

## Village Receives EDA Grant for \$116,000

Ralph A. Allen, Mayor of the Village of Andover, received word Monday, September 19, 1977, by registered mail that: "The Economic Development Administration U. S. Department of Commerce offers a Grant not to exceed \$116,000 to the Village of Andover, Allegany County, New York, for replacement of water distribution system."

In the Cover Letter to Mayor Allen it stated: "We are pleased to enclose two signed copies of an Offer of Grant issued pursuant to your application for Federal assistance under the provisions of the Local Public Works Capital Development and Investment Act of 1976, as amended by the Public Works Employment Act of 1977. The total project cost is based on the line estimates contained in Attachment No. 1 hereto."

The letter concluded: "We would like to remind you that on-site labor must commence within 90 days of the date of your receipt of this Offer of Grant."

Mayor Allen stated that Gowdy and Hunt, the consulting engineers Wellsville, will be preparing specifications for the project, and that bids will be advertised as soon as they are ready.

### Andover C of C To Sponsor Harvest of Talent

The Annual Harvest of Talent will be held on Friday, November 4, at Andover Central School.

Any individual, duet or group that would like to participate by singing, dancing, playing musical instrument or other performance should call 478-8193 and indicate their desires.

This is an opportunity for all of you with some entertainment ability to show your talent — so please don't be bashful — this might launch your career.

### News Briefs of Local Servicemen

Sept. 14 — Navy Hull Maintenance Technician Third Class Kenneth W. Geer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton L. Geer of Route 2, Rochambeau Ave., ext., Andover, N. Y., has departed for an extended deployment in the Mediterranean Sea.

He is serving as a crew member aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Guadalcanal, homeported in Norfolk, Va. While deployed his ship will operate as a unit of the U.S. Sixth Fleet.

The missions of the Sixth Fleet are to protect U.S. citizens, shipping and interests in the Mediterranean; to deter aggression against our Western European allies by maintaining mobile striking forces to promote peace and stability in the Mediterranean area and to create goodwill for the United States.

During the cruise, his ship is scheduled to participate in training exercises with other Sixth Fleet units and with ships of allied nations. Additionally, port visits in several Mediterranean coastal cities are scheduled.

The Guadalcanal is 592 feet long displaces 18,300 tons and carries a crew of 528 officers and enlisted men. She is designed to transport assault forces for amphibious operations. She normally embarks a Marine battalion landing team and Marine helicopter squadron during a deployment.

A 1974 graduate of Andover Central School, he joined the Navy in August 1974.

### Notice Of Public Hearing

Be advised of a Public Hearing on September 28, 1977 at 7:30 PM at the Town Hall in Andover, New York for the purpose of the use of the Federal Revenue Sharing Money.

By Order of the Town Board  
GLADYS FOX  
Town Clerk

### School Board Holds Monthly Meeting

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Andover Central School was called to order Tuesday, September 13, 1977 by President Conner Stephens at 8:05 o'clock. Board Members present were: Conner Stephens, Richard Godown, Paul McCormick, Mary K. Slade and Virginia Milligan. Others present were: Ethel Kelley Lyn Griffiths and Frank Russell.

The minutes of the August 30, 1977 meeting were read for approval. Mary K. Slade made the motion that these be accepted as read. Conner Stephens seconded the motion. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

General Fund bills for \$7,222.87 were approved for payment. Richard Godown made the motion and Mary K. Slade seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Principal on the Bus Garage — \$1,372.20 and Interest — \$123.50 — .63 are due on September 15, 1977. Virginia Milligan made the motion that these be paid. Conner Stephens seconded the motion. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Principal is due on Bus 30 — \$1,372.20 and Interest — \$123.50 on September 20, 1977. Paul McCormick made the motion that these be paid. Richard Godown seconded the motion. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

