

GREENWOOD NEWS

Grace Young, Reporter

The Annual REA Meeting was held in Bath Saturday night. Attending from our area were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cornell and daughter, Kathleen. Mrs. Maude Holt, Joseph Koster, Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Krusen, Paul Harkenrider, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pease and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brewster. Gerald Cornell and Gordon Pease were elected Directors for two years.

The Volunteer Firemen worked hard over the weekend. The men began making donuts at 6 A. M. and were kept at it into the afternoon. They had picked apples locally and made cider Thursday. That and rummage was sold all day, from 3 p. m. rummage went by the bag. Mrs. Ron Putnam was in charge of rummage. The ladies helped with the refreshments at the Fire Hall from 3 P. M. until the Auction at the Masonic Hall was halted at 2:30 A. M. Sunday. Carl Rigby and other Almond helpers were auctioneers, beginning at 5 P. M. Out of state travelers stopped and asked to be sent cards for next year. Irene Chaffee and Becky Chaffee were recorders of sales. Clinton York gave out numbers and was cashier. Firemen were also called at 7 P. M. to help for the Raymond Mullen barn fire on the Canistota Road. They were awakened at 8 A. M. Sunday for a barn fire at Michael Sky farm at High Up. Rexville was also called. No Causes known for the fires could have been combustion from damp hay. All stock was outdoors — some machinery was lost.

Greenwood Central School, First State Bank and the Post Office was closed Monday for Columbus Day.

Ed and Mary Mullen were given special recognition on retirement from Scouting at Greenwood Central School, Sunday, October 9 at 7 P. M. John Murray, his first Assistant Scoutmaster, was Master of Ceremonies. Two present Scouts opened with the Pledge to the Flag and Scout Laws. Gerald Mullen gave the prayer; Clinton York representing the Methodist Church Scout Sponsor, made remarks and Supervisor John Helgeson spoke briefly. Other speakers from the Western District, who worked with Ed were: George Benjamin of Avoca, William Howland of Dundee, Mrs. Betty Hiss of Hornell, Bob Ingalls of Hornell, who gave Ed a Camp Gorton Kerchief with the names of Scouts from Troop 67 written on it. Ed Mullen replied with some of his experiences and John Murray told several stories of their Scout trips.

Pete McKenna, who became Scoutmaster in January 1977 spoke. His Assistant is Bill Schwartz. Clinton York presented a trophy from the Scout Committee and Scouts and read an original poem. New Eagle Scouts Don Simonini and Jim Putnam presented Ed with a Plaque with the Thunderbird Emblem on the front and on the back, the wood burned in names of the 25 boys currently enrolled in Scouting; and a round Plaque with Macramé of Thunderbird to Mrs. Mary Mullen. The ceremony closed with the Scout Pledge.

Mrs. Franklyn Krusen was general chairman. Mrs. Bill Schwartz made the cake. Mrs. Gail Simonini made the decorations. Refreshments were served to about 60 former and present Scouts, guests and friends of Scouting by Mrs. Schwartz, Mrs. Richard Moore, Mrs. Krusen and Mrs. Maude Holt.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murray gave them a 40th wedding anniversary party at their home Sunday with a buffet dinner served to 37. They have six children and 19 grandchildren, all there but one grandson. Attending were Mr. & Mrs. Dean Kilbourn (Ellen) and three children of Salamanca, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hawkins (Cathrine) and son of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. John Murray and five children of Bristow, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Duane Coates (Sally) and four children, Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Stanley Murray and two daughters of Bangor, Maine, Mr. and Mrs. William Schwartz (Anna Marie)

and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hillman and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Foster of Greenwood, Anna Marie made the anniversary cake.

Stanley Murray and Margaret Tombs of Geneva were married September 28, 1937 by Father Lynn at St. Joachims Church in Canistota. Stanley worked some farming with his father, John Murray at West Greenwood, ran a service station and worked at Bath for the Sheriff's Department and at present he is on the teaching staff at Wellsville Division of Alfred Ag-Tech. He was Town Justice many years, Town Historian and active in the Volunteer Firemen from its organization, and doing many different things since retiring recently. Mrs. Murray taught Junior High English in Greenwood, Woodhull, Jasper and retired from Greenwood last year.

