

GREENWOOD NEWS

Grace Young, Reporter

Basketball season has arrived and an award for sportsmanship will be given this year. The Steuben County Basketball Officials have initiated the award to the school attaining the highest ranking on sportsmanship. To win the award, it takes the cooperation of everyone, coaches, cheerleaders, players and spectators. Each basketball official who services our school will complete a sheet on the game he officiates and a banner will be given to the school which displayed the best sportsmanship. Our school will make an all out effort this year to be good sportsman and asks our loyal fans to do the same.

Wednesday from 4 P. M. to 8 P. M., the Varsity and JV Basketball Teams had scrimmage games at Canisteo Central School and did well. The first game at home was Friday, December 2 at 6:30 p. m. with Cohocton. December 9 the boys played at Campbell Tuesday, Dec. 13 at Troupsburg at 6:30 p. m. Friday Dec. 16 at 6:30 p. m. at Prattsburg. Saturday Dec. 17 at 9 a. m., Jr. High Basketball at Wellsville, Tuesday, Dec 20 boys at Jasper, Thursday, Dec 22 Boys Basketball at Savona at 6:30 p. m. Dec. 29-30 a Holiday Tournament at Wellsville. Andover, Troupsburg, Richburg & Greenwood -- JV games at 1:30 Varsity at 7:30.

The Band thanks everyone who supported its walk-out. There will be a special rehearsal for the Concert Band, Monday, December 12 at 7:00 P. M. It is a practice for the Christmas Concert, Wednesday December 21 at 8 P. M. Admission is free, come out and show your appreciation of the Band. The Concert will feature a guest soloist from Canisteo. There will also be a unique composition for Concert Band and Electronic Tape Recorder. It will be an interesting Concert you won't want to miss.

Maureen McKenna was accepted on flute for the Area All-State Junior High Band and played in the Concert at Hammondsport on November 12. Congratulations.

The Home Economics students and 4-H Clubs at School are selling the Better Homes and Gardens "Homemade Cookies Cookbook". The first order was completely sold out. Thanks to all that bought and have ordered the books. There may still be time to order, but they might not arrive for a Christmas gift.

A new group of Greenwood Busy Bees, 4-H Club, consisting of ten Fourth Graders was founded in September. They meet Tuesday after school. Their first project is an embroidered Christmas gift. They will be learning to use the sewing machine.

There are nine members of the Fifth Grade Greenwood Busy Bees. There are six beginning their second year, and three new members. They are doing the project "Foods Let's Begin".

Most of the Sixth Graders are starting their third year in 4-H. The first project of the year is "Fruit Delights". They are learning different ways of using fruit in meals and snacks.

This year 17 Seventh and Eighth Grade girls got together with Mrs. Symonds for a 4-H Club named Greenwood Gals. Officers elected at the first meeting are as follows: Annie Sky, President; Jeanne Putnam, Vice President; Karen McKenna, Secretary; Gina Druetta, Treasurer and Kathy Warner, News Reporter. The Gals are selling cookbooks to pay for their record books. The project now is "Snack Wisely". Plans for the rest of the year are: Child Care I and II; 7th & 8th, Breakfast is Ready. Kathy reports we hope to have all of the parents support to help make our Club the best.

This year in 4-H we organized a new high school group of six 9th Graders and 10th Graders. The 4-H Club's name is Greenwood Seventh Dimensions. We elected officers as follows: President Bonnie Dennison, Vice President Sally Sekoll, Treasurer Lisa Porter, Sec-

retary Maureen McKenna, News Reporter Pauline Sky and Co-Committee Coordinators: Jayne Mullen and Laurie Wallace. Everyone has a job. We also planned four projects for this year: Meals For Today, Our Food Project, Child Care III: A Clothing Project and Color and Room Arrangement. We hope to have a successful year meeting after school every Wednesday. Pauline Sky, News Reporter.