The Treasurer's and Clerk's reports were read for comparison. Conner Stephens made the motion that these be accepted and Virginia Milligan seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Title IVB Warrant for \$1,550.11 as certified by Mr. Jordan was read. Richard Godown made the motion to accept and Conner Stephens seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Resolution passed: Tuition for non-resident students in the amount of \$600.00 per year without transportation be paid in the following manner — On Registration — \$200.00. On completion of first 10 weeks — \$200.00. On completion of 20 weeks — \$200.00. Motion made by Mary K. Slade, seconded by Conner Stephens. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Resolution was made on Treasurer's Bond — copy attached to these minutes. Motion made by Mary K. Slade, seconded by Richard Godown. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Resolution to purchase 3M microfilm machine, camera, printer film at cost of \$2,800.00. Mary K. Slade made the motion, Richard Godown seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Resolution to allow credit for Physical Education program in grades 9 - 12, commencing September, 1, 1977. Conner Stephens made the motion, Virginia Milligan seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Resolution to allow credit for 7th and 8th grade students in Senior High Band and Chorus. Paul McCormick made the motion, Virginia Milligan seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes. A copy of the programs and standards set up is attached to this meeting's minutes.

Resolution that we send written minutes to newspapers for news release was passed. Conner Stephens made the motion, Richard Godown seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Boys Athletic Interscholastic Coaches for 1977-78 school year. Varsity Basketball & Cross Country — Richard Nicol. J.V. Basketball and Track — Richard Gill. Baseball — Robert McEnroe. Soccer & Swimming — Jon Coon. Conner Stephens made the motion to reaffirm the policy for Boys Athletic Coach to have 3-sports. We will allow exception this year and let Mr. McEnroe take baseball. Mary K. Slade seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

### U. V. Davis

U. V. Davis died at Atlanta Georgia, Friday, September 9, 1977.

He was born on Davis Hill in Andover, N. Y., on June 1, 1893, a son of Louie E. and Mable Briggs Davis. On August 1, 1919, he married the former M. Agnes Cassidy of Canandaigua.

Mr. Davis was a graduate of Andover High School, and graduated from Rochester Business Institute after World War I. He resided in Rochester for several years before moving to Lexington, Mass., where he had resided until August 22, 1977, when he moved to Atlanta, Georgia.

Surviving are one son, Robert L. Davis of Atlanta, Ga., one grandson, Jonathan Davis of Atlanta, Ga.; one brother, Leo Davis of Andover and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held in Lexington, Mass. on September 13 with a Funeral Mass at St. Bridget Church. Interment was in the Westview Cemetery, Lexington, Mass.

### Andover Scout Troop 742 Wins Five Awards

September Round-Up at Bob Frazer's at Cuba Lake. Out of six events, Troop 742 placed First in three events; Second in two events; and accumulated most points for all events. They also took First Place for Most Scouts and Farthest Traveled.

The Scouts that went are: Kenneth McLaughlin, Scoutmaster; John Gavin, Ray Gavin, Jeff Smith, Dave Wallace, Billy Deming, Aaron Russell, Del Jackson, Jim Green and Mike McLaughlin.

A special thank you to Mr. John Gavin for transporting us to and from Cuba.

### Library News

September is Five and Ten Month for the Library. All overdue books may be returned for 5c and 10c each.

Get those Books back now!

### NOTICE!

Any women interested in losing weight, we will be meeting at the Nurse's Office at Andover Central School, on Wednesday evenings at 7:30. Bring swim suits if interested in swimming.

### Meeting of Village Board

Gentlemen: Please be advised that a special meeting of the Village Board of Trustees will be held in the Village Office, 4 Main Street, Monday September 26, 1977 at 7:30 P. M. This notice is sent to you pursuant to Section 95 of the Public Officers Law. Such meeting is open to the public.