Seven Past County Legion Commanders, 25 Delegates and five Alternates were present September 15 when the Steuben County American Legion Committee met at the Greenwood Legion Post to discuss a budget and announce activities for the month of October. In total, nine Posts were represented according to Elm A. Hero, Publicity Chairman. Business included a report by Ward Clayton Bath Post, on the purchase of a canoe for Boy Scouts at Camp Gorton. The next meeting is October 20 at 8 p. m., at the Prattsburg Post.

Senior Citizens met at the Methodist Social Hall, Wednesday, October 5. Dinner was served at Noon to 30 by hostesses Rita Brown, Myra Campbell, Lura Freeland and Ruth Smith. The prayer was given by Freda Stephens, Mrs. Brown, President, was in charge of the business meeting. A moment of silent prayer was observed for families where there were recent deaths and for the sick. It was voted to give the Volunteer Firemen \$25.00 donation. Readings were given by several members.

The Adult BOCES Sewing Class was held Wednesday morning in a large trailer at the church parking lot.

Greenwood Central School Library Media Center has had magazines donated by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harkenrider, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Kickbush and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Redmond, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Streeter, Miss Mary Sullivan, Mrs. Ruth York; Newspapers by Mr. Michael Brownson, Miss Mary Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton York; A book — "Teaching Basketball Fundamentals" given by Mrs. Darwin Wilson. Memorial Books given by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, Board of Education, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Lamphier, Hugh Lamphier for George Rollins. Also by the Board of Education and Greenwood OES for Matt Rogers. Mrs. Mildred Burd gave the book, "The Rich Are Different" in memory of Mrs. Catherine Hendy.

Any parents of Pre-School children 3 - 5 held Tuesday and Thursday mornings at the Methodist Social Hall. Contact Mrs. Goni Kiel. Not many have called her yet to start a class.

Mrs. Dean Lamphier was hostess Wednesday night for a Tupperware Party at her home on West Hill.

Mrs. Louise Nye, Matron, conducted the first OES Chapter Fall meeting Monday night, September 19. At the October 3rd meeting there were guests from Cohocton.

Sentinel Lodge No. 451 F & A M. resumed meetings in September, the first and third Wednesdays.

Cafeteria Menus at Greenwood Central School for the week of October 17 - 21 are:

MONDAY — Juice, Jones Burger, Relish, Buttered Corn Fruit, Clobber choc or white Milk

TUESDAY — Turkey Gravy with Mashed Potatoes, Cranberry Sauce, Buttered Green Beans Rolls, Fruit, choc or white Milk

WEDNESDAY — Soup, Crackers, Submarine, Raisin & Peanut Cup, Glorified Rice, choc or white Milk

THURSDAY — Spagetti with Meat Sauce, Fossed Salad, Italian Bread, Fruit, choc or white Milk

FRIDAY — Juice, AuGratin Potatoes, Buttered Peas, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Fruit, choc o. white Milk

Mrs. Bernice Osmin was the guest of her cousin, Amy Van Campen at Buffalo Wednesday to Saturday.

Francis Acker was a dinner guest of his grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wyant and family, Tuesday night. Louglas came for his grandfather.

Mrs. Ethel Cook is visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Cook at Bath RD.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lease and Mr. Steve Bes of Pontiac, Michigan were last weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Chaffee.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Stanley Murray and daughters, Esta and Ravey of Bangor, Maine, came Tuesday to spend until October 12 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murray.

BOCES Adult Practical Nursing Course graduated 19 Sunday, October 2 at St. Anne's Church in Hornell. Becky Woodworth of Canistota D. and Jerilyn McNulty of Greenwood RD were members of the Class.

Olive Sherman Watson, 94 of Alfred, who died at Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville, was a native of West Union, living in the Emily Barney house. She was famous for her Honey Pot Candy Shop in Alfred.

Boys Soccer tied at Troupsburg 1 - 1. Dave Adderly scored early with an assist by Lonnie Austin. In other action, Greenwood 1 Canaseraga 0. Dave Adderly scored a goal in the first period, assisted by Brad Hoyt.

