

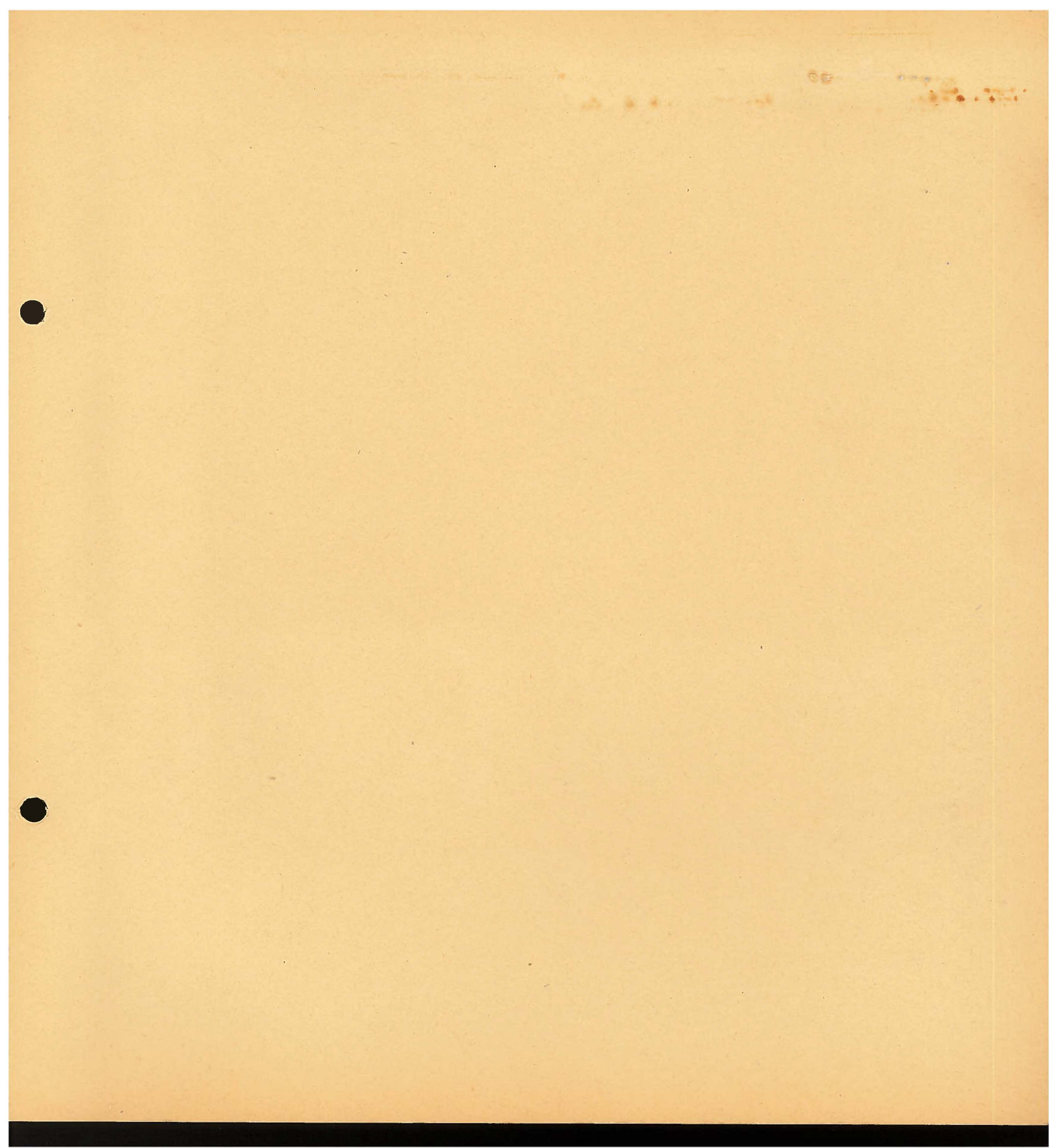


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Herewith is presented our regular day-after-election wrath-reducer, apoplexy-ameliorator, spleen-subduer and general all-around down-simmerer. It is a peaceful scene, well-nigh reeking with calm beauty, and signifies that no matter who won the election or how long you stood in line, and regardless of where the world is going in a handbasket, it is possible to reflectively contemplate instead the artfully slow arab-

esques of a sailboat on a moonlit bay. Once the intellect has been thus re-directed it is possible to return to a practical world, one that will be better because of stripless bumpers and non-pre-emptible television shows. After all, we have already survived the mysteriously proclaimed two nights of Halloween; it seems unlikely we can be untracked by one election day.

—Herald Staff Photo by TOM McCARTHY

Is this picture her second wife?
Married

From Washington, D.C., comes word of the marriage on Jan. 1 of Miss Leah R. Van Deusen of New York City to A. Ward Evans of Miami, Fla. The ceremony took place in Augustana Lutheran Church, Washington.

The bride is the daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. Robert J. Van Deusen. The Rev. Mr. Van Deusen had several parishes in New York State. Mr. Evans formerly taught in Rochester.

Wilbur Hall

MORRIS—Wilbur Hall, 68, of Morris, a former print shop operator in Norwich, South New Berlin and Morris, died Friday, January 17, at his home.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday, January 19, at the Sloan Funeral Home, with the Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor of the Morris Methodist Church, officiating.

Mr. Hall was born in Norwich Nov. 5, 1895. He married Ora Harrington in Norwich on April 28, 1922.

Mr. Hall operated print shops in Otsego and Chenango Counties at Norwich, Morris and South New Berlin. He was a member of the Morris Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife; one son, Theodore Hall of Norwich; one brother, George Hall of Carpenterville, and several nieces and nephews.

The family will be in attendance from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday.

Mrs. John C. Naylor

MORRIS—Mrs. John C. Naylor, 86, of Gravesville, formerly of Morris, died about 2 p.m. Sunday in St. Luke's Hospital, Utica.

Jan 19
Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Autenrith Funeral Home, Newport, with the Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor of Morris Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Prospect Cemetery.

Mrs. Naylor was born March 31, 1877, in Gravesville. She was a graduate of Oneonta Normal School, and had lived in Central City, Neb., until about 20 years ago to come to Morris.

She sold her home in Morris last year to move to Gravesville to live with a niece, Mrs. Lester Sheldon.

She was a member of Morris Methodist Church, the Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by nephews and nieces.

Driver Dies

Putting On Chains

Jan 6 '64
FRANKLIN—The sleet and rain of Monday's storm claimed the life of a Chenango County man who was found lying near death beside the halted milk tanker on which he was apparently attempting to install a set of tire chains.

State Police at Sidney identified the victim as Clarence Lamphere, 58, of 32 Cortland Street, Norwich. They said he was dead on arrival at Delaware Valley Hospital, where he was transported by the Franklin Emergency Squad ambulance.

State Police said Mr. Lamphere had apparently halted the milk tanker he was driving about four miles south of Franklin on the Franklin-Walton road. As he was attempting to put on the chains, they said, he evidently was stricken.

He was found lying beside the big vehicle by Richard Saunders of Garrattsville who relayed the alarm to the Emergency Squad.

Dr. David Doane of Waton, a Delaware County coroner, issued a verdict of "death by natural causes."

Investigator A. F. Heggeler, Trooper A. J. Mark and Trooper P. D. Ponnle investigated the

George A. Gregory

George A. Gregory, 74, of 46 Church Street, a member of the Oneonta Civil Service Commission, died unexpectedly Saturday, January 18 at the home of a relative in Leisure City, Florida.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m., Saturday, January 25, at the Lewis Funeral Home with the Rev. Reginald Watson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be later in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mr. Gregory was born May 31, 1889 at Morris, a son of Orlin and Mary (Elliott) Gregory. He was married to Mary O'Brien in 1926 in Oneonta.

Mr. Gregory was a retired co-proprietor of Murdock's Hardware of Oneonta. He was a lifelong resident of the Oneonta area.

He was a member of Oneonta Lodge of Elks; the American Legion; Veterans of Foreign Wars and was a veteran of World War I, serving as a member of the 101st Field Bakery Company of the 27th Division.

Surviving are his wife; two brothers, Claude Gregory of 75 Clinton St., and Frank Gregory, New Berlin, and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Friends may call at the funeral home after noon Friday.

Ray W. Nearing

Ray W. Nearing, 65, of Milford, died January 31 at Bassett Hospital, Cooperstown. The body was removed to the Bookhout Funeral Home, where arrangements are pending.

Ceylon W. Peaslee

Auctioneer Dies; Funeral Tuesday

Ceylon W. Peaslee, 85, of 39 Church St., died Saturday, January 11, at his home.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, January 14, at the First Methodist Church with the Rev. Clayton W. Hoag, pastor, officiating.

The body will be placed in the funeral home vault for later burial in Milford Cemetery.

Mr. Peaslee was born July 5, 1878, in Phoenix Mills, a son of Darius and Cordelia (Robinson) Peaslee. He married Alice Badeau Dec. 31, 1902 in Oneonta, Mrs. Peaslee died April 8, 1961.

Mr. Peaslee was an auctioneer, appraiser and real estate broker. He had lived in Oneonta for the past 20 years, previously residing in Laurens.

He was one of the men primarily responsible for the long continued success of Otsego County 4-H Beef project, volunteering his services annually through the life of the project to sell the 4-H steers at auction during the Otsego County Fair at Morris. Always interested in youth, he later started a 4-H project of teaching youngsters the auctioneering craft.

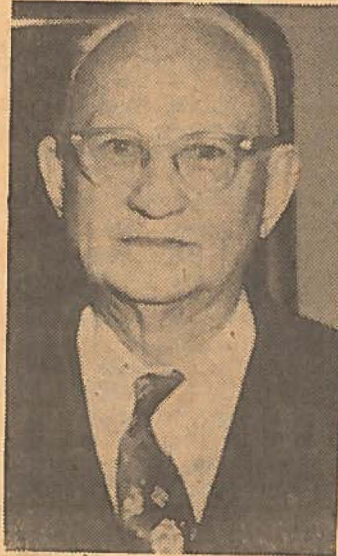
He was a member of the First Methodist Church, the Official Board and Board of Trustees of the Church, the Men's Club of the Church, Laurens Lodge F&AM for more than 50 years, past master of Laurens Masonic lodge, grand sword bearer of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York, Oneonta Rotary Club and the Board of Directors of the Wilber National Bank.

Surviving are two sons, D. Herman Peaslee of Orlando, Fla., and Dorance G. Peaslee of Albany; two daughters, Mrs. Harry LaCoe of Clark Summit, Pa., and Mrs. Robert Larkin of Nassau; 10 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the Bookhout Funeral Home at their convenience until 10:30 a.m. Tuesday.

The family will be in attendance from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday.

Masonic services will be conducted at 8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.



CEYLON W. PEASLEE

Mrs. Emily McWilliams

MORRIS—Mrs. Emily McWilliams, 53, of this village, died Tuesday in Fox Hospital, Oneonta.

Jan 21
Funeral will be at 2 p.m. Friday, January 24, in Morris Methodist Church. The Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor of that church, will officiate. Burial will be later in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

She was born Nov. 13, 1910, in Livingston Manor, daughter of John and Estella (Tuttle) Townsend. She was married to Ralph McWilliams in Laurens in 1929. She had been a resident of this place for 40 years.

She was a member of the Morris Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Joann Crumb, Morris, and Mrs. Esther Perry, Mount Vision; a son, Stephen of Morris; two brothers, David Townsend, Edmeston, and John Townsend, Dallas, Tex.; three sisters, Mrs. Jennie Musson, Gilbertsville, Mrs. Nellie Davis and Mrs. Glennie Howard, Edmeston; four grandchildren; two nephews and a niece.

The family will be in attendance from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Sloan's Funeral Home. Friends may call at their convenience after 1 p.m. Wednesday.



The Scranton District Ministerium has elected the following officers for the year '63-'64, l. to r.: Vice President, Russell Smith; Secretary-Treasurer, Edgar Brill; President, Richard James; and, Pianist, Harry Brooks.



Clarence Fletcher

Harry C. Woolhouse

ALBANY—Harry C. Woolhouse, 65, a former resident of Laurens, died Monday night in Albany.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Friday, January 17, in Albany.

Mr. Woolhouse was born in Laurens Aug. 4, 1898, a son of Emmett and Blanche (Russell) Woolhouse. He married Mildred Warner of Altamont in 1925.

Mr. Woolhouse was employed by the D&H Railroad in Oneonta and by Sterling Winthrop in Albany.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Albany.

Surviving are his wife; one son, Harry Jr., of Strongsville, Ohio; a brother, Guy Woolhouse, and a sister, Miss Maude Woolhouse, both of Laurens.

H. E. Tillson, Ex-Official, Dead at 76

GARRATTSVILLE — Howard E. Tillson, 76, former supervisor of the town of New Lisbon, died Jan. 14 at Fox Memorial Hospital in Oneonta after a long illness.

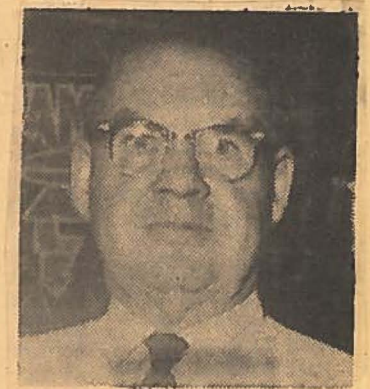
Funeral will be Friday at 2 p.m. at the Houk-Johnston Funeral Home, Edmeston, with Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor of the Garrattsville Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be at Hillington Cemetery, Morris, in the spring.

He was born Oct. 20, 1887 in the town of Morris, the son of Sydney and Sarah (Card) Tillson. He married Sarah Belle Morse Dec. 1, 1910. She died Dec. 4, 1956.

He had served as supervisor of the Town of New Lisbon for 14 years and was chairman one year of the Otsego Board of Supervisors. He was a mail carrier on the star route for 16 years. He was a member of the Garrattsville Methodist Church and Tianderah Lodge, F&AM of Morris.

He is survived by his sister, Mrs. Nelson Naylor of Unadilla and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9.



Clyde Salisbury

Jackie Says Thanks

WASHINGTON (AP) — Mrs. John F. Kennedy gave an emotional personal thank-you broadcast Tuesday for nearly 800,000 messages she said have been a source of comfort since the assassination of her husband.

"The knowledge of the affection in which my husband was held by all of you sustained me, and the warmth of these tributes is something I shall never forget," she said in a statement broadcast live nationwide on television and radio.

In a low voice, scarcely audible to those around her, Mrs. Kennedy said it is her greatest wish to acknowledge all of the letters sent her, even though "it will take a long time to do so."

Tears welled in her eyes and her voice showed emotion when she said she reads the letters "whenever I can bear to," and referring to her late husband, murmured:

"All his bright light gone from the world."

"All of you who have written to me know how much we all loved him and that he returned that love in full measure," she said.



MRS. JOHN KENNEDY
Personal Thanks

It was the first formal public statement by the 34-year-old former first lady since the death of her husband.

She looked well, wore pale lipstick and appeared tanned. She

smiled and chatted as technicians prepared for her appearance.

Mrs. Kennedy, who plans to observe a full year of mourning, wore a simple black dress, with hip-length jacket with three-quarter sleeves. Her only jewelry was two rings, both given to her by her husband.