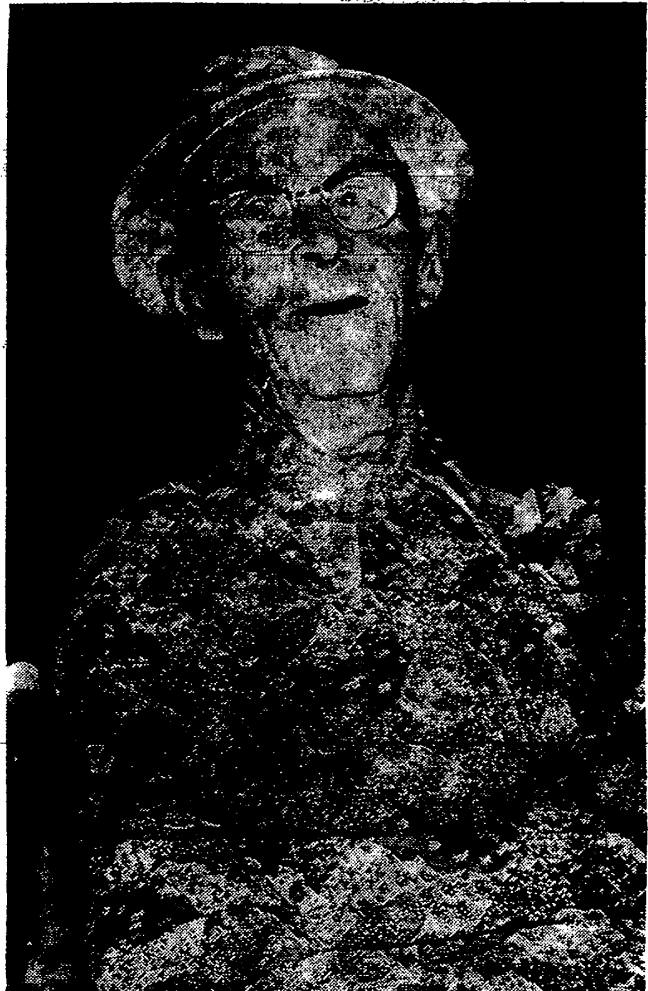
Sincerely,  
JOAN C. DIBBLE, Clerk

Richard Godown made the motion to reorganization stipulation from meeting every second Tuesday to meeting every second and fourth Tuesday. The next meeting will be September 27th.

Executive Session from 10:40 P. M. until 12:25 A. M. Mary K. Slade made the resolution motion that we grant Sindy Baker maternity leave on January 3, 1978 thru June 30, 1978, without pay. Conner Stephens seconded. Passed by 5 votes of yes.

Teacher Negotiations was discussed at great length. A vote will be taken on this resolution at the September 27, 1977 meeting. Meeting adjourned at 12:45 A. M.

VIRGINIA MILLIGAN, Clerk



The children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and friends of Oliver Baker, 41, in number, were in attendance at a birthday party honoring his 90th year at the home of Melinda Baker on Saturday, September 17th. Out-of-town guests attended from Waterbury, Conn., Waterloo, N. Y., Bolivar, Hornell and Arkport. A buffet lunch was served with the birthday cake, made by Joan Wallace, appropriately decorated with a banjo. Oliver and Emma Baker have four children, 14 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. photo by Dale Green

### Hospital Notes

Mrs. William Connors is in the Intensive Care Unit at the Jones Memorial Hospital.

R. J. Bergerson underwent heart surgery Wednesday at the Buffalo General Hospital.

### OES Notice

The regular meeting of Anna W. McArthur Chapter No. 242 OES will be held at 8 p. m., Monday September 26, 1977 at the Masonic Temple. All Members please attend.

Refreshments will be served by Right Worthy Pauline and Clyde Yor on following the meeting.

Cheer Committee for September is Maxine Kruger, phone 593-3997

### NOTICE

The members of the Home Extension Service Unit held their first twelve dinner business meeting after the summer vacation, at the home of Mrs. Reid Mattison in Railroad Valley, Wednesday, Sept. 14. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, Sept. 28 in the Andover Methodist Church dining room at 10:30 a. m., with a sack lunch at noon. Mrs. Howard Gabriel will be the guest speaker, exhibiting craft in various phases. She is skilled in many activities in craft and has taught classes for the past seven years. It will be an interesting meeting for those who attend.

### Andover United Methodist To Hold Coffee Hour Sunday

The Andover United Methodist Church will hold a Congregational Coffee Hour in the Fellowship Room on Sunday, September 25th following the 11 o'clock Worship Service in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Godown and family and the Rev. and Mrs. Howard Gabriel.

The Godown family, devoted members of the Church, are leaving the community, so this is an opportunity to bid them farewell and to extend best wishes for their future.

Also, at this time the Rev. and Mrs. Howard Gabriel will be welcomed to our Church. They came from Darien on July 1st to serve in our community.

Please plan to attend this time of fellowship.

### Maple Twig Notice

HAPPINESS IS — winning a prize from the Maple Twig for the Country Fair November 16 & 17. Donations may be given to any Twig Member for a hand latched rug or a painting by Hal Sisson. The rug and painting are on display at the Andover Citizens National Bank.

Your donations help to purchase needed equipment for the Jones Memorial Hospital. We do appreciate your support the past two years