Again this year there will be a Swim-A-Thon at the Greenwood Pool. It is a county wide funding event, sponsored by the Steuben County Unit of the American Cancer Society. On Saturday, January 7, 1978, eight pools throughout Steuben County will be open to the public for those who want to help the fight against Cancer. Shirley Losey of West Union is Chairman for the Greenwood Pool Area. All people in the area are invited to participate either by jumping in the pool or sponsoring a swimmer. Students under 18 must have a parental signature on their pledge card. Anyone may sponsor a swimmer by signing his or her name on the card and pledging so much money per length swim. 50 lengths is the maximum number of lengths per swimmer but most do. We urge the sponsors to not sign up for more than 24 per length or a total of \$2.00 so that it won't be a burden. The swimmers return to the sponsor after they have swam, to collect the money pledged. Plaques will be given for the youngest and oldest swimmer, also to the swimmer collecting the most money. Challenges between organizations are also welcome. Remember the date, January 7 -- beginning at 9 A. M.

National Book Week was celebrated in the GCS School Library Media Center November 14 - 18. Book displays and bulletin boards promoted books circulation which totaled 415 for the week. The following grade students made craft displays to illustrate books - John Hanbach, Captain Hook in Treasure Island, made from a paper sack; Tina Clark, Mousekin in Mousekin Finds A Home, from Tinsel and block of wood; Victor Metacale made a ceramic cat for a book "Kitten For Kim"; Diana Andrus brought a yarn doll to illustrate the book "Sugarplum and Snowball"; Lorelli Schmitt brought a framed embroidered dog and cat. This could illustrate the book "Blue Broken Heart". The Fifth and Sixth Graders studied the illustrations of Maurice Sendak in these books - Seven Tales by H. C. Anderson; The House of Sixty Fathers by Meinart Ledjans; The Singing Hill, by Melindert LeFong. The Primary Grades saw slides of Mrs. Clossy's book character dolls and borrowed the books to read. They also saw video tapes of their responsibility in caring for books. Elementary students learned how a book is made in their enrichment time in the Media Center.

The Masonic Lodge Sentinel No. 151 F & A M gave the newest Foxfire book in memory of George Rollins. New magazine donors are Mr. Hugh Lamphier, Mr. Mike Sky and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Mullen. The Western New York Volunteer Firemen's Association is sponsoring a County Essay Contest. Robert Pittman, Karen McKenna, Anna Sky and Lisa Woodworth have entered the contest. These students have spent a great deal of time and effort to prepare and write their paper. The results of this County Essay Contest will be announced in the Spring.

The Boys Varsity had a successful opening League D Game at home Friday, winning over Cohocton 69-64. Freshman Andy Moore netted 31 points to win the game from the Eagles. Scores were Putnam 0-1-1, Simonini 6-0-12, Hoy 5-1-11, Alcorn 0-2-2, Kevin Moore 5-2-12, Andy Moore 11-9-31. Totals 27-15-69. The boys outshot Cohocton on fouls. Greenwood ended last in D League a year ago. Keep up the good start. The JV Team also won their game.

Cafeteria Menus at Greenwood Central School for week of December 12 - 16 are:

MONDAY -- Beef Gravy with Bread, Buttered Green Beans Raisin Batter Bread, Fruit, choc or white Milk

TUESDAY -- Pizza, Potato Sticks, Tossed Salad, Fruit, choc or white Milk

Wednesday -- Juice, Barbecued Beef on Bun, Buttered Spinach, Quick Bread, Fruit choc or white Milk

THURSDAY -- Juice, Hot Dog with Roll, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Ice Cream, choc or white Milk

FRIDAY -- Soup, Tuna Fish Sandwich, Celery & Carrot Sticks, Jello, Cake, choc or white Milk

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton York drove to Dayton Beach, Florida to spend the recent vacation. Their daughter Judy of Rochester, flew down to be with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murray entertained three daughters: Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hawkins and son of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Coe and four children, Mr. and Mrs. William Schwartz and three children for a family Thanksgiving Dinner Sunday, Nov. 27. They also delivered dinners to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hillman and to Mrs. Matt Rogers and son, Jerome.

Miss Permelia White was a Thanksgiving Dinner guest of her niece, Mi and Mrs. William Woodruff of Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Vanderhoef were hosts Thanksgiving to two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Vanderhoef and family of Hornell and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Vanderhoef of Canisteo.

Mrs. George Rollins entertained 20 of her family for Sunday dinner, December 4. Arling Rollins, Mrs. Larane Tomkins and two children of Knoxville, Pa., Mrs. Mary Rollins and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rounds and two children of Addison, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Rollins and sons, Tim, Scott and Tracy, Misses Debra Mullen and Debra Fisk of Canisteo and Miss Teri Rollins of Sherburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton York and Miss Judy York of Rochester spent the weekend at Washington, D. C. Miss Betty York had minor surgery Friday, returning to her apartment Saturday. She will be home a week recovering.

