

## Village Board Accepts Low Bid For Water Line

At a Special Board Meeting held Monday evening, December 5, 1977 at the Village Hall, Village Board Members accepted the low bid of A. L. Blades & Sons, Inc., General Contractors from Hornell, N. Y. for \$112,585.00 to build a new 6" water line from the site of the Andover Springs down to Route 417 where it will be tied into the current old line.

The Village of Andover received an E. D. A. grant of \$116,000 for the construction of this new line so the grant will pay for the entire construction of the line, leaving less than \$10,000 for the Engineering and Inspection fees to be raised on the local level.

Construction of the new line has to be begun by December 15, 1977 and it is anticipated that it will be completed by this coming summer—or before.

Altogether, five bids were submitted as follows in order of the monetary bids: A. L. Blades & Sons Inc., General Contractors, P. O. Box D, Hornell, N. Y. 14843 — \$112,585.00 & a Bid Bond; Baker's of Jericho Hill Inc., P. O. Box 852, Alfred, N. Y. 14802 — \$119,916.50 & a Certified Check; The L. C. Whitford Co., Inc., General Contractors, 126 North Main St. Wellsville, N. Y. 14895 — \$120,800.00 & a Bid Bond; Joyce West Inc., Box E, Andover, N. Y. 14802 — \$129,365.00 & a Certified Check; Kottwitz Construction Co. Ltd., R. D. 2, Corning, N. Y. 14830 — \$159,883.50 & a Bid Bond.

The special meeting was called to order at 8:00 p. m. by Mayor Allen with all Board Members and the Supt. of Public Works present. The bids, water line, and cost figures were discussed with the majority of the Board Members feeling that this was a golden opportunity to have a new water line installed from the site of the Village Springs to the Village limit at such a reasonable cost to local residents. It was also felt that since the water rates for Andover were about the lowest in the State that if they were raised about \$14 a year it would pay for the Village share of this major improvement in two years and would take care of the rising maintenance costs on Village water lines. Even with this increase, the average cost of water to Village residential consumers would only be between \$40 - \$42 a year.

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Rohrbacher of Duffy Hollow R.D. 3, Wellsville are parents of a 6lb. 2 1/2-oz son Eric Arnold, born Thursday, December 1, 1977 at the Bethesda Community Hospital in Hornell. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Green of Duffy Hollow Rd. R.D. 3, Wellsville. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hosler, Proctor Terrace, Wellsville, and Maynard Rohrbacher, Hogg Brook Rd. R.D. 4, Wellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. James VanDerEems (Lonna Russock) of Andover, are parents of a son born Saturday, December 3, 1977 at the Jones Memorial Hospital.

## Alfred University Chorus And Chorale To Present Christmas Concert

The Alfred University Chorus and Chorale will present a Christmas Concert December 11 at 7:30 p. m. in Harder Hall auditorium. The public is invited to attend without charge.

The first part of the program will feature the 30-voice chorus and 28-voice chorale in separate performances of secular and sacred works, including music of the Christmas Season. Following the intermission, the combined chorus and chorale will perform Mozart's "Dixit Dominus" and Magnificat.

The two choral groups are under the direction of Paul W. Giles, assistant professor of music at Alfred. Carolyn Rossington of Alfred will be the piano accompanist.

## NOTICE!

### THE VILLAGE OF ANDOVER WILL ENFORCE THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCE

The owner or occupant of any building or lot in front of which a sidewalk has been constructed shall keep such sidewalk clean and free from filth and also remove or cause to be removed therefrom all snow and ice within 12 hours from the time the same has fallen, and that which may have fallen during the night shall be removed before noon the following day, and upon neglect to do so the Trustees or Street Commissioner may without notice, cause the same to be removed and the expense thereof levied and collected out of the said property the same as any corporation tax.

## School Board Holds Special Meeting

A Special Meeting of the Andover Central School Board of Education was called to order Tuesday, November 29, 1977, with Mary K. Slade as presiding officer. Other Board Members present were: Richard Godown, Paul McCormick and Virginia Milligan.

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Mary K. Slade at 7:57 P. M.

Mary K. Slade made the motion and Richard Godown seconded that the Board accept the resignation of Ethel Kelley as Treasurer of Andover Central School District. Susan Henry has been appointed to this position. Passed by 4-yes votes.

The Andover Board of Education accepted the CETA \$55,000 grant which will be used for insulating and weatherizing the building.