Girls Soccer — 2 losses and 1 win. Jasper 4 Greenwood 2. Debbie Halsey scored. Troupsburg 8 and Greenwood 1, the point on a penalty kick by Sandy Hount Greenwood 4 and Canistota 2 Shelli Simonni made both goals. The Girls are now 4 - 5 - 1.

A son was born Monday, October 3 to Mr. and Mrs. William Freburg (Eugenia Cerrillo) of Rexville RD at Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cerrillo of Rexville.

Joseph Fritzpatrick returned home from St. James Mercy Hospital, Tuesday, where he had been a patient for three weeks.

Mrs. Otto Quick entered the St. James Mercy Hospital Wednesday. Boyce Updyke entered the St. James Mercy Hospital, Thursday.

Mrs. Marian Hussey entered St. James Mercy Hospital, Wednesday.

Joy VanSkiver was an overnight patient at St. James Mercy Hospital, Wednesday.

Grace Barnhart entered St. James Mercy Hospital Saturday.

James O'Brien entered the St. James Mercy Hospital Saturday. Mrs. Georgia Daggett of Delavan spent Wednesday to Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Geraldine Lamphier. Overnight guests' Friday were Miss Charlotte Daggett of Delavan and Miss Glennis James of Angelica.

Miss Betty York of Washington, D. C. and Miss Judy York of Rochester were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton York. John Mullen of Canistota was a Sunday dinner guest of his daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray and five children of Bristow, Va. came Friday for the long weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lounsbury and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hawkins and son of Ontario, spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mays and children of Buffalo came Saturday and spent to Monday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fitzpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Knight of Jacksonville, were weekend guests of her sister, Miss Grace Young and called on their sister-in-law Mrs. Lawrence Knight en route. Saturday afternoon Mr. Knight and Merrill Holt went to Coudersport, Pa. to the Gun Show. Emmett Ersley of Worthington Ohio, and four in his club, and Mr. Richard Clifford of Columbus Ohio came for the weekend at the Ersley Homestead, also Emmett's son, Tony and a friend, Jack Ersley and two sons of Horsheads spent the weekend with his mother Mrs. Chauncey Ersley.

Mrs. Elizabeth Canty of Belmont

brought her mother, Mrs. Auld, McDonough home Friday after a week's visit with her daughter.

Mrs. Margaret Rollins entertained her grandson Scott Rollins and friend of Hornell for dinner, Friday night.

Mrs. Daniel Redmond assisted Virgil Hussey in reading the Scripture and giving the Prayer for Larty Sunday.



50 YEARS AGO

April 1, 1927

J. H. Backus, Publisher

Businessmen are again backing boys and girls in the Potato Raising Contest. One-half bushel of Certified Seed will be furnished each boy by a businessman and in the Fall the boy will return to the donor, one bushel of potatoes or one dollar in cash.

Jacob Maybee died at his home in Goshen, N. Y., March 2. Mr. Maybee was well known in this vicinity having purchased stock in the locality for the past 25 years.

Guy Edward Plaisted, 39, of Greenwood, died March 26 in St. James Mercy Hospital, Hornell. He was born in the Town of Woodhull, but resided in the Town of Greenwood for the past 30 years. On November 15, 1911, he married Estella Crittenden of Whitesville who survives with a 12 year old son Francis at home; his father & step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Plaisted of Greenwood one sister Marjory of Greenwood. Burial was in Whitesville.

Mrs. Imogene Potter Wescott of Alfred Station, died March 26. She was born September 28, 1850 at Albion, Wis., and married Albert Potter in 1874. They had one daughter, Luella. Later she married M. D. Wescott. She is survived by her daughter and two cousins, Albert and Elverton Palmer. Burial was in Alfred.

At the joint meeting of the afternoon and evening divisions of the Kings Daughters of the Presbyterian Church, Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected: Annette Taylor President, Clara Childs First Vice President, Mary Snyder Second Vice President, Helen Folsing Secretary, Mary Boyd Treasurer, Mrs. A. R. Baker leader of the Afternoon Division and Mrs. Mary Childs leader of the Evening Division.

Word has been received by Andover friends of the death, March 17, of Mrs. F. L. Cottrell, formerly of Alfred Station, at the name of her son in Belbit, Wis.