It took her less than two minutes to deliver the 269-word statement. She sat in a big tan leather armchair before a blazing fireplace in the office of her brother-in-law, Atty. Gen. Robert F. Kennedy, and held her hands tightly together in her lap as she spoke.

The late president's two brothers, Robert and Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., sat on a red couch nearby.

Mrs. Kennedy said: "Each and every message is to be treasured not only for my children but so that future generations will know how much our country and people in other nations thought of him".

She said thanks on behalf of her children and the president's family "for all the comfort your letters brought to us all."



BILL MUNSON, JR.

He works for and "Helps Mind The Store" of a prominent Fuel Oil Dealer in Oneonta's East End!

The Dealer The Mystery Man works for sells Mobil Fuel Oil, M. A. Hanna Coal, Iron Fireman Heating Equipment.

The Dealer maintains 2-way radio communication between all company trucks and the main office.



PRESIDENT LYNDON JOHNSON
Some old, some borrowed, some new



Miss Hess

MORRIS — The engagement of Geraldine Carole Hess, 276 State Street, Albany, to William Cameron Mitchell, has been announced by the future bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hess, 8 Church St., Morris.

Mr. Mitchell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Mitchell, 1404 Evergreen Ave., Schenectady.

Miss Hess was graduated in 1960 from Morris Central School and in 1961 from Mildred Elley Secretarial School. She is employed at the Motor Vehicle Office, Albany.

Her fiancé attended Draper Central School, Schenectady, and works at Sunset Auto Electric in Rensselaer.

The wedding is planned for February 8.



WILLIAM A. DAVIS



THOMAS E. TALBOT

Two Morris Airmen to Take Courses

LACKLAND AFB, Tex. — Two Morris, N. Y., men have been selected to attend technical training courses following completion of United States Air Force basic military training here.

They are Airman Thomas E. Talbot, son of Mr. and Mrs. for their better over-all national, and Airman William A. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley C. Davis of Star Route.

Airman Talbot will remain here to attend a course for air policemen.

Airman Davis will attend a course for administrative specialists at Amarillo AFB, Tex.

The airmen are 1963 graduates of Morris Central High School.

Howard Whitman

MORRIS — Howard Whitman, 51, of Morris died January 10 at his home after a long illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at his home, with the Rev. William Matthers, rector of Zion Episcopal Church, officiating. Burial will be later in Hillington Cemetery.

Mr. Whitman was born July 2, 1912 in Morris, son of George and Josephine (Briest) Whitman.

He was a member of Zion Church.

He is survived by a brother, Charles, of Sidney.

Funeral arrangements are by Sloan Funeral Home.

Talbot Makes it Official

COOPERSTOWN — Official announcement Wednesday by Otsego County Assemblyman Paul Talbot that he will not seek reelection brought quick response from at least two potential candidates for that office.

Mr. Talbot, in a letter dated yesterday, announced to the Otsego County Republican Committee that he is not in any way to be considered a candidate for reelection to the office he has held for the past 20 years.

Mr. Talbot, a resident of Burlington Flats, will vacate his seat at the end of 1964.

Morris Town Supervisor Guy E. Rathbun and Cooperstown attorney Scott E. Greene, immediately announced their candidacies for the nomination and asked the County Committee for its support.

Mr. Rathbun is a former chairman of the County Board of Supervisors and is now serving his eighth consecutive term on the board.

He is a lifelong resident of Otsego County and a native of the Town of Springfield. He attended Cooperstown Schools and is a graduate of the Railroad School of Business.

Mr. Rathbun moved to the Town of Morris in 1934 and since that time has been associated with Manor House Farms.

He was appointed to the Town Board in 1943 and served as a justice of the peace until 1949 when he was elected to the county board.

During his tenure on the board, Mr. Rathbun has served on all committees and has been chairman of all major committees.

Mr. Rathbun has been active in Boy Scout work and is a charter member and past president of the Morris Rotary Club, a member of the Oneonta Elks Club and the Morris Methodist Church.

LOST TO TALBOT

Mr. Greene sought the nomination for assemblyman two years ago but was defeated by Mr. Talbot. He then withdrew his name and moved for unanimous endorsement of Mr. Talbot.

A veteran of World War II, Mr. Greene served in the Pacific Theater where he received the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star.

He has practiced law in Cooperstown since his graduation from Albany Law School.

Mr. Greene has served as president of the Chamber of Commerce, post and district commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, has been active in Civil Defense work and has served on the Boy Scout and Red Cross executive boards.

He is presently on the board of trustees of the Presbyterian Church and the grange executive committee.

Mr. Greene is a member of the Otsego County, New York State and American Bar Associations, Elks Lodge, Masonic Lodge, Rotary Club, American Legion and National Republican Club.



SCOTT E. GREENE



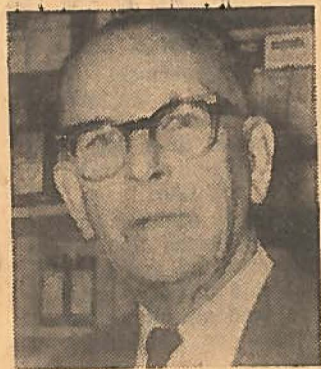
GUY E. RATHBUN

He has served as assistant district attorney.

Richfield Town Supervisor Burrill W. House announced his candidacy for the nomination last month.

The GOP County Committee will meet in the spring prior to the primary election.

A spokesman for the committee said the date of the committee meeting will be designated as soon as the primary date is set by the legislature.



Hunter Reid
Pharmacist

Fourth in Race

Petersen Seeks Assembly Post



KENNETH PETERSEN
Hat's in the Ring



Miss Howe

MERCHANTVILLE, N. J. — The Rev. and Mrs. George S. Howe, 36 West Maple Ave., have announced the engagement of their daughter Nancy Georita, to Robert Lane Fenstermacher, 319 Richmond Ave., Scranton, Pa.

Mr. Fenstermacher is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter John Fenstermacher.

Miss Howe is a senior at Drew University, Madison, N.J. where she is an academic assistant in the Sociology Department.

Her fiance is a graduate of Drew University and is now attending the Pennsylvania State University where he holds a graduate teaching assistantship in the Department of Physics.

A summer wedding is planned.

Kenneth Petersen, West Laurens farmer, yesterday entered the race for the Republican nomination for member of Assembly to succeed Paul L. Talbot, Burlington Flats farmer, who is retiring at the end of this year after 20 years in office.

In a letter sent to all members of the Republican County Committee, Mr. Petersen solicited their support and listed his qualifications and background for the consideration of the committeemen and voters.

A resident of the county since 1912, Mr. Petersen operates the Petersen farms at West Laurens, which he has operated as a family enterprise since 1943. Prior to that he had operated a successful wholesale jobbing business from 1933 to 1943.

For many years Mr. Petersen has been active in farm organizations. He served eight consecutive terms as president of Otsego County Farm Bureau, retiring from that office last fall.

During his Farm Bureau career, Mr. Petersen specialized in legislative matters on both a state and national level. He served on several state and county committees and during 1961 and 1962 was a member of the state organizational committee; three times during the past decade he was a member of the state policy development committee.

For the past three years, Mr. Petersen has served on the advisory committee to the State Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets relative to animal diseases in connection with the Bureau of Animal Industry.

A lifelong member of the Republican Party, Mr. Petersen has served for the past two years as chairman of Rural Citizens Committee for the Republican Party in Otsego County.

His wife is the former Mary Ives of Allegany County, whom he married in 1933.

Three other aspirants have already sought the GOP Committee endorsement: Supervisor Burrill House of the Town of Richfield; Supervisor Guy Rathbun of the Town of Morris, and Attorney Scott E. Greene of Cooperstown — who withdrew from the race two years ago — had previously announced their candidacies.

Ray W. Nearing

Ray W. Nearing, 65, of Milford died Friday, Jan. 31, in Bassett Hospital in Cooperstown where he had been a patient for two days.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 3, at the Bookhout Funeral Home in Oneonta with the Rev. Richard P. Weld, pastor of the Cooperstown and Milford Methodist Churches, officiating.

The body will be placed in the funeral home vault for later burial in Milford Cemetery.

Mr. Nearing was born Nov. 28, 1898, in New Lisbon, a son of George and Nellie (Bemis) Nearing. He married Dorothy Spoor June 20, 1925 in East Chatham.

Mr. Nearing had been employed as janitor at Milford Central School until his retirement three years ago. He had lived in Milford since 1948, previously in New Lisbon.

Surviving are his wife; one son, George of Morrisville; two daughters, Lois Nearing of Washington, D.C., and Mrs. Donald Reed Jr. of Cooperstown; seven grandchildren.

Friends may call at the funeral home at their convenience until service time.

Arthur Howard

MORRIS — Arthur Howard, 76, of this village, died unexpectedly Thursday February 6 in his home.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday February 9, in Sloan's Funeral Home, Morris, with the Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor of the Morris Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial will be later in Plains Cemetery, Oneonta.

Mr. Howard was born Feb. 21, 1887, in Delaware County, son of George and Eva (Pren-tis) Howard.

He married Lila Elliott. Mr. Howard had lived in Morris for 17 years, where he was retired.

He is survived by a son, Charles Howard, Fulton; seven grandchildren, including James Valentine, West Oneonta; 32 great-grandchildren and a son-in-law, Sidney Peterman, Seneca Falls.

Friends may call at the funeral home at their convenience after 7 p.m. Friday.

Family will be in attendance from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday.

The Family of Emily McWilliams wishes to thank everyone for the thoughtfulness, flowers and prayers during their time of bereavement.

The Pastor sends thanks to all 3 Parishes for the many greetings and kind remembrances at his 50th Birthday last Sunday.
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Miss Palmer

Miss Palmer To Wed

MORRIS — The engagement of Sharon Jane Palmer to Charles J. Bosco has been announced by the future bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy B. Palmer.

Mr. Bosco is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bosco, Schenectady.

Miss Palmer was graduated from Morris Central School. She is presently a senior at Hudson Valley Community College, Troy, where she is a member of the Delta Epsilon sorority.

Her fiance was graduated from Mont Pleasant High School and served in the Army. He is also a senior at Hudson Valley Community College. He is a member of Theta Gamma fraternity.

A summer wedding is planned.



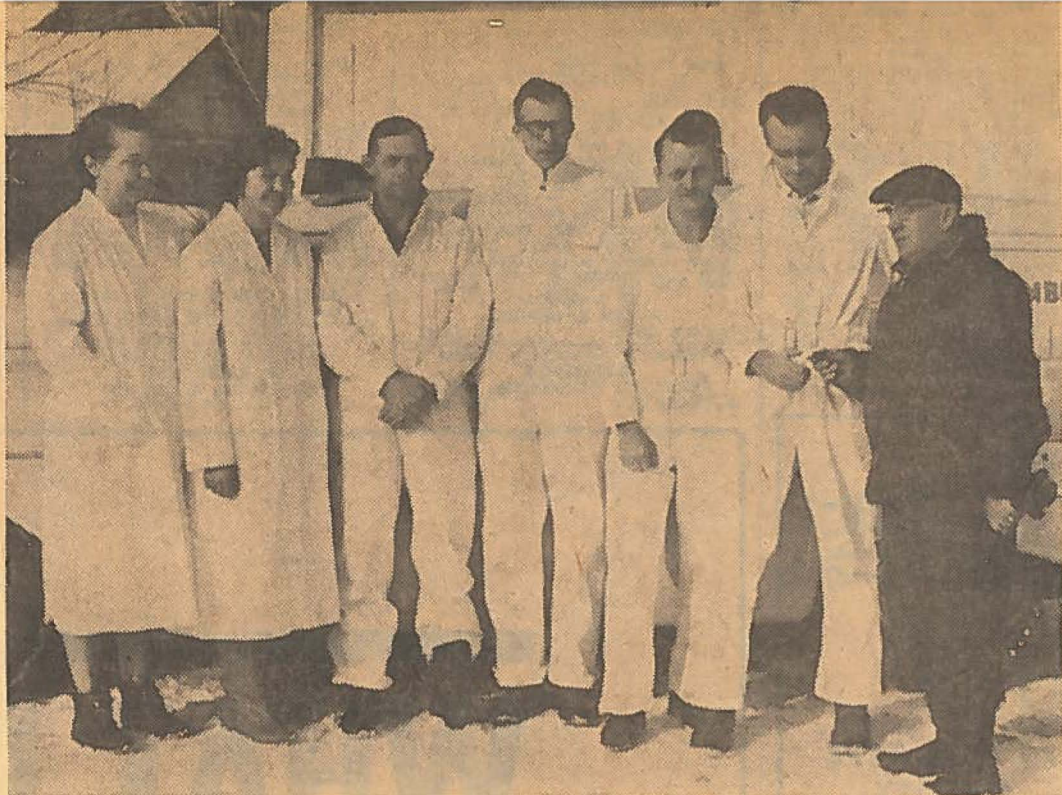
Miss Arnold

ORLANDO, Fla. — A May 24 wedding is planned by Bonnie Sue Arnold and Joseph W. Jones. Their engagement was announced by Miss Arnold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie S. Arnold, Orlando, formerly of Morris, N.Y.

Mr. Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Jones, Orlando.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Boone High School and Woody's Hair Styling Institute.

Mr. Jones, formerly of Indianapolis, Ind., is a graduate of Ben Davis High School.



READY FOR EMERGENCIES — The new community owned ambulance in Morris is now officially in the hands of the Emergency Squad as Mayor George Mansfield (right) turns the keys over to William Pickens, squad captain. Charter members (l-r) are Edna Pickens, Sophie Dixson, Ervin Rendo, Sidney Pickens, James Cook, Captain Pickens and Mayor Mansfield. (Stafford Photo)

Morris Squad Prepared For All Emergencies

MORRIS — Mayor George Mansfield of the Village of Morris has officially turned over the keys of the community owned ambulance to William Pickens, captain of the newly formed emergency squad.

The Morris Emergency Squad was formed in October, 1963, as

a company of the Morris Fire Department with seven members. To date it has traveled 620 miles and answered 11 calls which represents 50 man hours.

To avail oneself of the services of the squad, for which there is no charge, call the operator, state the nature of the emergency, location and name, Captain Pickens said.

The squad sponsored a Red Cross first aid 16 week training course which was completed December 21. The entire squad is available for first aid demonstrations for any civic group.

Officers of the squad, in addition to Captain Pickens, are James Cook, first lieutenant; Ervin Rendo, second lieutenant; Sophie Dixson, secretary-treasurer. Among the charter members is LeRoy Sherwood.

Q. Why was Jack Webb, in charge of TV at Warner Brothers, fired and replaced by Jack Warner's son-in-law, Bill Orr? — V. Fleming, Burbank, Calif.

A. Warner, an extremely difficult man to work for, was dissatisfied with Webb's record. Warner Brothers is a studio with a long history of nepotism.