Richard Godown made a motion and Virginia Milligan seconded approval of the Board proposal dated November 29 1977 for athletic salaries.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 P. M.  
VIRGINIA MILLIGAN, Clerk

## Allegany County Fire Control Report For Nov.

From: — Allegany County Fire Control, 82 East Greenwood Street, Andover, New York, for the month of November 1977

FIRES	
Industrial	0
Mercantile	0
Dwellings	5
Chimney Fires	15
Farm Bldgs	2
Motor Vehicle	5
Oil Field	0
Grass & Brush	1
Pennsylvania Calls	3
Miscellaneous Fires	9
Total Calls	38
ACCIDENTS — 2	
MUTUAL AID	
In County	12
Out of County	3
Total Calls	15
Radio Checks — 50	
Siren Tests — 97	
Vehicle Practice — 2	
Vehicle Maintenance — 19	
AMBULANCE CALLS	
Alfred	12
Almond	7
Andover	16
Angelica	7
Belfast	6
Bolivar	8
Fillmore	10
Friendship	6
Genesee	1
Houghton	2
Richburg	3
Rushford	5
Shinglehouse	6
Total Calls	89
Cleaning Chimneys — 4	
Transformer Fire — 1	
Washing Down Gas — 1	
Rescue — 1	
False Alarms — 3	
Miscellaneous Calls — 996	
Total Calls for the Month	1312

Commercial Printing at The News Printing House.

## Village Board Members Vote To Build Garage

At a Special Board meeting held November 28, 1977, Andover Village Board Members were informed by Mayor Ralph A. Allen that the C.E.T.A. program of Allegany County had approved his project of building an addition on the present Village Electric Sub-Station as a garage to house the present four Village Vehicles that are now sitting outside.

The C.E.T.A. project would furnish the labor and \$510 towards the materials with the Village responsible for the materials, supervision, and the skilled labor which in this case is a stone mason. The total funds and cost involved would be \$5,410.80 furnished by C.E.T.A. with the Village share amounting to \$6,000.

The lean-to type building would be 26' x 51'6" (the same length as the current building which it would be tied in to); be built of 10" cement blocks; have 3 small casement type windows for ventilation; 1 outside, metal walk-thru door; an adjoining walk-thru metal door to the other part; one 10' x 10' overhead door; and one 10' x 12' overhead door.

The previous Village Board had received an estimate for a steel building addition the same size over a year and a half ago which was then estimated at over \$17,000 and had planned to float a bond issue of \$25,000 to cover the cost. However, these plans fell through when it was found out that only one bond issue could be floated in any one year, and they had already borrowed \$100,000 to rebuild the electric sub-station.

After a lengthy discussion, Village Board Members voted 4 - 1 to accept the C.E.T.A. project by resolution and then passed the resolution to borrow \$6,000 on a capital note and build the much-needed garage addition.

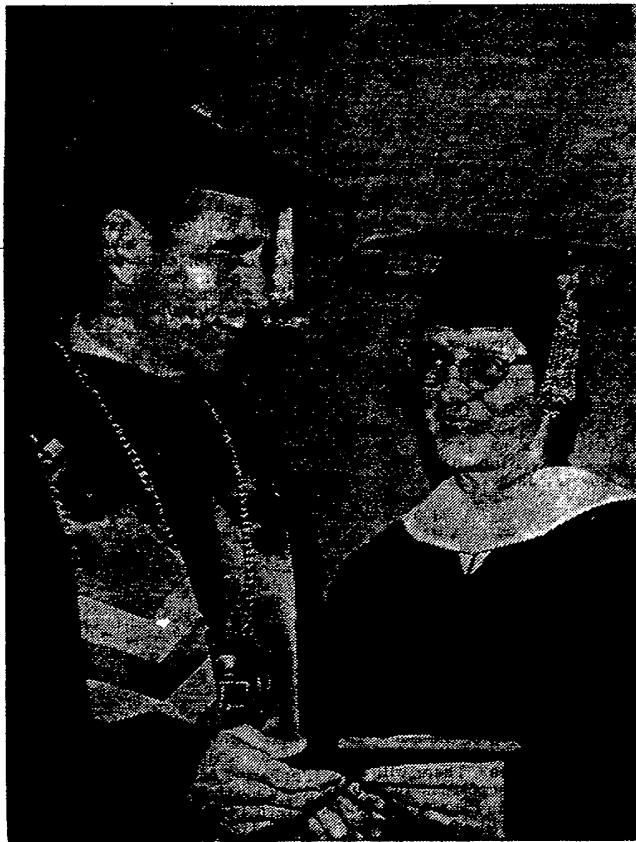
The dissenting vote of no was cast by Chuck Dain.

