6 - 9 p. m.

Senator Buckley will be the guest of honor and Chairman Litchard states that this is a golden opportunity for Area Residents to meet and discuss any problems they may have with Senator Buckley.

Plans include a Chicken Bar-B-Que Dinner at 6:30 p. m., to be put on by Stearns of Alfred at a very reasonable price and a program for the evening. There is no admission charge for the rally and the only cost will be for those wishing to avail themselves of the tasty Chicken Bar-B-Que.

In Andover, Kati Graves and Pat Kemp have accepted the Chairmanship for District 1 for the rally, and Doris Church is the Chairman for District 2. These Chairmen will be enlisting the help and support of local Voters to assist in the "Re-Election Campaign" for Senator Buckley and will have tickets available for the Chicken Bar-B-Que.

of Buggies, Bikes, 4x4's and Pick-ups, and will be held - "Rain or Shine."

Mrs. Harold C. Moland

Mrs. June B. Moland, 68, of 50 High St., Alfred, died Saturday, July 24, 1976, at Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville, after a long illness.

She was born in Alfred. She was a member of the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church, a 64-year member of the Order of the Eastern Star, a member of the Alfred Historical Society, and the Forecye-the-Willson Club of Alfred.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Thomas, where Mrs. Moland had been living since February; two sisters; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services for June B. Moland will be held on Saturday evening, July 31, at 7:00 p. m., at the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church, Alfred.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the James B. Mulholland Funeral Home, Andover.

Contributions may be made in her name to the A. E. Crandall Hook and Ladder Company, Alfred; the Andover Medical Center; or the Alfred Rural Cemetery Association.

Babe Ruth News

Bolivar handed Andover its 10th defeat by a 20 - 5 score Monday night.

Bolivar scored 9 runs in the 7th inning to make the score lopsided.

Pat Atwell with 3 singles and Eric MacMichael with 2 singles lead the Locals. Randy Grantier came through with a single to complete the offense.

The Locals finished the season with an excellent game Thursday night by scoring a come-from-behind 3 - 2 victory.

Pat Atwell went all the way for the win allowing 2 runs, 4 hits, 1 walk and registered 9 strikeouts. The Locals committed 5 errors.

Pat Atwell with 2 doubles and John Gavin 2 singles lead the Locals.

In the bottom of the seventh after 1 out Eric MacMichael got on by an error, Mike McNeill rapped a single off the pitcher's hand. Cuba brought in their ace right hander and he intentionally walked Pat Atwell. Aaron Russell teased a walk getting the tie run, then Kevin Ordway came through with a single to drive in the winning run. This finished the season with a 4 win, 10 loss record. Congratulations on a fine game to close out the season.

The Andover Team finished the season with 4 wins and 10 losses. Pat Atwell received credit for 3 wins and Marty Geer 1 for the pitching record.

The final statistics are:

Name	AB	H	R	BA
Pat Atwell	28	15	7	.536
Ron Glover	2	1	0	.500
Marty Geer	14	5	6	.357
Eric MacMichael	32	9	13	.281
Randy Grantier	11	3	2	.273
Mike McNeill	40	10	6	.250
Guy Milligan	25	5	7	.200
John Gavin	16	3	4	.186
Tim Slade	21	3	2	.143
Kevin Ordway	36	5	6	.139
Aaron Russell	20	2	2	.100
Tony Dougherty	13	1	1	.077
Paul Joyce	13	1	4	.077
Kevin Perry	18	0	4	.000
Jamie McCormick	10	0	2	.000
Joe Howland	7	0	1	.000

Please turn in ALL Uniforms - washed and ready for storage by August 1st.

Carl E. Atwell

Women's Softball

We'll try again on Sunday evening at 6:30 to play softball. Come on girls let's get together and have a game for fun. We almost had enough for a team last week, let's make it this week.

Gee-Gostley Reunion

The Gee-Gostley Reunion will be held Sunday, August 8, 1976 at Island Park, Wellsville, N. Y. Bring table service, rolls and a dish to pass.

Please try to attend as we would like to continue this Reunion.
President - Bill Connors
Vice-President - Roland Laven
Sec.-Treas. - Laur Williams

Planning Boards Seek Funds For New Fire Station

At the July 27 meeting of the Andover Town and Village Planning Boards it was a 100% approval to pursue the possibility of funding a new fire station to be built on the present site of the existing fire station. Both Planning Boards have combined efforts recently to file application for federal funding for a community center emergency complex. However, with the passage of the Public Works Act of Congress, it was decided to immediately begin the groundwork to have the present site investigated for approval to construct a new building. Under the Public Works Act a new fire station would be 100% funded.

The firemen have previously compiled much of the information needed to file an application for a new building. The building committee for the preliminary plans of the proposed fire station is made up of the firemen: Edward Wilson and William Bruce. Firemen Ronald Glover, Merle Fox and Richard Schrader are in the process of seeking approval of the Main Street site for the funding application.

The Andover Chamber of Commerce this past year has initiated public meetings where community needs were assessed and priorities set up. One was the need for a community center emergency complex. Though the application for a fire hall as a separate entity is being filed to EDA, the work initiated toward a community center is being continued through application to another funding agency, principally, HUD.

Any one in the community who would like to assist in the application for these two projects can contact William Bruce, Edward Wilson or Merle Fox. Public meetings regarding the preliminary planning will be held in the near future.



Rebecca Slawson, daughter of Mrs. Patricia Slawson, a patient in Children's Hospital, Buffalo, underwent heart surgery Friday evening and is progressing satisfactorily. Her address is:

3rd Floor, Sporting Goods Shop
Children's Hospital
219 Bryant St.
Buffalo, N. Y. 14222

Mrs. Edna Burdick, a surgical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, returned to her home Friday.

Sylvester Pelton, a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, has been discharged.

John Dixon, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, returned to his home Tuesday.

Mrs. Jean Mulholland is a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Paul Westbrook is a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Gladys Schrock is a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Coleigh McKay is a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

I.O.O.B. Roadrunners To Hold Monthly Meeting With Hayride & Picnic

The I.O.O.B. Roadrunners will hold their monthly meeting, Sunday, August 1, 1976, at 1:00 P. M. Sharp at the Legion Home, followed at 2:30 p. m., by an Old-Fashion Hayride.

After the Hayride, all will meet at the home of Richard Wittie in Shovel Hollow, for a picnic. Please bring your own table service and a dish to pass.

All Members please try to attend to make final plans for our Glambake and also to pay respects to Brother Donald Thorp Sr.