CHOIRS HONORED

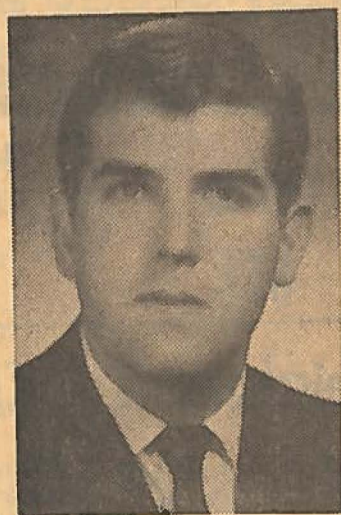
Fifty members and leaders of the Senior and Youth Choirs of the Morris Methodist Church were entertained at an appreciation banquet supper at the Church on Thursday evening, Apr. 9. Mrs. Leon Wayand was in charge of the dinner. Mrs. Howard Sheldon made appropriate decorations.

Morris

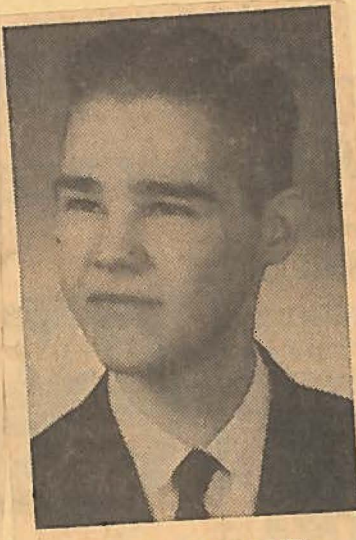
Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Littlewood, entertained at a family party Sunday to honor her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fields Miller, Otego on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Morris Notes

Rose Wright—Phone 52-F-21 Mrs. William Wells Jr., and three children from Missoula, Mont., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Littlewood. Mr. Wells is driving through, and will be here later.



JOHN WHITMAN



ALLAN KOTMEL

EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

During the last two academic years, I have acted as a counsel to the students of Ithaca College. From this experience, I know that the reason so many college students fail is that they are not enthusiastically interested in going to college at all, or in the particular courses they are pursuing. This story illustrates the point.

A friend asked John why he came to college. "You're not studying," he said.

"Well," said John, "I don't know exactly. My mother said it is to help me to become president of the United States; Uncle Bill said it's to sow my wild oats; my young brother said it's to get me out of his hair so he can have his room to himself; Sister says it's to bring home a chum for her to marry; and Dad said it's to bankrupt the whole darn family!"

KOENIG ANNOUNCES FOR ASSEMBLY RACE

O. Charles Koenig, 39, manager of the Empire Livestock Marketing Cooperative in Oneonta West End, announced last week that he would enter the Republican primary, to run for State Assembly against the endorsed candidate, Scott E. Greene, Coopenstown attorney.

This is to fill the post being vacated this year by Assemblyman Paul L. Tallbot of Burlington Flats.

Gingerbread, Cards Enjoyed

Members and guests of the Oneonta Woman's Club enjoyed a dessert card party Wednesday afternoon in the club rooms. Members of the Executive Committee served gingerbread and whipped cream to over 40 members and their guests as they arrived.

After dessert, bridge, canasta and pinochle games were enjoyed in the upstairs room of the club.

Working with the Executive Committee were Mrs. Marvin Hatcher, Mrs. John Groesbeck and Miss Ann Marie Croll.

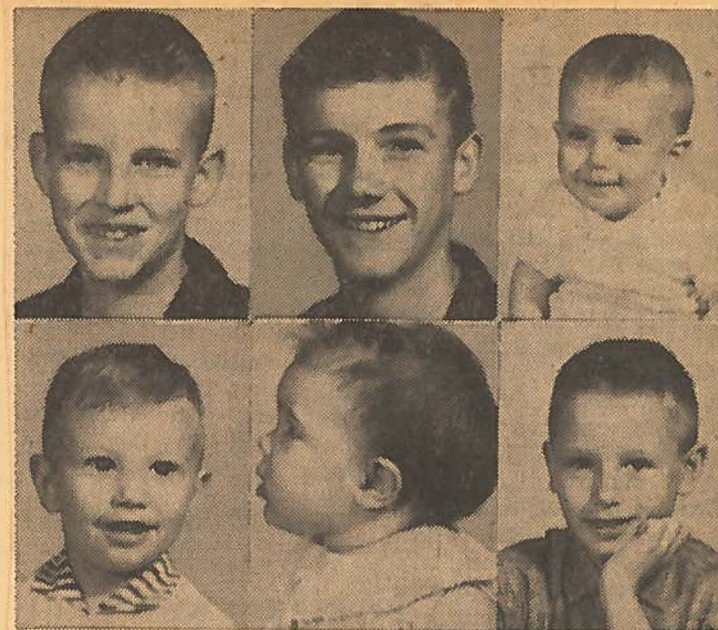
Mrs. Russell Winne was committee chairman for card party arrangements. Assisting her were Mrs. Clarence Preston, Mrs. Danforth Bolton, Mrs. Sterling Harrington, Mrs. Lloyd Baker, Mrs. Everett Sargent and Mrs. Marshall Hutchinson.

Members of the Executive Committee are Mrs. E. Lester Townsend, Mrs. Arthur Brundage, Mrs. Robert Johnson, Mrs. W. Clyde Wright, Mrs. Burton Hulbert, Mrs. Harry L. Martin, Mrs. Harold Hunt, Mrs. Everett Waugh, Mrs. Carl Spear and Mrs. Traver Sanly.

Next week, "Woman's Club members will meet with the DAR for a program on "Indians of New York State". Mrs. Alban Hoopes will be guest speaker.



TEA PLEASE — Mrs. Harold Hunt, (R), pours tea for Mrs. Harold Benjamin at this week's Woman's Club meeting. (Star Staff Photo)



The handsome young men at top left and center and sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Wheeler of South New Berlin. They are M. James, 11 and Paul, 15. The little charmer on the right is 10 months old Robert. He lives at South New Berlin, R.D., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gould.

At lower left, and smiling broadly, is young Dale Kenneth, aged 2. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Figger, Jr., of R. D. 1, South New Berlin. In the center, and turning her very best profile, is Donna Jean, 9 months, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stratton. Thoughtfully considering the situation, on the right, is Albert, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Peet. Both the Strattons and the Peets are from South New Berlin.



Have you ever seen a cuter group of cherubs? And they are all from Morris. On the left is Robert Dale (Bobby), who is just 7 weeks old. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vaun. In the center is little Rebecca Lynne, 4 weeks. She is the daughter of the Robert G. Elliotts. The winsome little miss on the right is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Parker. Her name is Michele Louise, and she is 9 months old.

At lower left, and the grown up of this group, is Janaane, 4, daughter of the George Harringtons. The little miss with the lovely blonde hair, center, is Traci, 2. Her mom and dad are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoag. On the right, and cute as a bug's ear, is 6 months old Deborah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Decker, III.

Community Honors Area Doctors



Honored guests at the public reception in Morris Saturday night were Mrs. Joseph Phelps and Dr. Phelps of Edmeston, Mrs. Paul von Haeseler and Dr. von Haeseler of Gilbertsville and Mrs. Raphael Cilento and Dr. Cilento, recently arrived physician in Morris.

MRS. FRANCES C. COYLE

Mrs. Frances Carey Coyle, 70, of Morris, died Jan. 30, 1964 in Fox Hospital, Oneonta, a few hours after admittance.

Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 3 at 2 p. m. in the Sloan Funeral Home, Morris, with the Rev. William J. Matthers, rector of Zion Episcopal Church, officiating. Burial will be later in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mrs. Coyle was born Sept. 18, 1893 in Morris, daughter of Norman and Ella (Poumitier) Carey. She married Frank Coyle Sept. 25, 1913 in Gilbertsville. Mrs. Coyle was a member of Zion Episcopal Church and had lived all her life in Morris. She leaves no near surviving relatives.

Mrs. Edith Wright of Milford Center, a friend who had made her home with the Coyles many years ago, was called at the time Mrs. Coyle was admitted to the hospital.

Fresh Air Fund Backer

Cooperstown Captain Given New Command

By IRENE MOZOLEWSKI
Star Staff Writer

NEW YORK (Special to The Star) — "Your neighbor is to be again congratulated, this time on his new appointment," it was stated in a letter received Tuesday from the American Export Lines in New York City.

The letter referred to Captain Edward B. Ellis, of Cooperstown, who has been named to command the American Export and Isbrandtsen Lines' cruise liner S. S. Atlantic.

Capt. Ellis' reputation in helping children is well known in the area. His pet project is ardently to support the Herald Tribune Fresh Air Fund and the money he raised during the past decade in contributions by officers, crew members and passengers to help needy children spend their vacations in the country has run into thousands of dollars.

Since the Fund underwrites all the expenses connected with sending the children, his help is very much appreciated by the Fresh Air authorities. Last year, Capt. Ellis invited his passengers and crew to contribute their "left over" foreign currencies as they sailed from each port abroad.

Turkish lira, Italian, Egyptian and other currencies were placed in hands of the ship's purser for safekeeping and were later exchanged for United States money and presented to the Fresh Air Fund in New York City to finance additional vacations for underprivileged city youngsters.

CAPT ELLIS is eligible for the Medal of Liberated France for service with the Free French in Algeria. He was decorated in Beirut in 1955 with the Gold Medal of Lebanon for services to that republic. He also received a Letter of Commendation from the U.S. Navy for participation in the Atomic Bomb tests at Bikini in 1946, and in October of 1956, was commended by the U. S. State Dept. for evacuation of Americans at Alexandria, Egypt, on the Exochorda during the Suez Canal crisis.

A native of Sidney, Ohio, he was raised in Walpole, Mass., where he graduated from the local high school. For a number of years Capt. Ellis owned a dairy farm at Schenevus, where he lived with his wife,



CAPT. EDWARD B. ELLIS
New Command

Dorothy. The couple raised their three children on that farm.

While living on the farm, he was a member of Schenevus Valley Grange, and currently he and Mrs. Ellis are members of the Pierstown Grange. Whenever in Otsego County on vacation, Capt. Ellis actively participates in all grange affairs. He is also a member of the Grange Marine Society of the City of New York and of the R. L. Hague Post 1242, American Legion.

A mariner for 40 years, Capt. Ellis graduated in 1942 from the Massachusetts Maritime Academy schoolship Nantucket.

He sailed for two years as third officer on ships plying between San Francisco and Northern Europe, then joined American Export Lines as a third officer.

When the pre-war combination passenger-cargo Excalibur entered New York Mediterranean service in 1930, and for the following four years, he was assigned as first officer. He was chief officer of that vessel from 1934 to 1937.

IN 1950, Capt. Ellis was appointed master of the postwar passenger-cargo liner Exochorda and served in that capacity until 1958 when he was assigned to command its sistership Excalibur, the post he retained un-

til his new appointment to the Atlantic.

Capt. Ellis entered the U.S. Naval Reserve as a lieutenant in January 1941 and in 1945 had advanced to captain, a rank he actively held until the end of 1946.

He retired as a reserve officer in 1960 after 32 years of service. He was with the Eighth Amphibious Force in the Mediterranean and Service Force, Seventh Fleet in the South Pacific, as executive officer and navigator of USS Procyon (AKA 2) and as commander of USS Acubens (AKS 5) and USS Catron (APA 71). He also participated in amphibious landings at Fedala, North Africa; Sicily, Salerno, and supported landings in the Philippines and Borneo.

The Ellis' only daughter is Mrs. Peter Huntington of Westford, a well-known dairy farmer. The couple has two children.

Their two sons are John Ellis, assistant manager of H. P. Hood at Branford, Conn., who has three children, and William Ellis, a representative of State Farm Insurance, who with his wife and two children resides in Oneonta.

Mrs. Ellis, who did not know of the captain's newest appointment, said that she expects him home in Cooperstown, in about two weeks, and "then I will offer him my congratulations."

THURSDAY, JAN. 23, 1964

Stafford-Cameron
Wedding Vows
Given In Morris

Miss Carol Ann Stafford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stafford of Morris, became the bride of Percy H. Cameron, of Syracuse, son of Mrs. Miles Cameron of Massena and the late Mr. Cameron on Jan. 4. The Rev. Donald Whitehurst performed the double ring ceremony in the First Baptist Church, Morris.

Mrs. Scott Gage was the organist and accompanied Mrs. Kenraid Shields, soloist.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, chose a long gown of white peau de soie, embroidered with seed pearls. The skirt featured a bustle ending in a long train. Her shoulder length veil of illusion was attached to a crown of seed pearls and she carried a cascade bouquet of red and white sweetheart roses.

Mrs. Albert Gunther, Jr., was matron of honor for her sister and was attired in a red velvet gown with a sabrina neckline and bell shaped skirt. She wore a crown of pearls and circular veil and carried a bouquet of white pompons and carnations with red streamers.

The bridesmaids, Miss Marilyn Andrews of Morris and Miss Marion Tennant of Oswego were similarly attired like the matron of honor in blue velvet. Kimberly Page was the flower girl and Mark Page was the ring bearer.

Allen Cameron of Massena acted as best man for his brother and the guests were ushered by Robert McIntyre and Henry Kirch of Syracuse.

Following a reception in the church, a buffet luncheon was served in the home of the bride's parents for 50 guests, featuring a four tiered wedding cake.

The bride was a graduate of Morris Central School and in 1963 was graduated from Central City Business Institute in Syracuse. Mr. Cameron was graduated from Massena Central School and from Canton Agricultural and Technical Institute in 1961.

After a wedding trip, the couple is at home in Syracuse, where the groom is employed by the Internal Revenue Service.

Artie J. Owen

GARRATTSVILLE — Artie J. Owen, 16, died accidentally on March 21, in a car crash on Route 80 in West Burlington.

Private funeral services will be conducted Tuesday from Houk-Johnston funeral home, Edmeston, with Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor of the Garrattsville Methodist church, officiating.

Burial will be later in Edmeston Union Cemetery.

He was born September 19, 1947 at New Berlin, a son of Arthur D. Owen and Virginia (McCagg) Owen. He had attended Morris Central school until last year and since that time has been engaged in farming with his father.

He attended the Garrattsville Methodist church.

Survivors include his parents; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Lula Owen of Garrattsville; the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Bessie McCagg of Poughkeepsie; one sister, Mrs. Barbara Winters, Garrattsville.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 2-4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday.

MORRIS SENIORS
ACCEPTED FOR COLLEGE

Several members of the Senior class of Morris Central School have received notification of acceptance from various colleges where they have applied for entrance. To date the following students have been accepted at the colleges indicated:

Carleton Deming, S.U.C. Oneonta, Liberal Arts; Margaret Nacken, Hartwick College, Liberal Arts; Mary Walter, Hartwick College, Nursing; Donna Blevins, S.U.C. Potsdam, Mathematics; Warren Ryther, Ithaca College, Lycoming (Pa.) College, Liberal Arts; Richard George, Morrisville A. & T., Agriculture; Eileen Dodge, Utica School of Beauty Culture; Linda Saunders, Harpur College, Liberal Arts; Barbara Knapp, Hudson Valley Community College, Dental Hygiene; Paul Kogut, S.U.C. Fredonia, Speech.

Queen Elizabeth Bears Third Son

LONDON (AP)—A third son was born Tuesday night to Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip.

He immediately became third in line for the throne, behind Prince Charles, 15, and Prince Andrew, 4.

Princess Anne, 13, who had been third in the line of precedence, moved down to fourth.