Construction has already begun with the site leveled off and the footer already poured. It is planned to be completed by January 15, 1978.

## So, You Think You Want A Pet?

If you are considering a pet for the family — before buying or adopting one — give yourself the following check-list:

1. Will someone be home to provide meals for the animal according to a fixed schedule?
  2. In case of puppies or kittens, will someone be home during the day to look after the animals and train them properly?
  3. If you are considering a dog, are you willing to exercise the animal at least twice a day, according to a set schedule?
  4. Are you willing and able to pay for all inoculations, periodic veterinary examinations, and any emergency treatment that the animal may need?
  5. Are you willing to pay for the cost of neutering your pet to prevent the birth of more animals in a nation already saturated with pets?
  6. Are you willing to obey the leash laws of your community?
  7. Are you committed to caring for the animal for its lifetime? If you cannot truthfully answer "yes" to every question, you should carefully reconsider the entire situation. It may be that the need of an animal outweigh your willingness or ability to care for it.
- Do you realize that there are so many puppies and kittens born in this country that few of them find permanent homes? The rest of them lead lonely, suffering lives — often cut short under the wheels of a car or in the death room of a pound.
- Don't be responsible for more suffering and needless death. Have your pet spayed or neutered in the recommendation of "The Humane Society of the United States", Washington, D. C.



INVESTED AS ALFRED TRUSTEE — President H. Richard Rose of Alfred University chats with Mrs. Rosemary Baker Burger of Andover during Mrs. Burger's investiture November 17 as an Alfred trustee. An English teacher at Andover Central School, Mrs. Burger holds a bachelor of arts degree and a master of science degree in Education from Alfred University. She is a past president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce and of the Alfred University Alumni Association.

## Christmas Concert To Be Presented Sunday Dec. 18

The "Campus Life Harvest Singers" will put on a special Christmas Concert at the United Methodist Church in Andover on Sunday evening, December 18th, at 7:30. The public is invited to hear an exciting Christmas musical filled with joy and worship for the entire family.

Some eighteen youths from the Wellsville area will be participating in this Christmas concert, led by their conductor, Mr. Karl Eastlack of Wellsville, who heads the "Southern Tier Youth For Christ" movement.

The Andover United Methodist Church Sunday School will have a covered dish supper for the families of the church at 5:30 before the Christmas concert at 7:30. Families are asked to bring a covered dish and own table service. After the supper there will be a Sunday School program, including a Christmas film "Christmas Around The World." After this program the Christmas concert will be presented by the Harvest Singers, to which the public is invited.

## News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

Marine Corporal Duane A. Losey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Losey of Route 2, Andover, N. Y., has been promoted to his present rank while serving at the Marine Corps New River Helicopter Air Station, Jacksonville, N. C. He joined the Marine Corps in July 1976.

Marine Lance Corporal Kris L. Dytche, whose wife Debra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard York of 362 E. Greenwood St., Andover N. Y., has completed Tactical Data Communications Central Repairman training. The 16-week course was conducted at the Marine Corps Communication-Electronics School, Twentynine Palms, Calif. Students received instruction on the maintenance and repair of the AN-TYQ-3 tactical Data Communications System. The AN-TYQ-3 provides the capability for interchange of tactical computer data among U. S. forces and with our NATO allies. Students received instruction on system installation, equipment operation, transmission and receipt of data, plus functional testing procedures and equipment. He joined the Marine Corps in August 1976.



Duane Cook, who suffered a fractured leg last Thursday, was transferred from the Jones Memorial Hospital to the Bethesda Community Hospital in Hornell Saturday.

Mrs. Howard (Maggie) Brewster of Bath, N.Y. underwent orthopedic surgery at the Stong Memorial Hospital, Rochester, Friday December 2 and is reported as doing nicely.

Maurice Goodridge, a patient in St. James Mercy Hospital was discharged Friday.

Mrs. Henry Hurd was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital, Monday.

Ricky Hancock a medical patient in Jones Memorial Hospital was discharged Saturday.

Mrs. James VanDerEems and son were discharged from the Jones Memorial Hospital Monday. Donald Mulconery a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, was discharged Tuesday.

Mrs. Fay Brown is a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

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