John Weidner returned home last Monday from the Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville.

Francis Acker returned home Friday from Bethesda Community Hospital where he was a patient since Sunday having tests.

Mrs. Blanche Wallace fell at the Hornell Nursing Home and fractured her right hip and wrist. Friday a pin was put in her hip and a cast on her arm. She is having a lot of pain. She has given up her upstairs room at the Nursing Home.

The United Methodist Women held a successful Bake Sale and Bazaar at the Town Hall, Friday afternoon, making over \$260. Some things will be on sale at the Senior Citizens meeting Wednesday, December 7. The women will meet at the Church, Thursday December 15 at 1 p. m. to pack Christmas Cheer Boxes for shut-ins and those in Nursing Homes.

The Sunday School of the Methodist Church is doing the Advent Candle Lighting Service at the Worship Service. Mrs. Roger Williamson and two youths Kim and Camille Atheron on Nov. 27 and on Dec. 4, Kris Kinner and Stacey Greene. The school will have the Christmas Party this Saturday, December 10 at the Church. The children will present their Christmas Program at the Morning Worship Service, December 18. The Methodist Church is invited to attend a Christmas Carol Program at the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Sunday, December 18 at 8 p. m. The Methodist Church will have a Christmas Eve Candle Light Service December 24, at 8 p. m., for the public.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Hoyt, Jr. and daughter of Northumberland, Pa., came Friday for the basketball game to see their cousins play. They were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoyt and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Hoyt, Sr.

Mrs. Roberta Stillman spent from Tuesday to Friday with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Gen Stillman at Arkport.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson attended the Andover Union Service at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday evening, November 27. Their daughter, Mrs. Dana Williams was a member of the Choir.



50 YEARS AGO

May 20, 1927

J. H. Backus, Publisher

Mrs. Louise Jobson, Mrs. A. D. Fuller, Mrs. Harold Dawson, and Mrs. W. F. O'Connell were in Hornell Tuesday guests of Mrs. Carrie Laughlin at the Guttinger home.

The Ministerial Association of Hornell and vicinity met at the Andover Presbyterian Church Monday. Mrs. Herbert Woodward representative of the New York Tribune Fresh Air Fund, addressed the group. A 12:30 luncheon was served in the church parlor by the Kings Daughters and entertainment was by the Elders.

The Literary Society Meeting was held Friday, called to order by Vice President Vincent Mitchell. The following had part in the program: Claire Greene, Margaret Folsing, Lloyd Gee, Bernadine Hann, Virginia Millsbaugh, Winona Earley, Rose Dawson, Robert Lynch, Louis Joyce, Raymond O'Boyle, Ruby Robinson, Mary Cable and Eleanor DeRemer.

May 27, 1927

Daniel L. Lynch died May 21 at the home of his father M. T. Lynch. He was born August 16, 1888 a son of Michael T. and Cecelia Gallagher Lynch. He is survived by his father; three brothers, James and Michael V. Lynch of Andover and Terrance of Belmont; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Murphy of Wellsville and Mrs. Charles Lynch of Andover. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery, Andover.

The Memorial Day Parade will start from the GAR Hall and go up Main Street to Elm Street. At the corner of Center and Church Streets the School Children will fall in line to Greenwood, to Main, to Water and up Hill Street to the Cemetery for the following program: Star Spangled Banner by the Boys Band, Prayer by Rev. W. L. Greene, Song by Misses Margaret Folsing, Dorothea Snyder, Mary Horan, Ruby Robinson, Rose Dawson and Gertrude O'Connell Lincoln Gettysburg Address by Mary Cable, Violin Solo by Louise Harrison, Reading of the Roll of Honor by H. G. Storer, Song by Girls Sextette, Address by Rev. R. E. MacGowan and Song America by the Band.

Tobias Cornelius died May 18 at his home in Alfred. He was born in the Town of Ward August 1, 1845 a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cornelius. He is survived by his widow; one step daughter Mrs. Merrill Hubbard of Castile; one step son, Frank Cornelius of Alfred; one brother, Ely of Andover; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Burial was in Alfred Rural Cemetery.