"The queen was safely delivered of a son at 8:20 p.m. this evening," said a Bulletin from Buckingham Palace. "Her Majesty and the infant prince are both well."

This was signed by five physicians headed by Sir John Peel, 59, the surgeon gynecologist who has attended the birth of all the queen's children.

The baby's weight was not announced in the initial bulletin. There was speculation that he would be called James.

The queen is 37.

Her younger sister, Princess Margaret, is expecting a second child within the next month or two. A cousin, the Princess

Alexandra, gave birth to her first child Feb. 29. The Duchess of Kent, wife of another cousin, also is expecting.

The queen's baby, as yet unnamed, is the second child born to a reigning sovereign since Queen Victoria gave birth to Princess Beatrice in 1857. Prince Andrew, born in 1960, was the other.

The new prince was born in the Belgian Suite on the palace's ground floor. He was placed in a cream-painted cradle, trimmed with satin and lace, made originally for the queen's own birth and used for her other children.

Members of the palace household brought out champagne to toast the new arrival. A cheerful crowd of about 100 gathered outside the palace when news that the queen was in labor was announced.

Prince Philip telephoned the news to Queen Mother Elizabeth—now five times a grandmother—and to other members of the royal family. **Day, Feb. 10, 1964**

Sewer Plant Issue

Judge Loomis Seeks Re-election



JUDGE LOOMIS Cites experience

COOPERSTOWN — Frederick W. Loomis, Edmeston, Otsego County Judge and Family Court Judge, and a former judge of the Children's Court, has announced his candidacy for nomination for re-election to the offices he currently occupies.

In a letter dated Wednesday to the Otsego County Republican Committee, Judge Loomis said he served Otsego County as Judge for the past 12 years and "to me it has been a most interesting and challenging work."

The new family court was established September 1, 1962, and the new law has brought into the court nearly all of the wide range of family problems, Judge Loomis said.

"As of January 1, 1963, it has been necessary for me to give up my law practice and devote all of my time and effort to the work of the County and Family Courts.

"It seems to me that with the many family problems which now come before the court under the new law, experience is a most important requirement in the consideration of such important matters," he continued.

"The office comes up for election this year . . . I am again seeking the endorsement of the county committee for the GOP nomination and I earnestly hope that you may feel my experience and the manner in which I have conducted the office merits your support again this year."

Judge Loomis, 48, is a native of West Winfield. He was graduated from Oneonta High School in 1931; from Hartwick College in 1935, and from Albany Law School in June, 1938, and was admitted to the New York State Bar in September of the same year.

Funeral Notice

WIDGER — Mrs. Gladys A., 64 of Otego, March 12 in Fox Memorial Hospital, Oneonta. Funeral services will be at 3:30 p.m. Sunday March 15 in Bailey Funeral Home, Otego. Burial later in Evergreen Cemetery, Otego. Friends may call the funeral home at their convenience. The family will be in attendance after 7 p.m. Saturday.

He was admitted to practice in the US District Court in December, 1939.

Judge Loomis was married to Marjorie Baldwin of Oneonta in 1936; the couple have one son, 21.

In 1938 he started the practice of law as an associate in the office of County Judge Ulysses G. Welch of Edmeston, and in January 1941 he formed a law partnership with Judge Welch which was terminated by the Judge's death in 1953.

Then Judge Loomis created the law partnership with Richard E. Johnson of Edmeston on November 1, 1959, which continued until Dec. 31, 1962, when he became a full time Judge.

Judge Loomis served in the US Army in World War II, including 10 months spent in the Philippines.

He also served as District Attorney of Otsego County from January 1, 1947, to December 31, 1951, becoming County Judge on January 1, 1952, and continuing to the present.

He is a member of the Executive Committee of the New York State Bar Association and was re-elected to this unit last week.

Official Home: Morris

Ambassador of Pioneer Stock

MORRIS — Confirmation by the U.S. Senate as ambassador to the Congo of G. McMurtie Godley of Morris is expected within a few days following his appointment Friday by President Lyndon B. Johnson.

A veteran of the US Diplomatic Corps, Mr. Godley is a part time resident of this Otsego County community, having inherited in 1962 a home formerly owned here by his grandfather and grandmother, the late Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas VanVranken Franchot.

Appointed to the Diplomatic Service in March, 1941, the new ambassador was, at the time of his appointment, director of the Office of Central African Affairs for the Department of State, a post to which he was appointed on Sept. 2, 1962.

He has made Morris his official home for the past two years. However most of his time has been spent in Washington. During the past week Mr. Godley was one of a panel of authorities who discussed a "Look at Africa" at Hartwick College in Oneonta.

He left Morris Sunday afternoon for Washington and, at that time, indicated he expected to leave within the next few days for Leopoldville, capital of the former Belgian Colony.

There he will replace Edmund A. Gullion, the present ambassador, who is returning



C. McMURTIE GODLEY Confirmation Expected

to the United States for reassignment. Mr. Godley was deputy chief of mission at the US Embassy in Leopoldville in 1961-62.

He is descended from pioneer Otsego County stock, his mother's family having arrived in this county when Morris was still called Louisville. The Franchot family owned property in Morris early in its history.

Later the property passed out of the hands of the family un-

til, in this century, Nicholas Franchot returned to Morris to re-purchase the property for the family. Another name connected with his family that was familiar during the early days of New York State is Van Rensselaer.

He was born in New York City on August 23, 1917, a son of the late Frederick A. and Anne (Franchot) Godley. Both his parents are dead. Mr. Godley died several years ago and Mrs. Godley about 2½ years ago.

He was educated at the Hotchkiss School (1935); received an AB degree from Yale University in 1939, and studied at Chicago University 1939 and 1940. He served in the U.S. Naval Reserve 1939-1941, as an ensign, and served with the U.S. Marine Corps for 18 months.

He was appointed as officer unclassified, vice consul, secretary diplomatic service on March 20, 1941; to Marseille on March 27, 1941, and as third secretary at Bern on Dec. 12, 1941.

He became third secretary and Vice Consul at Brussels on Jan. 15, 1946, moved to second secretary and vice-consul Dec. 2, 1946, and became first secretary and consul at Paris in 1952.

During 1955 and 1956 the new ambassador served as counselor of Embassy Phnom Penh in Cambodia, moving from that post to one as Foreign Affairs officer, 1957; staff coordinator, 1960, counselor of embassy and consul, Leopoldville, 1961; counselor of embassy and consul general, Leopoldville, April 7, 1962, and director of the Office of Central African Affairs, September 2, 1962.

Mitchell-Hess Vows Said

MORRIS — Geraldine Carole Hess, 276 State St., Albany, was married February 8 to William Cameron Mitchell 3rd in the Holy Cross Catholic Church.

The Rev. Joseph H. Reger officiated at the ceremony. Mrs. J. W. Des Roches, Edmeston, was organist. Mr. Des Roches was soloist.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald N. Hess, 8 Church St.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Mitchell, 1404 Evergreen Ave., Schenectady.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of white delustered satin. The fitted bodice and A-line skirt were enhanced by a panel of scalloped re-embroidered chantilly lace. The skirt swept back to a chapel train that snapped into a butterfly bustle.

Her silk illusion fingertip veil fell from a peau de soie rose petal cap of lace and pearls.

She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations and ivy.

The bride's sister, Kathleen Ann Hess, was maid of honor. She was gowned in a dress of pink chiffon over taffeta with a matching lace jacket. She wore a tiara of pearls with a circular veil attached. A cascade bouquet of white and yellow pompons completed her ensemble.

Aunt of the bride, Mrs. Joseph Muehl, and the bride's cousin, Lorraine Muehl, both of Oneonta, were bridesmaids. They wore identical dresses of jade green lace over taffeta. Their circular veils were attached to a tiara of pearls. Each carried a cascade bouquet of white and yellow pompons.

Mr. Mitchell was best man for his son.

Brothers of the couple, Richard J. Hess, Morris, and James Mitchell, Schenectady, were ushers.

Eighty friends and relatives honored the couple at a reception in the Zion Episcopal Parish House. A buffet luncheon was served.



Mrs. William C. Mitchell III
(Jobmann Photo)

After a wedding trip to Florida, the newlywed will live at 276 State St., Albany.

Mrs. Mitchell is a 1960 graduate of Morris Central School. The following year she graduated from Mildred Elley Sec-

retarial School in Albany and presently is employed by the Albany Bureau of Motor Vehicles.

The bridegroom attended Draper School in Schenectady and is employed by Sunset Auto Electric in Rensselaer.



Miss Eileen Dodge
Valedictorian



Miss Mary Walter
Salutatorian

Morris Top Students Plan Nursing Careers

April 4, 1964

MORRIS—Heading the list of graduates from Morris Central School in this year's senior class are Eileen Dodge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge, Morris, valedictorian, and Mary Walter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walter, Garrattsville, salutatorian.

MISS DODGE'S three and a half year scholastic average is 91.91 per cent. She has been a member of the National Honor Society for three years, and is serving as president this year. Eileen has held various class offices. She was secretary of the ninth grade, vice president of the Sophomore Class, and served as president of the Junior Class.

Eileen has excelled in music, particularly in the school band, where she has played solo clarinet for three years. She was honored by being selected as a member of the All-State Band for two consecutive years. She has been a cheerleader for four years, captain of the varsity the last two. She also has been a member of the Girls' Athletic Association for four years.

Eileen attended the Saturday Seminar in Psychology at State

University College, Oneonta, this year.

Miss Dodge will study for a B.S. degree in nursing at the State University at Buffalo, starting next September.

MISS WALTER had a three and a half year scholastic average of 90.91 per cent. She has been a member of the National Honor Society for three years.

Mary has played flute in the school band for seven years and has sung in the school chorus for four years. She has been in the Library Club for four years. The last three years Mary has been a member of the Girls' Athletic Association and the Future Homemakers of America. She is historian of the latter club.

Miss Walter attended the Saturday Seminar at State University College in Oneonta this year. Recently Mary was honored by the Otsego County 4-H Club Department by being selected as one of three outstanding 4-H girls to attend the annual New York City Homemaking Award Trip.

Miss Walter will study for a B.S. degree in nursing at Hartwick College, Oneonta, starting next September.

Area Girl To Wed



Miss Matteson

WEST LAURENS — Mr. and Mrs. Keith Matteson have announced the engagement of their daughter, Joan Frances, to Allen R. Hanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hanson, Morris.

Miss Matteson is a 1960 graduate of Morris Central School and is presently a senior at State University College, Oneonta, majoring in elementary education. She is a member of Pi Delta Chi sorority.

Her fiance also graduated in 1960 from MCS and is now a senior at Clarkson College of Technology, Potsdam. He is majoring in electrical engineering and a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity.

Both plan to attend graduate school this fall.

A late summer wedding is planned.

EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

The minister arrived one afternoon to pay a call just as the members of the household were about to enjoy a glass of milk punch.

Forgetting for a moment the alcoholic content, the lady of the house graciously asked the minister if he would care to join them. He did, and drained the glass with relish. Then, smacking his lips, he said:

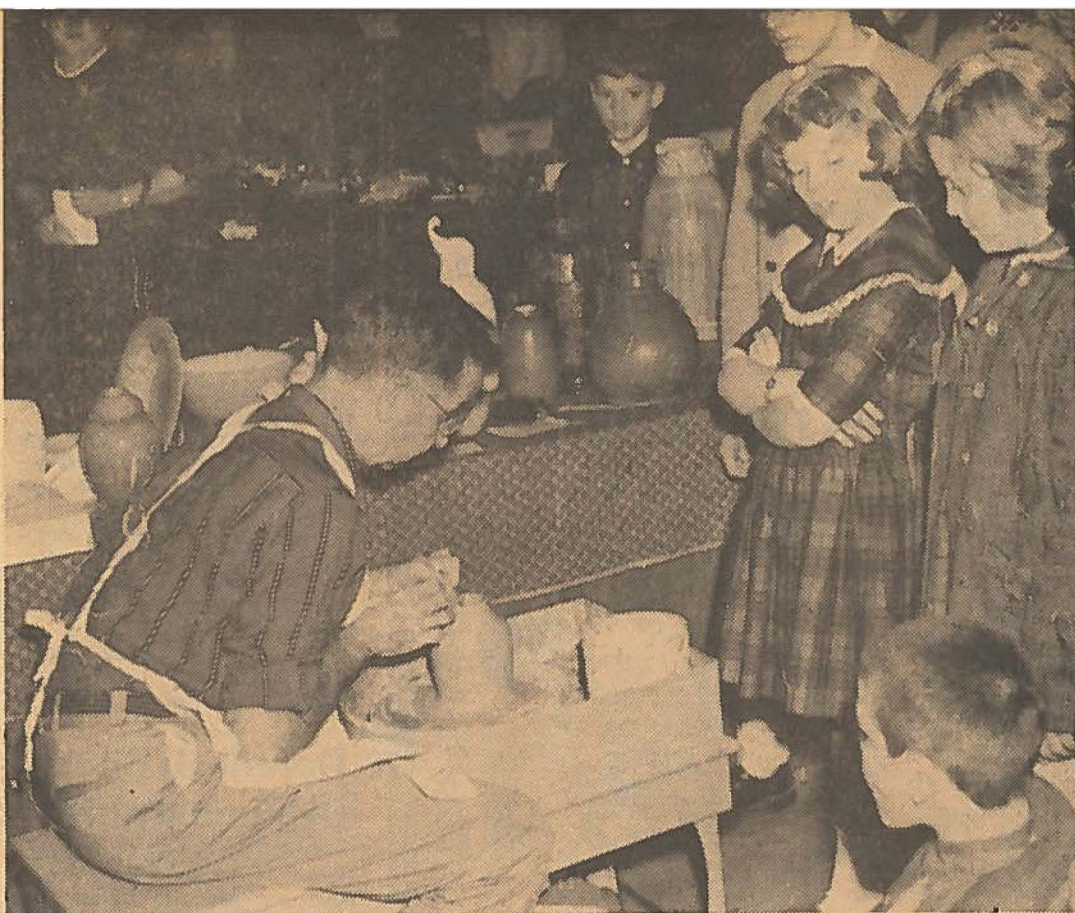
"Thank God for a cow like that."

American Agriculturist, May, 1964

MRS. SCOTT GAGE RECEIVES NOTE FROM ENGLAND'S QUEEN

Mrs. Scott Gage of Morris, who had a birthday April 11, wrote a congratulatory note to Queen Elizabeth of England, whose last baby was born April 10.

Last week Mrs. Gage received a reply from the Queen's Lady-in-Waiting, acknowledging the note and congratulating her on her birthday.



THE LIGHT TOUCH — The deft fingers and spinning potters' wheel of Lewis Light, Morris, drew the fascinated attention of many of the younger visitors to the Community Hobby Show Saturday and Sunday at Morris Central school. Mr. Light, who works at ceramics only as a hobby, created pottery pieces on the spot to augment his extensive exhibit. (Star Staff Photo)



Miss Coffyn

NEW BERLIN — Mr. and Mrs. Harold Card, Silver Lake, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Diane Marie Coffyn, to Pfc. Earl Leon Standard Jr.

Pfc. Standard is the son of Mrs. Eleanor Standard, 30-A Elm St., Norwich, and Earl Standard, 56 Rexford St., Norwich. He is in the Marine Corps.



