

**GREENWOOD NEWS**

Grace Young, Reporter

The Consolidation of Jasper Troupsburg and Greenwood Central Schools goes to the next step of circulating petitions throughout each District. The school petitions will bear the rubber stamp signature of the school and state "We, the undersigned, legally qualified voters of the Greenwood Central School District do hereby request that the Commissioner of Education lay out a Central School District in and about Greenwood, Jasper and Troupsburg Central School Districts, and that said Greenwood Central School District be included therein". This is spelled out by school law and the State Education District. There has to be a majority of qualified voters supporting Consolidation by signing the petition in each of the three districts before the Commissioner will take the steps to bring the question to a public vote.

Greenwood District includes the entire Township of Greenwood and portions of Jasper, Canisteo, Troupsburg and West Union in Steuben County and Andover in Allegany County. Major concerns in this process is determining the number of qualified voters. Qualified voters are citizens of the United States, 18 years old and over and residents of the district for 30 days prior to the public meetings. Since there is no complete census the volunteers will have two papers, one to take the census and the petition for only those voting yes to sign.

The petitioners are advised not to discuss the merits or disadvantages of Consolidation. Simply ask if they would like to sign in favor of Consolidation. From the census the no votes would subtract the yes votes to be counted. Workers started out by Thursday and if you aren't contacted by March 4, call the school office or Principal Gary Moore. The petitioner will leave a note if you are not home and you should call him or her to set a time for another visit.

There is a group of 12 from the District circulating a no petition and also taking a census to check with the school. They have been very active and covered most of Greenwood, Thursday. There are also "no petitions" or letters in Jasper and Troupsburg. Their reasons are not all for money but because Greenwood has just renovated and has no debt and for sentiment to keep our children and school building here. Our enrollment has always kept about the same 330 more or less. Those still undecided, talk with the Board, Mr. Moore, neighbors and friends. The last date should be March 7.

The Senior Citizens will meet Wednesday, March 2 at the United Methodist Church for a 12:30 dinner.

The Greenwood Volunteer Firemen will have a Spaghetti Dinner at Greenwood Central School on Saturday night, March 5. A crocheted table cloth will be drawn and doughnuts will be on sale.

The Birmingham-Burd American Legion Auxiliary held their February meeting at the Post Home Tuesday night.

The United Methodist Women met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albert Lamphier. Vice President Mrs. Daniel Redmond conducted the business meeting. Boxes for the Thank Offering in November, were given out. A donation was voted to the Church to help with winter bills. Mrs. Lamphier gave the lesson from the Study Book on Mark "Disciples of the Way". Scripture was read by Mrs. Clarence Stephens and Mrs. Walter Jackson. Refreshments were served to 14 women and one child by hostesses Mrs. Laverne Stephens and Mrs. Hubert Foster.

Lay Speaker Robert Oyer was in charge of the Worship Service Sunday at the United Methodist Church, from the parable of the Talents "Do We Do Enough For God". Next Sunday, Feb. 27, Mrs. Roberta Baker of Friendship Olean District President of the

United Methodist Women, will be the speaker.

Clinton York has called a meeting of the Administrative Board of the United Methodist Church at the Social Hall for Tuesday, March 1:00 at 7:30. One of the main topics will be our observance of our Sesque-Centennial, April 24.

The Greenwood Post Office and Office of First State Bank of Canisteo, were closed Monday to observe Washington's Birthday. The Central School was open to make-up a day and will need to make up three more days of gas closing to have the required number of days.

The Basketball Teams were able to make-up three missed games losing to Canaseraga Tues. night here; to Jasper, Wed. night here Bradford played here Friday after noon and Prattsburg this Mon. Feb. 21 here. Coach Rich Smith said the game with Troupsburg was the best one the team played this year. The teams traded leads throughout the game and the score was 64 all with 3 minutes to play Troupsburg's 65. Tom Foster scored 10 of his 26 points in the last quarter to win 70 for Troupsburg and 66 for Greenwood. Brad Hoyt and Leon Babcock topped Greenwood with 17 points each. Babcock scored 11 points from the foul line shooting 11 for 15. Greenwood made 18 points from the foul line and Troupsburg only 4 or 14 free throws. All the teams are in the play off. Thursday the team had 1 win, 12 defeats.

The girls haven't had much chance to practice or play and stand 0 - 3.

Cafeteria Menus at Greenwood Central School for the week of February 28 - March 4 are:

MONDAY - Barbecued Beef on Bun, Buttered Spinach, Apple Sauce, Cookie, choc or white Milk

TUESDAY - Juice, Pizza, Potato Sticks, Raisin-Peanut Cup

Glorified Rice, choc or white Milk

WEDNESDAY - Juice, Chicken Gravy with Biscuit, Buttered Peas

Cranberry Sauce, Rolls, Ice Cream choc or white Milk

THURSDAY - Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Italian Bread, Tossed Salad Fruit, choc or white Milk

FRIDAY - Soup, Tuna Fish sandwich, Celery & carrot sticks

Jello, Cake, choc or white Milk

Last week when the fields on the flats of the Canisteo Road were about bare, there were large herds of deer and flocks of wild turkey. The woods are still deep with snow.