"Pieces of Jade" written by Dorothea Snyder for English II. is in "Tidbits" this week.

Born May 26 to Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Searles of Seneca Falls, a daughter, Mary Virginia. Mrs. Searles was the former Grace Cheesman of Andover.

Isaac Langworthy, age 85, died May 26 at Alfred. He was the last Civil War Veteran of that Village.

Mrs. Claire Backus entertained a company at a 6:30 dinner and bridge party Saturday evening. The out-of-town guests were Prof and Mrs. Potter, Prof and Mrs. Hildebrand, Prof. and Mrs. Lloyd Robinson, Prof. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Martin of Alfred and Miss Isabelle Loughhead of Eldred Pa.

Miss Ada Mitchell of Shovel Hollow is assisting with the work for Mrs. M. V. Lynch.

About twenty-five friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wittig last Thursday evening and surprised Huron Updyke on his 82nd birthday.

Mrs. Charles Howland and son Clifford and daughter Kathieer and Miss Margaret Daugerty were in Hornell Saturday.

Mrs. E. M. Stearns returned to her home in Port Allegany, Pa. Wednesday after spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stearns.

40 YEARS AGO

May 21, 1937

"Inside The State Capital"

By James L. Emery

WOULDN'T IT BE NICE IF THIS WAS THE START OF A NEW BEGINNING

On August 17 of this year, I reported to you that the actual training of volunteer firemen throughout the state would be severely hampered, if not totally eliminated, because of proposed restrictions on open burning for fire training exercises.

In a letter to Commissioner Peter Berle of the Department of Environmental Conservation I noted that it is certainly laudatory for his department to be concerned with the problems of open burning in this state but that the restrictions, if adopted, would have an extremely bad effect on the functioning of our fire departments and could result in grave consequences for millions of people whose only line of defense against the tragedy of fire is the local volunteer fire company.

Because of the time consuming expensive and paper laden exercise of receiving permission from DEC officials for the deliberate burning of structures and debris, county governments would be reluctant to appropriate money for much needed fire training centers.

I prevailed upon Commissioner Berle to consider carefully the thousands of volunteer firemen throughout the state who would be subject to unnecessary government over-regulation when, in their job as volunteers, their sole aim is to protect people's lives and property.

In November, Commissioner Berle finally made known his decision on whether or not to implement the proposed burning restrictions and, thankfully, he decided against the added regulations.

In announcing his decision the commissioner emphasized that it was responsive to the testimony received at public hearings held by DEC and the Senate and Assembly Administrative Regulations Review Committee. This testimony indicated general agreement with the basic intent of the restrictions on open burning but voiced strong opposition to additional bureaucratic red tape.

As has been the case so often in the past, government tends to over restrict and over complicate. Many of us in the State Assembly are trying to do something about this by requiring government agencies to formally consider the fiscal and social impact rules and regulations have on local governments and New York State residents.

Wouldn't it be nice if the decision against implementation of the additional open burning restrictions was the start of a new beginning towards less government interference.

Claire C. Backus, Publisher

Mrs. Nellie Baker Robinson, 64, died at the St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell, May 15. She was born April 29, 1873 in Andover, the daughter of Timothy and Lucinda Venable Baker. She was twice married, first to William Fenner, then later to Frank Robinson, who with seven nieces and four nephews survive. Burial was in Valley Brook Cemetery, Andover.

As Memorial Day falls on Sunday this year, it will be observed Monday, May 31, carried on by the Thomas M. Lynch Post No. 397, American Legion, under Commander Ralph Burgett.

Mrs. Mollie Chessbrough died May 20 at the home of her niece Mrs. Charles Gath. She was born in Lawrenceville, Pa. May 22, 1855 a daughter of Daniel and Adeline Story Nobles. She married Charles Chessbrough who died in 1882. For the past ten years she has lived with her niece. Burial was in Addison.

Mrs. J. M. Hartrum died May 19 at her home on Rochambeau Ave. Mary was born December 30, 1863 a daughter of Lewis and Harriet Love Cornish and on March 21, 1883 married J. Melvin Hartrum who survives. Burial was in Hillside Cemetery.

The Mother and Daughter Banquet was held May 13 at the Presbyterian Church by the Kings Daughters with a 7 o'clock dinner. Music was furnished by Mrs.

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