Q. Can you tell me what Leslie Uggams is doing since Sing Along with Mitch is off the air? — Lawrence W. Scott, Washington, D. C.

A. She is working the night club circuit.

Herbert Grenz, Jr. To Wed Florida Girl

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Crump of Longwood, Fla., have announced the engagement of their daughter Ruth Ann, to Herbert C. Grenz, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Grenz of Morris.

The bride elect, formerly of Buffalo, N. Y., was graduated from Lyman High School, Longwood, Fla., and is presently employed as a legal secretary in Orlando, Fla.

Mr. Grenz was graduated from Morris Central School and attended State University College at Oneonta, and is presently in the Navy, stationed at Naval Air Station, Sanford, Fla.

A July wedding is planned.

LOUISVILLE GRANGE NEWS

A meeting of Louisville Grange, Morris, was held last Friday evening.

The S & H Committee sponsored a sewing and needlework contest with Mrs. Mabel Miller, Mrs. Beatrice Decker and Mrs. Ruby Pickens as judges.

Winners were Class A Sewing, Mrs. Florence Littlewood; Class B, Mary Walter; Class C, Mrs. Littlewood. There were 8 entries.

Needlework, Crocheting: Class A and B, Mrs. Frances Thurston. Knitting, Mrs. Josephine Pattof.

Mrs. Pearl Barton won a prize on the Mother's Day quiz.

A Memorial Day service will be held at the May 15 meeting.



William Pickens, captain of the Morris Emergency Squad, receives the loan of an emergency kit from Herbert B. Plantz, Oneonta, (r) chairman of First Aid for the Southern Otsego chapter of Red Cross. Watching (l-r) James Cook, first lieutenant of the Emergency Squad and Wilber M. Mauk, National Red Cross representative.



Miss Lutz

BLOOMVILLE — The engagement of Patricia A. Lutz to John Wassenaar has been announced by the future bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lutz.

Mr. Wassenaar is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Riner Wassenaar, RD, South New Berlin.

The bride-elect is a graduate of South Kortright Central School and Mildred Elley Secretarial School. She is presently employed at Stamford Medical Center as a secretary.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Morris Central School and Cornell University. He is presently engaged in farming.

No date has been set for the wedding.

MORRIS SCHOOL FACULTY WILL PRESENT PLAY

The faculty of the Morris Central School will present a three-act comedy, "Farewell, Farewell, Eugene" on Saturday April 18, at 8:15 p.m. in the school auditorium for the benefit of the George Preston Scholarship Fund.

Tickets may be purchased from any member of the faculty.

James S. Jones

WEST ONEONTA — James S. Jones, 48, of this hamlet, died Tuesday April 7 in Fox Hospital, Oneonta, after a short illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday April 10 in Morris Methodist Church, Morris. The Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor, will officiate.

Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Masonic services will be at 8 p.m. Thursday in the Bookhout Funeral Home, Oneonta.

Mr. Jones was born Sept. 9, 1915, in Schenevus, son of Stanley and Nettie (Wilson) Jones.

He married Mary Martin Oct. 3, 1936 in Hobart.

Mr. Jones was a lineman first class for the New York State Electric and Gas Corporation and had worked for the company for 23 years. He had lived in West Oneonta the past 20 years.

Mr. Jones was a veteran of World War Two and the Korean War and was a member of Oneonta American Legion Post and Laurens Masonic Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, a son, Stanley Jones, a daughter, Miss Deana Jones, all of West Oneonta; a brother, Robert Jones, 53 Richards Ave., Oneonta; three sisters, Mrs. Edith Asping, 3 Gault Ave., Oneonta; Mrs. Florence Dromsey, Johnson City; and Mrs. Catherine Jones, Dover, Del.; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the funeral home at their convenience from 3 p.m. Wednesday to 10 a.m. Friday.

Family will be in attendance from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday.

Correction

Inadvertently omitted from the list of survivors of James S. Jones in an obituary published Wednesday was the name of his mother, Mrs. Nettie Jones, 7 Bronk St., Oneonta.

Morris Red Cross Readies Fund Drive



Leaders in the Red Cross drive for funds which starts March 1 in Morris are (l-r) Mrs. Ray Nelson, fund chairman; Mrs. Ralph Hanson, Morris Red Cross chairman and Mrs. Raymond Card and Mr. Card, members of the Board.

MacArthur Boss in Japan

By MURLIN SPENCER

SEATTLE, Wash. (AP) — Gen. Douglas MacArthur turned in one of his finest performances in Tokyo Bay on Sept. 2, 1945.

The Navy had furnished a multimillion-dollar platform, the battleship Missouri. The green hills of Japan's bomb-shattered main island formed the backdrop. Japan provided the villains — reluctant leaders of its military and foreign services ordered to accept terms of surrender.

But MacArthur, at 65 a handsome, imposing figure, held the center of the interest for all of the nearly 30 minutes the program was under way. There were other figures on stage for brief moments, but it was MacArthur's show just as the war in the Southwest Pacific was generally considered in the public mind to have been MacArthur's war.

Certain things about this extraordinary man remain fresh in memory.

He was always every inch the general. Whether in khaki or in olive green; whether on a landing beach or at headquarters, he was always immaculate and he was always in charge.

But in that comparatively brief period aboard the Missouri he was at his spectacular best.

MacArthur knew the oriental mind and he did not attempt to move immediately into Tokyo, the capital of the conquered nation. Only a short time before, fanatics had attempted by murder to prevent the broad-



GEN. MacARTHUR
In Japan, 1949

casting of the Emperor's order to cease fighting.

MacArthur gave the city a time to cool a bit, and then moved quietly into the city with a small force from the 1st Cavalry Division. He went directly to the American embassy and there had the American flag raised for the first time.

MacArthur was there to stay. The occupation was not under way long before criticism arose from the United States and Australia. MacArthur had adopted a "soft policy" in handling the Japanese, his critics said.

Correspondents had wondered what his reaction would be when

the criticism started. All during the war there had been no criticism of MacArthur. His censors, all of whom showed an almost fanatical devotion to their commander, would not have permitted criticism if a correspondent had wanted to voice it.

The general showed he could take criticism and reply softly.

When censorship was lifted for Allied correspondents, and they were free to write what they pleased, there was little if any criticism leveled at the wartime acts of MacArthur. The barbs were tossed instead at his press relations officers.

MacArthur could be tough. The Japanese press, for many years a controlled press, went too far in their new-found freedom and began printing propaganda against the occupation forces.

MacArthur slapped them down with a tight censorship. He set up a code which emphasized truth in the news.

The Japanese had been used to stern treatment and MacArthur was stern. Their Emperor's cloak of divinity had been whisked from him, and some attempted to transfer it to MacArthur.

It was a sight worth seeing to watch the general's arrival at his headquarters building across the carp-filled moat from the Imperial Palace.

About 11 a.m. each day a black Cadillac driven by an Army sergeant pulled up to the curb. Japanese men and women would crowd the sidewalk, although leaving plenty of room

for MacArthur to pass. The car door would be opened, MacArthur would step out, walk through the crowd, salute the officer at the door and disappear into the building.

Emperor Hirohito never had done anything like this. But the Emperor got the idea and went calling. It was an unheard of thing for a Japanese Emperor to do and if there had been any doubting Japanese as to who was running Japan, that doubt was dispelled.

Peter Lorre, 59, Dies of Stroke

By JAMES BACON

AP Movie-Television Writer

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Peter Lorre, on screen a master of horror but off screen one of the most gentle and funniest of men, was found dead Monday of an apparent stroke.

The body of the 59-year-old Hungarian-born actor was found beside his bed by his housekeeper who came to clean his apartment. Lorre had suffered from high blood pressure for years.

In 1959 while making a movie in Spain, he almost died of high blood pressure but a Spanish doctor used the old fashioned remedy of blood-letting by leeches to bring down the pressure and save the actor's life.

Lorre's comic talents were last used by Jerry Lewis in "The Patsy," a picture just completed. He also had done "Muscle Beach Party" for the American-International Studios—the same studio for which he costarred with Boris Karloff and Vincent Price in "Comedy of Terrors."

He leaves his widow Anna Marie—his fourth wife — from whom he was separated. They had a daughter Kathryn, 10.

Lorre, along with Jimmy Cag-

ney and Jim Stewart, was a favorite target of night club mimics.

"I've been billed as the world's most imitated actor," Lorre once said. "And it's true. I'm easy to imitate. All you need are the soft-boiled egg eyes and the bedroom voice."

Lorre, one of the town's best story tellers, was a favorite on movie sets. On a Lorre picture, stars, electricians and bystanders would group around Lorre as he told of his escapades with Humphrey Bogart, Sidney Greenstreet and John Huston — the unholy four of Warner Bros. — who made the memorable, "The Maltese Falcon."

Lorre was born in Rosenberg, a remote Hungarian village, the son of a prosperous landowner, but grew up in Vienna.

About 1925, he met Director Fritz Lang, whose German film "M" made Lorre a star two years later. In it he played a psychopathic child killer.

For years afterward, Lorre was never able to escape the type casting of the psychopathic menace.

It was "The Maltese Falcon," that launched Lorre into the change-of-pace roles of comedy heavies—and he became a master of those, too.

He was one of the original members of Bogart's "Holmby Hills Rat Pack," a group of adult delinquents who met usually each night at the cocktail hour and broke up hours—or days—later.

The actor was gentle of speech, witty and exceptionally well-read.

Giants of literature—Hemingway, John O'Hara, Robert Benchley—were among his closest friends.

His death removed from Hollywood one of the last of a dwindling group of colorful characters that are not being replaced — John Barrymore, W.C. Fields, Bogart, Errol Flynn among others.

Mrs. Elsie Dixon

NORWICH — Elsie Rowe Dixon, 65, of 2 Liberty Street, Morris died at her home Saturday night.

Funeral services will be Tuesday at 2 in the Morris Baptist Church, Rev. Donald Whitehurst, pastor officiating.

Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery.

She was born in Butternuts Dec. 19, 1898 daughter of James and Dora (Ellsworth) Rowe. She was married to Earl Dixon, Feb. 19, 1921 in Mount Upton.

She has been a resident of Morris for 35 years. She attended Gilbertsville High and a teacher training class in Unadilla. She taught school for 10 years.

Surviving besides her husband are two daughters, Mrs. Douglas Tuttle of Peterborough, N.H. and Mrs. George Rathbun of Syracuse; three sisters, Mrs. Harry Wilson of Gilbertsville, Mrs. Harry Turner of South New Berlin and Mrs. Leon Dixon of Gilbertsville; three brothers, James of Gilbertsville, Benjamin and Harold both of New Berlin; eight grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the Robert J. Fahy Funeral Home in Norwich from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. today.



DENTIST — Dr. Robert Pondolino was graduated with honors from Georgetown Dental School June 8. He will be in practice in Oneonta with his father, Joseph Pondolino, and his uncle, Samuel Pondolino.

With Gene Brown



One of the reasons we sometimes back away from the word "research" is the jargon that research people use. It's like the story of the plumber who wrote to a government agency, and said that he had found that hydrochloric acid quickly opened drain pipes. And he asked if this was all right to use. A scientist at the agency replied that "the efficacy of hydrochloric acid is indisputable, but the corrosive residue is incompatible with metallic permanence."

The plumber wrote back, thanking him for assurance that hydrochloric acid was all right. Disturbed by this turn of affairs, the scientist showed the letter to his boss — another scientist — who then wrote to the plumber saying "we cannot assume responsibility for the production of toxic and noxious residue with hydrochloric acid and suggest you use an alternative procedure."

The plumber wrote back that he agreed that hydrochloric acid worked fine. Greatly disturbed by this misunderstanding, the scientist took their problem to the top boss. He cut out the research jargon and wrote to the plumber. "Don't use hydrochloric acid. It eats hell out of the pipes."



Lawrence Welk, 61, popular band leader, was hospitalized for a week in St. John's Hospital in Santa Monica, Calif., after abdominal surgery.

Loomis Denies Plea for Writ

By IRENE MOZOLEWSKI
Star Staff Writer

COOPERSTOWN — Otsego County Judge Frederick W. Loomis, Monday denied all of the motions contained in an application for a writ of error coram nobis, made by Stamford Attorney Elias H. Jacobs.

Mr. Jacobs made the application for Donald Larry Lamb, 28, and his brother Albert George Lamb, 23, both of Morris, presently in Auburn State Prison.

Both brothers were sentenced on October 15, 1962 to Attica State Prison, each for a term of not less than two-and-a-half and no more than five years. (Auburn receives inmates by transfer only.)

The Lamb brothers were each named in an indictment handed up by the June 1962 grand jury, each charging two counts of attempted first degree rape and six counts of second degree assault.

Both defendants had pleaded innocent, and following a one-day trial on September 12, the defendants pleaded guilty on September 13, 1962, to the fourth, fifth and sixth counts of the total of eight indictments.

The pleas of "guilty" as contained in the 4th, 5th and 6th counts were two, assault with dangerous weapons, and one, second degree assault.

CONCURRENT SENTENCES

In imposing the 2½ to five year terms of sentences to Attica, Judge Loomis ruled that the sentences are to run concurrently. Hartwick attorney Chester J. Winslow, Jr., represented the defendants.

Appearing Monday in County Court in Cooperstown, attorney Jacobs spoke briefly in support of the application for a writ of error coram nobis, requesting that the sentence of the defendant be reduced to the time already served; an order returning the defendants to Otsego County Court in support of the application, and for an order immediately releasing the defendants from confinement and custody.

Among several grounds offered in support of the application were one, "that their attorney informed them before they entered a plea of guilty to three counts of the indictment that if they discontinued the trial they would receive a suspended sentence.

Another point alleged that the defendants' rights have been invaded by the failure on the part of the court to fully investigate the previous character of the defendants . . . available to court by a separate probation report, which, it was claimed was not considered by the court . . . that the defendants were intoxicated at the time of the al-

leged acts with which they were charged and could not have known the nature or quality of their acts . . . that the Judge's remarks at the time of the sentence were highly prejudicial . . .

Denying the motions of the defendants for a writ of error coram nobis "in all respects," Judge Loomis stated in his decision "that the defendants certainly were not intoxicated on Sept. 13, 1962, when they stood up before the court and by their pleas of guilty admitted the commission of the crimes set forth in the fourth, fifth and sixth counts of the indictment."

As to the contention of the defendants that the judge's remarks were prejudicial, Judge Loomis had this to say:

ATTORNEY CRITICIZED

"A careful review of the brief remarks of the court at the time of the imposition of the sentence will indicate that there is no reasonable basis for any such contention . . . I would suggest to the attorney for the defendants that it might have been well for him to have carefully considered the remarks of the court as well as all of the other phases of this motion before permitting himself to be a party to the perjured depositions of these defendants on this proceeding and the wild, unfounded accusations therein contained."

As to the character of the defendants, Judge Loomis cited several convictions previous to 1962, including the crime of third degree assault by Donald Lamb on a 66-year old woman in 1958 disorderly conduct and malicious mischief by Albert Lamb in 1958, and others.

There was no indication at any time by the court that the defendants would receive a suspended sentence, Judge Loomis said, referring to another point in the application.