Mrs. Elizabeth Packard died March 25 at Ft. Collins, Colorado of pneumonia. She is survived by one son, Louis Packard; two grandchildren of Ft. Collins; one brother, D. L. Witter of Wellsville and two sisters, Mrs. Denice Mills of Stannards and Mrs. Cara Crandall of Andover.

Fannie Heselton of Whitesville, was buried at the Independence Cemetery Friday. She was the daughter of George and Susan Pulmer Mings, who died March 19, at the age of 90. She was an aunt of Robert Mings of Andover.

Miss Anna O'Leary of the Leahy Department Store in Hornell, passed the weekend with Andover relatives.

The regular Annual Meeting of the Church and congregation of the Presbyterian Church, will be held Monday evening, April 17 at 7:30 in the Church Parlors for the election of officers and the transaction of any business that may properly come before it.

Fishing Season opens tomorrow so tonight will find the fishing poles in order and the bait boxes filled, ready for the early start down Dyke Creek by our local fishermen.

March was a beautiful month. It came in cool and cloudy and went out the same, but the rest of the days were fine.

40 YEARS AGO

March 26, 1937

Claire C. Backus, Publisher

The Catholic Charities Appeal marked its 14th consecutive victory Sunday night when a final hour rush of contributions sent the total to \$480,319.17, just \$33

"Inside The State Capital"

By James L. Emery

EMERY GOOD INTENTIONS, BUT THE OUTCOMES COULD HURT

Government if often faced with programs or proposals which have the most laudable intentions, but which would produce results more painful than the original problem. Two such occurrences are very evident at this time.

This past week I visited the Open House which is held each year at Craig Developmental Center at Mount Morris. The open house is conducted by the staff at Craig so that the public can see how patients are cared for at this mental health facility.

While at Craig, I discussed the Governor's program to release to their communities 10,000 patients from mental health facilities across the state. It was the feeling of most of the staff that the early part of the program has met with some success as those patients most prepared for release are reasonably adapting to the change. However, the staff warns that as the program continues it would be a disservice to people who need constant care to place these people in a society where many of them aren't going to make it.

Anyone with an ounce of goodwill would like to see every patient of a health institution in a more comforting environment. However the Governor is failing to recognize that many patients at Craig and other mental health facilities have physical as well as mental disabilities which prevent these people from properly caring for themselves. To release these people out into the community is an abdication by the state of its responsibility to provide the needed attention for these less fortunate people.

The Governor has pursued this release program because he feels it will save money. I feel New York had one of the best Mental Health programs in the world and certainly it would be costly, we all know that. But there are many other areas where the state could save money without taking away the services provided to those who are handicapped, ill or disabled. In fact I suggested many ways to reduce state spending, with major cuts in welfare topping the list. Unfortunately, the Governor rejected these suggestions and is carrying out the release of mental health patients.

Another well intended program which most certainly will injure the people of New York State is something known as the Ottinger Amendment to the proposed federal energy bill. This provision would mandate that the state abolish its program of determining electricity rates on the basis of the cost entailed in generating the power for a specific area in favor of a rate averaging plan which would reduce rates for the New York City area and raise upstate rates.

With the constant talk of how our utility rates are going up many of us in western New York fail to realize that we pay less for our electricity than does a consumer in the New York City metropolitan area. It is for this reason that many energy intensive industries have located in our area. Should the Ottinger Amendment be enacted into federal law, we will lose this advantage because all utility rates in the state would have to be the same and many of our industries would no longer be able to survive. Certainly a reduction of utility rates for New York metropolitan residents is a laudable goal, but it should not come at the expense of upstate New York residents, and certainly not at the expense of jobs in our state.

more than the \$480,286.17 asked for to perpetuate for another year the work of the 28 institutions and agencies caring for more than 25,000 unfortunate.

Mrs. Margaret Dean writes of the event at Ithaca. The exhibit of Antiques throughout the city business store was unique and called "County Days."

The play "Sound Your Horn" by Howard Reed was ably put on Tuesday and Wednesday by the Junior Class of Andover High School under the direction of Miss May Lou Day. The following were the characters: Charlotte Cook, Helen Dean, Doris Hohegger, Marlon Swartz, Charles Burgett. (Continued on Page 3)

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