Mrs. Doris Bolan of the Rock Creek Road and Mrs. Florence Moore of Greenwood returned to their home Sunday from the St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell.

Mrs. Robert Lounsbury of West Greenwood, returned home from the Jones Memorial Hospital in Wellsville, last Sunday.

Mrs. James Kernan returned home from the St. James Mercy Hospital, Hornell, last Sunday.

Mrs. Alberta O'Dell entered the St. James Mercy Hospital last Sunday.

Howard Sherman entered the St. James Mercy Hospital, Friday after suffering a stroke. He had gone to the emergency room at St. James Mercy Hospital, Monday with his first stroke and called at the local Post Office, Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas Harkenrider of Rexville entered the St. James Mercy Hospital, Saturday. She had been to Syracuse for 4-H as Pam Leonard was in the Cherry Pie Contest.

Fred Hillman was admitted to the St. James Mercy Hospital last Monday and has had tests and X-rays. A son came one day to the hospital to see his father. Another daughter from Ransomville came to see him and to Greenwood to see Mrs. Hillman. His daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jerla of Fonawanda, came February 11 and will go home Wednesday.

John Warriner went with his brothers, Edmund and Richard to Arizona and stayed a week to visit his brother, Rev. and Mrs. Howard Warriner, Jr., and his sister, Phyllis in North Dakota.

From a call to Francis Acker in Wellsville, he is gaining slowly and gets out to walk when the weather and walks are good.

Mrs. Elizabeth Canty of Belmont came Friday and took her mother Mrs. Hulda McDonough to Hornell

moth at Cuba, Saturday night.

Lenford Horton returned Sunday to his work at Boston, Mass. after a two weeks vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Horton. Leo DeRemer returned with him and is attending the World Series Ballgame in New York City and visiting his sisters, Mrs. Delos Wamsley and Miss Florence DeRemer at Barver, Mass.

Miss Cecelia O'Connell entertained the Contract Bridge Club at her home Friday evening. Mrs. Arling Baker was high scorer.

Miss Mae Cocoman of Buffalo passed the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pitcher and family of Penn Yan, were calling at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Snyder, Saturday.

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The regular meeting of the Literary Society was called to order by the President, Lenford Horton. The following took part in the program: Mary Branch, Edna Barrett, Edward Crandall, Lloyd Gee, Elizabeth Baker, Lenford Horton, Frances Brundage, Winona Early, Harold Bixby, Mary Cable, Edward Cannon, Margaret Folsing, Claire Greene, Albert Rogers, Irma Greene, Eva Remells and Eleanor DeRemer.

Dr. O'Donnell and Dr. Störner have been giving the pupils of AHS their annual medical examinations this week.

Miss Lillian Whitford and Jesse Clark of Hartsville Hill, were married October 6 by the Rev. Edgar VanHorn of Alfred Station.

The ladies of the WSFS of the



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Allison Baker of Voorhees Hill visited his brother, Edgar at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erno Hum-

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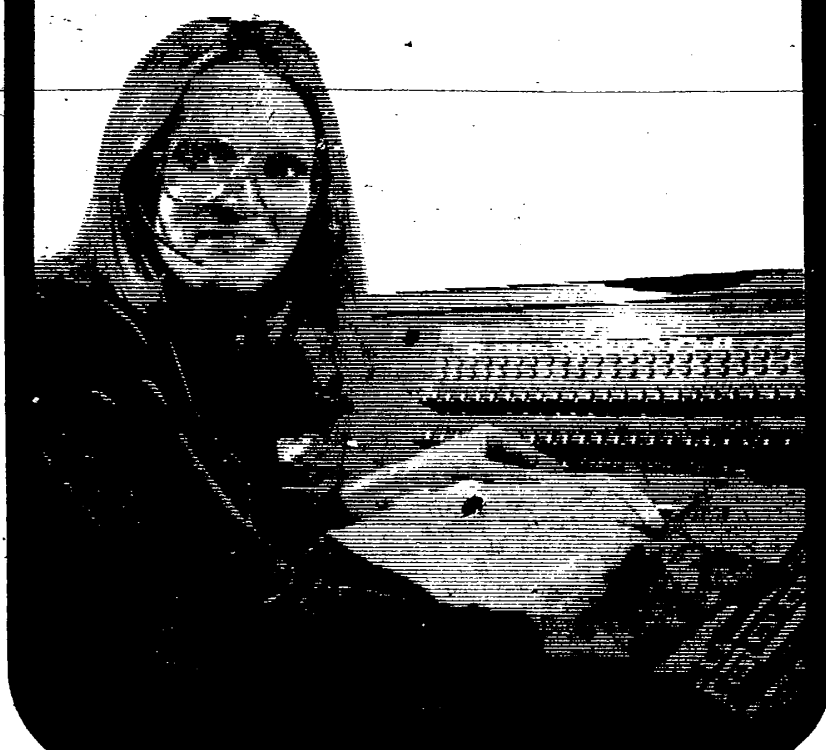
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