"Although the defendants attorney might have indicated the hope that they would receive a suspended sentence, there was no authority for him to make such a promise, and it is not contended that such promise was made by the court or by the District Attorney," Judge Loomis continued reading the procedural questions asked in open court when a plea of guilty is entered.

Attorney Jacobs followed Judge Loomis' decision with "exception, Your Honor."

Classmates Married

Ruth Althea Young Married

LAURENS — The marriage of Ruth Althea Young, 5 Eighth St., Oneonta, to James Mardon Brownell took place May 22 at the Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Louis Wagschal officiated. Mrs. Wagschal was organist.

The bride is the daughter of Arden F. Young, Laurens, and the late Mildred Young.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Brownell, Laurens.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of Angelmist taffeta. The lace bodice featured a scalloped neckline and long pointed sleeves. The neckline was accented with sequins.

Her fingertip veil fell from a queen's crown of pearls.

She carried a cascade of red roses with a corsage center.

Mrs. Richard Colliton, West Haverstraw, was matron of honor. She wore a blue sheath dress of lace over taffeta with a back feature of an organdy sheer bustle. She wore blue and white carnations and a wisp veil attached to a pearl crown.

Miss Jo-Ann Knott, RD 1, Oneonta, bridesmaid, wore a dress like that of the matron of honor's.

Susie Pope, niece of the bride, was junior bridesmaid. Her dress and flowers were identical to that of the matron of honor.

A/3C John W. Brownell, March AFB, California, was best man for his brother.

Ushers were Allen Jenner, Baldwinsville, brother-in-law of the groom, and Richard Colliton, West Haverstraw.

A reception was held in the Methodist Church Annex with 150 attending. Refreshments featured a six-tier cake made by Mrs. Robert Lull, West Laurens.



Mr. and Mrs. James M. Brownell
(Brindle Photo)

After a wedding trip to the Thousand Islands, Canada and the World's Fair, the newlyweds will live at 3½ Center St., Oneonta.

Mrs. Brownell is a 1963 graduate of Laurens Central School

and is employed at Sears Roebuck, Oneonta, in the credit department.

Her husband is also a '63 graduate of LCS. He is employed by Winney Hill Lumber Co., Oneonta.



THOMAS S. MURPHY, Treadwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Murphy, Delhi RD, is taking basic training at Fort Dix, N. J.



RALPH H. SCHMUCK, formerly of Garrattsville, has been appointed assistant western manager of the General Railway Signal Co. with offices in Chicago.

Lighter Side

With
Gene
Brown



Our Culinary Division:

A motorist stopped at a roadside snack bar and ordered coffee and a doughnut. A few moments after he had been served, he called to the owner who turned out to be a young woman and said, "I can tell you something about yourself. You have a small son who plays in the kitchen with a toy automobile."

"You're so right!" gasped the woman. "You must be a mind reader."

"Oh, no," said the motorist. "Just put me down as the fellow you served a toy tire for a chocolate doughnut."



HARRY E. BROOKS

Ex-Pastor To Preach In Milford

MILFORD — The Rev. Harry E. Brooks will preach in the 10:15 a.m. service at Milford Methodist Church, Sunday.

This is one of a series of services in a year - long observance of the 125th anniversary of the church's incorporation.

Mr. Brooks was pastor of the Milford and Westville Methodist Churches from 1922 to 1926. Other pastorates have included Afton, Bainbridge, Susquehanna, and Vestal.

He has served Wyoming Annual Conference as chairman, Board of Hospitals and Homes; and as president of its Homes for the Aging Corporation. He is now a member of the Board of Directors of the Conference Children's Home. He reported Annual Conference proceedings to the Christian Advocate for 35 years.

In the summers of 1961 and 1963, Mr. Brooks was on assignment to preaching missions in England, Ireland, France, and Germany. He and Mrs. Brooks now live in Scranton, Pa., where he is associate pastor of Elm Park Methodist Church. Their son, Howard, lives in Vestal; and their daughter, Ruth (Mrs. E. Dexter Chapin), in Baltimore.

Mr. Brooks will also conduct a special service at Westville Methodist Church at 11:45, replacing the regular 9 a.m. service. The Rev. Philip Pitcher will conduct the 11:30 service at Portlandville. Sunday Schools meet at Portlandville, 10:15, and at Milford, 11:15.



Miss Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Lewis, 51 Dietz St., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jo-Ann Porter, to Salvatore F. R. Fiscina, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fiscina, 93 Elizabeth St., Hornell.

Miss Lewis is a graduate of Oneonta High School and Vassar Bros. Hospital School of Nursing. She is doing graduate work at the University of Rochester.

Her fiance is a graduate of Harvard University and is presently attending medical school at the University of Rochester.

A June 27 wedding is planned in Oneonta.

Former Morris Girl Plans Fall Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Mayers, Jr. of Feura Bush Road, Delmar, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Loreen Elizabeth, to Martin D. Carver, son of Mrs. Frances E. Carver of Tampa, Florida.

Miss Loreen Mayers graduated from Morris Central School in 1959 and from Rosary Hill College in June of 1963, with a Bachelors Degree in Medical Record Librarianship. She served her internship at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston and is presently employed as Assistant Medical Record Librarian at the Nassau Community Hospital in Mineola, N. Y.

The prospective bridegroom attended the University of Tampa in Florida and is presently employed in the Department of Commerce, U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, and is stationed in Norfolk, Va. A Fall wedding is planned.



TOP MEN — Governor Munoz of Puerto Rico with the island's most distinguished modern visitor, the late President Kennedy.

Jesse A. Green

WEST ONEONTA — Jesse A. Green, 79, of West Oneonta, 40 years a painter; a former member of the old Company G Band and a 62-year member of West Laurens Grange, died Saturday, May 2, at Fox Hospital, where he had been a patient for two weeks.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 5, at the Bookhout Funeral Home with the Rev. Wilfred Lyon of Morris, pastor of West Laurens Community Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Cook Cemetery, West Oneonta.

Mr. Green was born Oct. 12, 1884, in the Town of Laurens, a son of Thaddeus A. and Harriet (Rous) Green. On Nov. 29, 1917, he married Elizabeth Calkins in Fulton.

He was a painter for 40 years. For a few years after his retirement in 1954 he was employed by the H. W. Naylor Company at Morris. He had spent his entire life in the Town of Laurens.

He was a member of the West Laurens Community Church; a 62-year member of West Laurens Grange and Pomona Grange and a long time member of the old Company G Band.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Harold G. (Betty) Caldine, Rome; two sons, Thaddeus A. Green of Buffalo and Byron J. Green, 51 Woodside Ave.; six grandchildren, Paul and Bruce Green, Buffalo; Stephen, David, Mark, and Kathleen Caldine, Rome; a 99-year-old uncle, Emory Green of Oneida Street, Oneonta; an aunt, Mrs. William C. Green of Christian Hill, Hartwick, and several cousins.

Friends may call at the funeral home at their convenience.

The family will be in attendance at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday.



Miss Faber

Jane Faber To Be Wed

GILBERTSVILLE — The engagement of Jane Faber to Robert A. Stearns, Gilbertsville, was announced by Miss Faber's parents at a family party recently. Miss Faber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Faber, 4 Maple St., is planning a December wedding.

Miss Faber graduated this month from the University of Rochester.

Mr. Stearns attended Pennsylvania Military College and is employed in the drafting department at Scintilla, Sidney.

Lighter Side

We ran this last year and have had a request from all over the country to repeat it — consider it a summer rerun without A White Charger on a plug:

MY GET UP AND GO HAS GOT UP AND WENT
How do I know my youth is all spent?

Well, my get up and go has got up and went.
But in spite of it all, I'm able to grin
When I think of where my get up has been.

Old age is golden, so I've heard it said.
But sometimes I wonder as I get into bed
With my ears in a drawer, my teeth in a cup
My eyes on the table until I wake up.

Ere sleep dims my eyes I say to myself,
"Is there anything else that should go on the shelf?"
I am happy to say as I close my door
My friends are the same only perhaps even more.

When I was young, my slippers were red

With
Gene
Brown



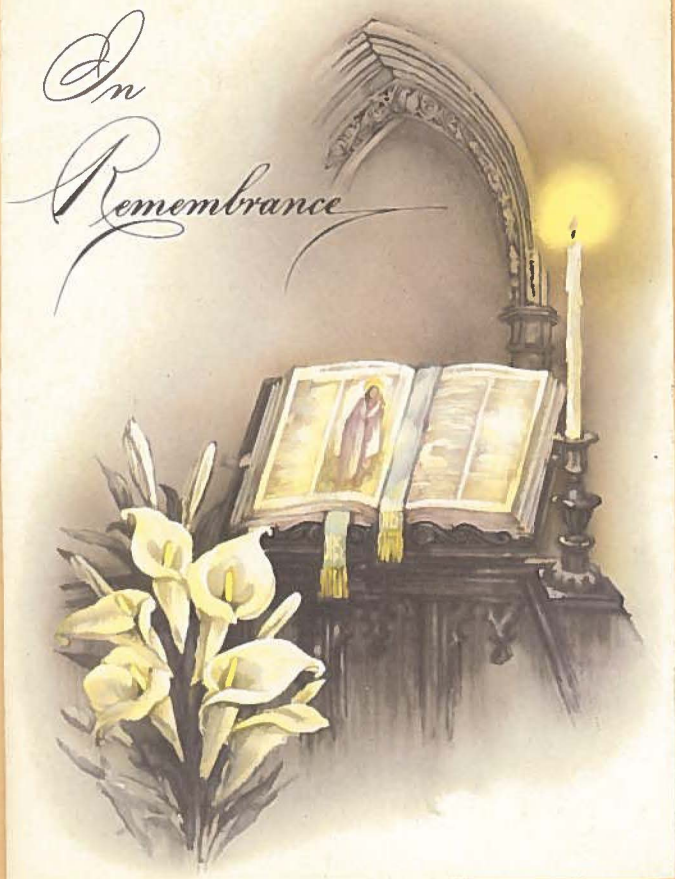
I could kick my heels right over my head;
When I grew older my slippers were blue
But I could still dance the whole night thru.
Now I am old, my slippers are black
I walk to the store and puff my way back.

The reason I know my youth is all spent
My get up and go has got up and went.
But I really don't mind, when I think with a grin
Of all the grand places my get up has been.

Since I've retired from life's competition
I busy myself with complete repetition.
I get up each morning, I dust off my wits,
Pick up the paper and read the "OBITS"

If my name isn't mentioned, I know I'm not dead
So I eat a good breakfast and go back to bed!

—Author Unknown



Crash Victim's Funeral Friday

MORRIS — Funeral services for George John Laubmeier Jr., 10, of Morris, who was killed in a bicycle-tractor-trailer crash near this village Monday, will be held Friday.

A Requiem Mass will be offered in Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church at 9:30 a.m. with the Rev. Joseph Reger, pastor, as celebrant. Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

George was born Aug. 21, 1953, in Munich, Germany, son of George and Chloe (Campbell) Laubmeier. He was a member of Holy Cross Church and a fifth grader at Morris Central School.

Surviving besides his parents are two brothers, James and Michael; a sister, Christine, all at home; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Laubmeier of

Morris; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Campbell of Viper, Ky.; several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Rosary will be recited at 7:15 p.m. Thursday in Sloan Funeral Home. The family will be at the funeral home Thursday night.

Mrs. Flora B. Monroe

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Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday May 16 in Sloan's Funeral Home, Morris.

Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mrs. Monroe was born near Utica Aug. 27, 1870, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth (Hazard) Bender.

She was married to Samuel E. Monroe, of Morris, on Dec. 21, 1892. Mr. Monroe died in 1937.

Mrs. Monroe had lived in Morris for 71 years after previous residence in Utica. In 1937, she moved to live in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Florence Davis, Morris.

She was owner and operator of the Needle Craft Shop on Main Street here for many years and was a member of the Morris Methodist Church.

She is survived by her daughter, a brother, Milton Bender, Utica; and several nephews and nieces.

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Frank L. Gregory

NEW BERLIN — Frank L. Gregory, 67, a former Supervisor of the Town of Pittsfield and a lifelong resident of that township, died Thursday, May 7, at his home following a lengthy illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m., Monday, May 11, at the Dakin Funeral Home, New Berlin, with the Rev. Robert F. Lacey, pastor of the Berean Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mr. Gregory was born in the Town of Pittsfield on March 21, 1897, a son of Orlin and Mary (Elliott) Gregory. He married Vivian Nelson on March 15, 1931.

A farmer and a garage mechanic by trade, Mr. Gregory served for 10 years as supervisor of the Town of Pittsfield. He was a veteran of World War 1.

Surviving are his wife, a brother, Claude E. Gregory, Oneonta, and one nephew.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Helen McNitt

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Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mrs. McNitt was born Dec. 13, 1896, in Morris, a daughter of Floyd and Mabel (Chase) Bolton. She was married to James McNitt Feb. 12, 1921, in Morris.

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She is survived by her husband, a son, James McNitt Jr., Morris; a sister, Mrs. Doris O'Hara, 2212 South Geddes St., Syracuse; and two nieces, Mrs. Kathleen Melvin, Liverpool; and Mrs. Helen Rosenblum, Tallahassee, Fla.

Friends may call at their convenience after 2 p.m. Wednesday.

The family will bein attendance from 7 o 9 p.m. Wednesday.

Caravan To Gather In Morris

MORRIS — A "Send-Off Service" for the 20 individuals who will make up the 1964 Youth Caravan which is to "invade Europe with friendship" this summer, will be held at 3 p.m., Sunday, June 21, at the Morris Methodist church.

Scheduled to gather for the annual service are all former caravaners from the 15 previous years, friends, relatives and other interested persons.

This year's group includes 16 teenagers and four counsellors. They come from California, Connecticut, Michigan, Pennsylvania and New York. For 18 months, this group has been holding monthly meetings to prepare for the adventure. Periodical bulletins are also sent to each member to help those who could not attend the sessions.

Teen agers from this area who will go are Miss Marcia Lyon, Morris; Miss Martha Stratton, Oxford; Miss Elizabeth Marshall, Norwich; Miss Kristine Johnson, Sidney; Miss Barbara Loudon, Bainbridge; Miss Tamara Clark, Mount Upton; Miss Lana Reed, Vestal; Mr. Craig Carlson, Sidney.

The counsellors are Miss Peggy Neiderlander, director of religious education at the High Street Methodist Church; Miss gy Niederlander, director of religious education at the Presbyterian Church, Endicott; Miss Bonnie Rupp, former caravaner in 1956 and presently teaching in Kingswood School Cranbrook, Bloomfield Hills, Mich.; and the leader, the Rev. Wilfred Lyon of the Morris Methodist Church.

The caravan leaves from Kennedy Airport, New York, Tuesday, June 23 and will return to New York on September 6.

In Europe the group will be joined by a Norwegian teacher, two Swedish University girls, a Danish High School student, a German High School student, and an Italian High School student. Two young American teachers, on their way home from three years of teaching English in Japan, will also join the Caravaners in Denmark.

Travel will be by air, boat, bike, train and chartered bus through Norway, Denmark, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Austria and Luxembourg.

A friendship coffee hour will follow the commissioning service.

10 Oneonta Star

Wed., April 29, 1964



THOMAS LYON



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Morris School Juniors Selected for Boys State

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Thomas is vice president of

the junior class, a member of the Student Council and participates in band and sports. Richard has been active on the Rifle Team.

The boys are sponsored by Butternut Valley Post, American Legion, Morris Fire Department, Morris Rotary Club and Louisville Grange.

Comfort

The Power who pities man has shown
A blessing for the eyes that weep.

The light of smiles shall fill again
The lids that overflow with tears;
And weary hours of woe and pain
Are promises of happier years.

There is a day of sunny rest
For every dark and troubled night;
And grief may bide an evening quest,
But joy shall come with early light.

For God hath marked each sorrowing day,
And numbered every secret tear,
And Heaven's long age of bliss shall pay
For all His children suffer here.

WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT

In Memory of
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Community Hobby Show Huge Success In Morris



More than 1000 visited the Community Hobby Show in Morris Central school gymnasium from 2 to 10 p. m. on Saturday and from 2 to 7 p. m. on Sunday in a way which surprised even its most enthusiastic supporters. Seen above is one end of the exhibit with a refreshment table in the center where coffee, tea and cookies were served visitors.



WORLD'S FAIR PERFORMERS — Holly and Paige Skinner will play several piano duets May 24 at the World's Fair on Otsego County-Oneonta Day. Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Harold O. Skinner, Otego, the girls will appear twice. Included in their program will be a Minuet by Bach, Sonata by Mozart, a Brahms waltz and Semper Fidelis by Sousa. The girls are pupils of Mrs. Barbara R. Jones, Otego.

Alfred Monson, Former Supervisor, Victim of Accident

EDMESTON — A tractor accident at 5:30 p.m. Friday claimed the life of Alfred Monson, 66, retired Town of Edmeston farmer and former Chairman of the Otsego County Board of Supervisors.

Mr. Monson died of a crushed chest in the Edmeston Emergency Squad ambulance enroute to Fox Hospital. Otsego County Coroner Dr. Joseph Phelps of Edmeston, who was at the scene, gave a verdict of accidental death from the crushed chest.

The accident happened as Mr. Monson was assisting on the family farm, now operated by his son. State Police at Oneonta, who investigated, said the victim was driving a tractor drawing a hay baler.

His son Richard and David Larrabee, an employee at the farm, were leaving a field with a load of hay when they heard a crash, investigators said, and turned about to see that the tractor had reared up as it climbed a steep embankment in the field.

The machine had then tipped over backwards, Troopers said, crushing Mr. Monson between the seat of the tractor and the tongue of the baler.



ALFRED MONSON

Mrs. Marion Voltz

MARIETTA — Mrs. Marion Voltz, 75, formerly of Gilbertsville, New York, died August 21, at the Lakeview Nursing Home in Skaneateles where she had been a patient for several months.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. today in Lester Morris Funeral Home, Marcelus.

She was born March 13, 1889, the daughter of Jewett and Emma Harrington. She was married to the Rev. Charles Voltz in 1910 in Gilbertsville. Her husband died in 1960.

She is survived by a son, Charles Voltz Jr. of Marietta; two daughters, Mrs. Marc Chacona of Daytona Beach, Fla. and Mrs. Jeanne O'Shaughnessy of Syracuse; three grandchildren, Marc Chacona 2nd, Todd Chacona, and David O'Shaughnessy; and one brother, Charles Harrington of Gilbertsville; a nephew, James Aldrich of Amsterdam and a niece, Mrs. Dorothy O'Hara of New York City.

Mr. Monson, a native of South Dakota, came to the Town of Edmeston during the 1920's where he operated a farm. In 1937 he was elected to the Otsego County Board of Supervisors, serving 10 consecutive terms on that body and as its chairman in 1946.

He completed his service to the county board on December 31, 1957.

A veteran of World War I, Mr. Monson was a member of the American Legion, a former member of the Grange and of the Farm Bureau.

He was the first president of the Otsego County REA Electric Cooperative and was a former vice-president of the Otsego County Soil Conservation Service.

During his service on the county board, Mr. Monson served, among other important posts, as chairman of the finance committee.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Rose Mertz of New York City, and several children.

Donar Dies Six Years After Injury

BINGHAMTON, N.Y. (AP)— A 60-year-old man who had been only semi-conscious since he was struck on the head by a box of paper six years ago, died in a hospital here Wednesday.

The death of Frank A. Donar of Smithboro followed by just two weeks the death of his wife.

Mrs. Donar, who was 73, had visited her husband daily after he was injured in 1958 in Cooperstown.

Relatives said that although Donar had been only semi-conscious he had seemed aware of his wife's faithful visits and cried when they told him of her death.

Donar, a specialty salesman, was leaving the Cooperstown Freeman's Journal, a weekly newspaper when the 125-pound box of paper fell as it was being hoisted to a third-floor window.

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NEWS



Annette Funicello, the Walt Disney television show Mousketeer who became a glamorous young movie star, will be married in January to Jack Gilardi, her booking agent.

JAMES T. STRAIT

James T. Strait, 85, of New Lisbon, died Tuesday, Aug. 18, 1964, in Fox Hospital, Oneonta, where he had been a patient for several weeks, suffering from a stroke.

Funeral services will be held in the Lewis Funeral Home, Oneonta, Friday, Aug. 21, at 2 p. m. Burial will be in Plains Cemetery, Oneonta.

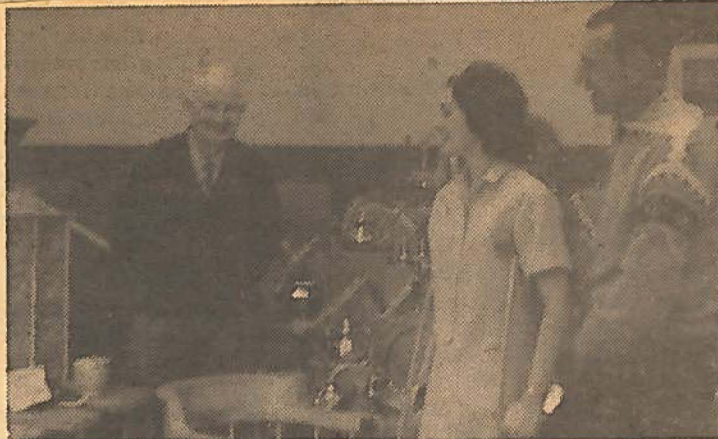
Mr. Strait, the son of James P. and Florence (Lent) Strait, was born May 6, 1879, in the Town of Laurens, where he had lived until 1913. At that time he moved to Oneonta and opened an upholstering and repair shop in his home at 383 Chestnut St.

He was married to Mabel Brownell Dec. 24, 1905 at Richfield Springs. She died in 1950. On June 23, 1951, he married Mrs. Pearl Hopkins Carr of New Lisbon, who has been a correspondent for this paper for many years. He then moved to New Lisbon.

Mr. Strait was a charter member of Elm Park Methodist Church and Grange, both at Oneonta, and the I.O.O.F. at Oneonta and Garrattsville.

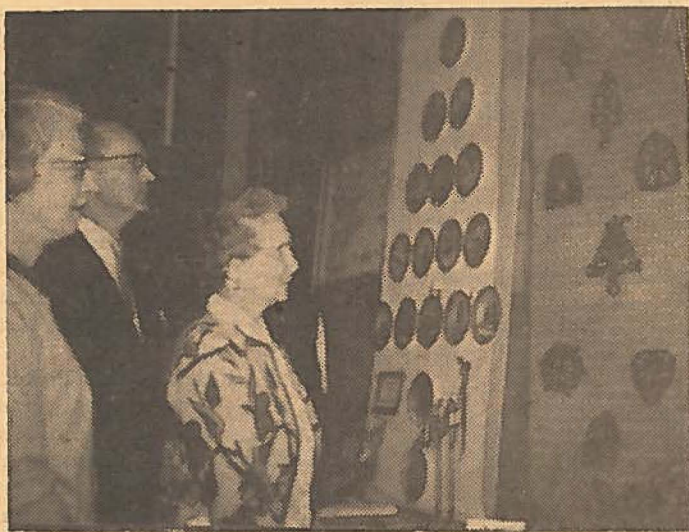
Surviving are his wife; one sister, Mrs. Erle Southerland of Ontario and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 5 p. m., Wednesday.



Caroline Scholl, Sidney, N. Y., with her father Anton, look over the grand prize winning exhibit in the creative hobby class shown by Paul Southern (l) of New Berlin. Furniture pieces exhibited were crafted reproductions of Early American chairs, cabinets, tables, etc. done by Mr. Southern.

Caroline, still on crutches, is recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident on the edge of Morris last Labor Day morning. She and her parents were former residents of Morris, and she received a warm welcome at the show.



Mrs. Francis Lamphere (l) with Roy Bartlett and Mrs. Charles Fay, all of Morris, look intently at the trivet exhibit, entered by Mrs. Fay, which won grand prize in the "collective" classification at the show.

"I should have entered an exhibit" was the often expressed remark of those who attended the first Community Hobby Show in Morris last weekend. Interested and willing to support this local enterprise, which was carried on to raise funds for the new Morris Emergency Squad, visitors were both amazed and pleased with the wide range of hobby exhibits and immediately recognized that they had something which could have been shown.

This was of course except for the fact that the floor was filled. As one of the committee remarked "If we had gotten more exhibitors, we would have

had to put exhibits in the bleachers and out in the hall."

There was a total of 86 exhibits with literally hundreds of items on display.

Most surprising of all to the sponsors of the show was the money raised. There was no charge for admission. Each exhibitor paid a \$1 entry fee, most of which, after some small expense, was donated to the Emergency Squad fund. In addition \$390 was placed in a jar at the door as a voluntary donation to the cause. The total amount to be received by the Squad was approximately \$450.

Six blue ribbons, in addition to grand prize winners, were

selected in each class. In the creative hobby classification winners were John Myer, Morris, with ornamental iron; Mrs. Regina Phelps, Edmeston, with sculpture and paintings; Dr. Joseph Phelps, Edmeston, silver craft; Mrs. Maud Gunther, Morris, knitting; Lewis Light, Morris, ceramics, and Lewis Olds, Morris, American decoration.

In the "collective hobby" classification winners were Mrs. Doris Whitman, "Our Home Town"; Mrs. Doris Shields, New Lisbon, old glass; Mrs. Harold Chase, New Berlin RD, antiques; Laura and Laurence Spindler, Morris, Stamps; Mrs. Wilfred Lyon, Morris, Royal Danish plates and Rebecca Sheldon, Morris, bells.

Judging the contest were Mrs. Virginia Purslow Partridge of Cooperstown and Mrs. Gertrude Hotaling of Oneonta. Basis of the judging was Educational Value . . . creative process or history of items; Display . . . manner of arrangement; Quality . . . either artistic or intrinsic value, Quantity . . . size and number of articles; Originality and Completeness.

More than 200 persons contributed time and help in getting the exhibits together. Co-chairmen of the event were Roy Bartlett, Mrs. Francis Lamphere and Mrs. Charles Fay. Publicity chairman was Mrs. Wilfred Lyon.

"We are most appreciative of the support of people from surrounding communities both in attendance and in exhibiting," Mrs. Lyon stated this week. "It couldn't possibly have been so successful without this help."

Among the more distant communities represented in the attendance were Delhi, Binghamton, Norwich, Sidney, Oxford and Albany. Visitors came from all the surrounding communities and many returned on several occasions.

The heavy work of moving tables and helping to set up displays was handled by members of the Emergency Squad who were on call at all times when assistance was needed, according to Mrs. Lyon.

Organ music was provided by courtesy of Ken Cooke, Sr. of Morris.



Mr. and Mrs. John W. Parsons
(Rasmussen Photo)

Oneontan Takes Bride In Morris Ceremony

MORRIS — Catherine Ann Galletly and John Wayne Parsons were united in marriage June 6 at the Morris Methodist Church. The Rev. Wilfred L. Lyon officiated. Hazel Dyekman was organist.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Galletly, RD 3, New Berlin.

Mr. Parsons is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Parsons, 21 High St., Oneonta.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of chantilly lace

and taffeta. She carried a bouquet of roses and white carnations.

Miss Sandra Nott, Newburgh, was maid of honor for her cousin. She wore a light green dress, matching veil and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Michael Olmstead, a friend of the groom, was best man.

Ushers were Dennis Parsons, brother of the bridegroom, and Philip Koener.

After the wedding a reception was held in the church parlors with 75 attending.

The newlyweds are living at 45 Chestnut St., Oneonta.

Mrs. Parsons is a graduate of Morris Central Schol. Her husband graduated from Oneonta High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Littlewood presented their daughter, Mary Ellen, for Christian Baptism, Sunday afternoon, at a family service.

M.W.L.

Urban Women Told of Farm Bureau Work, Objectives

By IRENE MOZOLEWSKI
Star Staff Writer

MOUNT VISION — America would be set back at least 60 years if all the farmers tonight decided to stop farming in the United States.

This statement was made Tuesday by Mrs. Alton Knight of Balston Spa, guest speaker at the annual Women's Day and Rural-Urban luncheon, sponsored by the Women's Committee of the Otsego County Farm Bureau.

Speaking to a large group of Farm Bureau women and their urban guests, gathered at the Methodist Church in Mount Vision, Mrs. Knight painted an imaginary picture, aimed at bringing to the attention of those present, "the important factor in our lives which we know as agriculture."

Introduced by Mrs. Russell W. Brown of West Winfield, chairman of the Otsego County Farm Bureau Women's Committee, Mrs. Brown directed her opening remarks to guests, wives of men engaged in other occupations rather than farming, and offered her "bit" about the Farm Bureau.

Mrs. Knight referred to the Farm Bureau as a Farmers' professional organization, "as with our fast decreasing numbers we need an organized voice and an instrument for action," she pointed out.

She said that F. B. although organized on local, county, state, and national, levels, has a small professional staff, depending mostly on volunteer workers.

GRASS ROOTS

Contrary to continued misunderstanding, the Farm Bureau is a grass roots organization, drawing its strength from sod farms, the speaker emphasized.

Farm Bureau aims as outlined in some detail by Mrs. Knight included analysis of economic and public programs of agriculture, so that action can be formulated and carried out concerning these problems; alert all farm families "to what is going on outside their line fences, and encourage them to accept citizenship responsibilities.

Kitchen Conferences resulting in resolutions brought to a county annual meeting, which if passed progress to passage on the state and national level, Mrs. Knight termed very important.

She painted a gruesome picture of citizens having to buy a cow, lead it home and pasture it on the back lawn near the pond, of a wife having to resort again to churning butter, and worst of all, of going to a

market, bent on stocking up on a few items, and being caught up in a riot.

Mrs. Knight referred to The Star's Bob Warner, farm editor, warning that we might lose him by the end of a week, "because he would not have much to talk about."

ACRE — BUSINESS

Then, of course what would happen to the millions of unemployed in agri-business, the processing, packaging, advertising, selling, and trucking industries, and . . . those other 200,000 (plus) unemployed workers in farm-allied government bureaus. . .

"At the turn of the century, 80 per cent of our population was engaged in the production of food. Our nation continued to grow, and progress and we have achieved a point of comfort and education and standards of living almost beyond the dreams of our forefathers," Mrs. Knight continued.

"From a single bottom plow drawn by a team of stocky horses to a six-bottom plow pulled easily by a diesel monster, from an orchard spray outfit which needed six men to operate, to an airblast with one man and pushbuttons. . . from hand milking to pyrex pipelines and gleaming bulk tanks," this is the story of progress she said. And the advances in agricultural seeds, fertilizers and general practices have been fully as startling. Today one business farmer can feed himself and 28 other people.

ECONOMICS VS. POLITICS

"But, it does not make sense that the farmer's economic problems are being decided on the basis of political influence . . . and it does not make sense that our national administrations are trying to subject agriculture to increasingly rigid controls in planting, producing, pricing - the full gamut."

Referring to high price supports on cotton, the speaker termed it a mousetrap.

"There is always free cheese in a mousetrap, but have you seen a happy mouse in one?"

Referring to the wheat referendum last year, Mrs. Knight reminded the group that a two-thirds vote was needed, but farmers in most states did not give it even a simple majority.

The Farm Bureau is working for the gradual decrease of subsidies and controls by the government until a market price system for agricultural products is again achieved, and the Farm Bureau is interested in general farm products, not just certain commodities, the speaker pointed out.

THREE STAKES

There are three stakes in agriculture: "you might have to go back and produce your own

food, your grocery bill which includes many items which are not groceries will be much more costly, and thirdly (to guests) if you will help us to get agricultural products off the 'Government' dole, your taxes will be lowered in this department.

"We are a shrinking portion of the population, we need your understanding, we do not solicit your pity . . . we are interdependent with other parts of our economy, our nation and our world.

"To our guests today, we do need your understanding and in the future we hope we may often have your numerical and legislative help on the basis that we think our policies are best for the farmer, best for the consumer and best for the taxpayer," Mrs. Knight concluded.

Lighter Side

With
Gene
Brown



An anti-poverty inspector in upper Appalachia heard that a skinflint farmer was paying below standard wages. He went to investigate and was taken around to meet all the farm's employees.

"This is William," said the farmer. "He milks the cows and he gets \$40 a week.

"This is Sam, my other hired man. Sam also gets \$40 a week.

"This is Kate. She cooks for me and gets \$30 a week and room and board."

The inspector seemed satisfied, but then the thought came to him. "Any others?" he asked.

"Only the half-wit," Rufe replied. "He gets \$10 a week and tobacco and food."

"May I speak to him?" asked the inspector.

"Sure," Rufe replied. "You're speakin' to him right now."

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WOMEN - FARM BUREAU POWER — Prominent at Tuesday's Rural - Urban luncheon meeting of the Otsego County Farm Bureau Women, were (L-R), Mrs. Robert E. Mickle of Warnerville, State Women's Committee of District 9; Mrs. Alton Knight of Balston Spa, State Committee Woman, District 8, and guest speaker; Mrs. Russell W. Brown, West Winfield, Chairman of the Women's Committee of Otsego County Farm Bureau, and Mrs. James C. Earl of Unadilla, wife of Otsego County Farm Bureau president. (Star Staff Photo)

Our staff: 3 year olds, Carol Milliken.

4 year olds, Martha Lyon

Kindergarten age, Hilda Smith

Grade 1, May Milliken

Grade 2, Marilyn Crumb

Grade 3, Doris Shields

Grade 4, To be announced.

Grade 5, Bill Volentino

Grade 6, Elinor Tromlett.

Jr. Hi, Harriett Ryther

Sr. Hi, To be announced.

Adult Class, Christina Duroo

Much work and organization has gone into this project, and our thanks our due to our Superintendent, Habel Miller for spearheading this changeover to the new material.

Best wishes to our College Bound students. Those we know the destination: Jon DeLong, State U. of Buffalo, in engineering.

Mary Roffe and Janice Wayand, Morrisville Ag and Tech.

Warren Ryther, Ithaca College

Suzanne Schick, State U. College of Genesee.

Dawn Tourtelotte, Post Grad at Morris Hi

GLOW FROM THAT FIRE CAN TRULY LIGHT

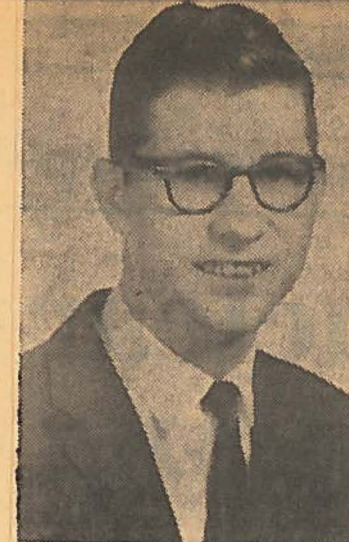
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KENNEDY MEMORIAL — This is the design for the John F. Kennedy memorial postage stamp which will be issued May 29, the 47th birthday anniversary of the late president. Its color is blue-grey. The stamp

combines an informal portrait of Mr. Kennedy, a reproduction of the eternal flame and surrounding the portraits, a quotation from Kennedy's inaugural address . . . "and the glow from that fire can truly light the world."
(UPI Photo).



JOHN R. TINKLEPAUGH
Waits Ordination

Morris Baptists Call New Pastor

MORRIS — Monday September 7th marked the first day of the ministry of John R. Tinklepaugh as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Morris.

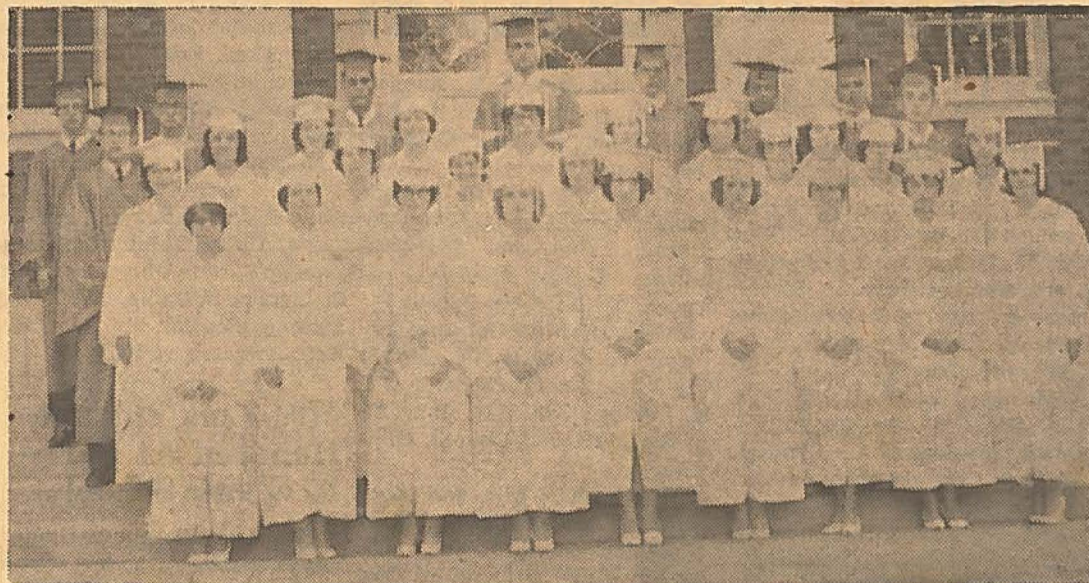
Pastor Tinklepaugh is a graduate of The King's College in Briarcliff Manor, and the Conservative Baptist Theological Seminary in Denver, Colo.

The new pastor has been active in church work, camping programs and mission work. Both Mr. Tinklepaugh and his wife, the former Linda Eggleston, are originally from Binghamton.

They will live in the parsonage of the church, which is located at 31 South Broad St., Morris.

Mr. Tinklepaugh will be ordained later.

Morris Seniors Ready To Attend Graduation



The graduating class of the Morris Central school is seen in front of the school building on Saturday night of last week just as they were preparing to enter the auditorium for commencement exercises.

They are (l-r) Front row — Dolores Dunwald, Donna Blevins, Mary Walter, Janice Wayand, Donna Hoffman, Linda Pegg, Mildred Capeland, Linda Saunders and Patricia Demmon. Second row — Suzanne Schick, Eileen Dodge, Diane Decker, Darlene Chase, Margaret Nacken, Barbara Knapp, Patricia Lull, Judith Brimmer, Georgianna Snethen, Iris Eaton, Dawn Tourtelotte, Marie Card, Sharon Poling and Mary Roffe. Top row — Warren Ryther, Oskar Strauss, Barry Valentine, William Stone, Jon De Long, Howard Elliott, Jamie Williams, Paul Kogut and Carleton Deming.

Mary Walter gave the Salutatory address and Eileen Dodge the Valedictory. Board President Le Roy Poling presented diplomas and Principal Warren Ryther presented prize awards.



Shifting From Mobile-Faced Clown (Left) to Friendly TV Announcer (Right) and Back Again Is a Regular Thing for Garry Moore's Perpetual Second Banana, Durward Kirby

G'ville Physician, Wife Honored For 25 Years Service To Community



Dr. and Mrs. Paul Von Haeseler stand next to two hand-lettered citations which were presented to them at a reception in their honor sponsored by the Butternuts Valley Grange in the Grange Hall, Gilbertsville, last Sunday afternoon.



The Von Haeseler are seen outside the Grange Hall following Sunday afternoon's tribute to them. Slightly windblown (Mrs. Von Haeseler, that is) the couple evidence their appreciation of the warm expression of gratitude and friendly feeling shown by the guests who came to greet the couple, sign the register and stand about to visit in neighborly fashion.

More than three hundred neighbors, friends and patients from Gilbertsville and surrounding communities poured into the Grange Hall in Gilbertsville last Sunday afternoon for a Grange sponsored reception honoring Dr. and Mrs. Paul Von Haeseler for their long years of service to the community. Dr. Von Haeseler started his practice in the community in 1939, some 25 years ago.

In recent months there has been talk of Dr. Von Haeseler's retirement and of the family moving from the community.

The doctor said on Sunday that he has no definite plans or date set for retirement. It will not be immediately, he said.

For more than three hours a constant stream of well wishers passed through the line as the Von Haeseler spoke to and shook hands with all. The guests then signed the register.

On a specially covered table at one side of the room two citations were displayed in a red leather binding. These were presented to Dr. Von Haeseler by Robert W. Halbert, Grange Master. The citations had been

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were beautifully hand written on parchment paper by J. L. Miller of Morris. The leather binding and inscription on the front of it were prepared by Roy Bartlett, also of Morris.

The guest register was signed on parchment sheets which will be made a part of the "Memory Book" to be presented to the Von Haeseler.

In the center of the hall were tables, attractively decorated, where punch, coffee, tea and cookies were served. The tables were arranged by Mr. Bartlett who assisted Mrs. Robert W. Halbert and Mrs. Ernest Briscoe, Grange committee in charge of the reception. Other members of the Grange participated by making cookies and helping with arrangements. Others, not Grange members, served at the tables.

Following is the personal citation by Grange Master Halbert.

The citation from the Grange read as follows:

Doctor von Haeseler:

For the past twenty-five years, you have served Gilbertsville and the surrounding communities as a medical doctor. During that period you have greatly endeared yourself to us by your amiable character, your earnest devotion to duty and the hearty interest you have manifested in the welfare of the people.

In our homes, you have been our sympathizing doctor and friend. In our hours of trouble, pain, and sorrow, you have spoken gentle and soothing words.

With a deep sense of your many benefactions, those assembled here have asked me, in their name, to present you this Citation as a token of our united and increasing admiration and affection for yourself, and of our gratitude for your labors in our behalf.

We ask you, Doctor, to accept it as freely as we offer it, and we sincerely wish many years of happiness for you and your family.

Robert W. Halbert
Grange Master
June 14, 1964
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LIST OF GUESTS

Following is a list of those who signed the guest register:

Whereas Paul von Haeseler was born at Setauket, Long Island, New York, August 21, 1904, and

Whereas He was educated at Cornell University and McGill University, as a Doctor of Medicine, and

Whereas He was united in marriage with Thelma Powers, 1939, and

Whereas After internship at the University Hospital, Syracuse and three years general practice at Romulus, New York, he studied Public Health at Harvard University for one

year, and

Whereas After three years working for the State Health Department, the Doctor and his wife arrived at Gilbertsville, New York, February 10, 1939, and

Whereas They, together with their daughters, Elsa and Susan, have made themselves valuable members of this community, and

Whereas The Doctor and his wife have given unstinted devotion and service to all members of this community, to our churches, to our organizations and to our school for twenty-five years, and

Whereas They have added interest and color to our lives by their love for fruit trees, Norwegian elkhounds and Morgan horses,

Therefore, be it resolved that the deep appreciation and gratitude of this community be expressed by this citation, given by the Butternut Valley Grange June 14, 1964, Gilbertsville, New York.

The Stanley Wilbers, Mrs. Cox Sherwood, William Emerson, the H. E. Chrisfields, Mrs. Jane Walker, Mrs. Lilly Broadbent, Mrs. Dusine Meyer, the William Hankeys, Ona Ostrander, Adele Joslyn, Mrs. William Woodland, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adair, Jr., Robin and Laurie Adair, the Lynn Harrises, John and Jimmy Harris, the Donald Adairs, Kathryn Birdsall, Alice Day, Beulah Sloan, Rev. and Mrs. John Williams and family, Mrs. Lawrence Gilson, the Paul Tillsons, the Lavern Lulls, the Lewis Olds, the Arthur Lawsons, Mrs. Ralph Harris, Mrs. Ethel Bump, Mrs. Harry Hudson.

Miss Florence Freer, Mrs. Lillian Lamb, Mrs. Rolland Goodspeed, the Raymond V. Seamans, Lynne Wilber, the Charles Millers, the V. V. R. Masons, Mrs. Hamilton Harris, Mrs. Marjorie Keene, Mrs. Merton Hull, Miss Edna Freer, Ross Tobey, the Ben Wilbers, Mrs. Marion Dixon, the Harold Rocks, Frank Rock, Mrs. George Linzboth, the Robert Fabers, Hamilton Mason, the Guy Posts, Mrs. Russell Emerson, Mrs. Charles Card, Rev. and Mrs. Philip Lord, the Harold Chases, the Lewis Lights, J. L. Miller, Mrs. Lewis R. Morris, Mildred St. Clair.

Goldie Keeler, Mrs. DeWitt Curtis, Rev. and Mrs. Roger Beach, the George Tobeyes, Susan and Martha Beach, Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin Nevitt, Kathryn Yager, Mrs. Elaine Clum, Mrs. Richard Daniels, Jack, Diane, Gerald and Christy Daniels, the Frank Ulms, Mrs. Thomas Nolan, the John Blacks, Celia Halbert, the Ronald Halberts, Ronald Swift, Mrs. Mildred Swift, Barbara and Karen Swift, the Donald Posts, Randy and Terry Post, the Harold

Hamlins, Mrs. Lilley Musson, Mrs. Lulu Hilsinger, Mrs. Laura Harris, the Harry Curtises, the David Fields, Elinor Tremlett, the Harold Crumbs, the Arthur Mussons, Chester Emery, Mrs. Merton Lilley, Mrs. Robert

Dyer, Mrs. Doris Whitman, Mrs. Olive Grenz, the Stuart Straits.

The Robert Hills, the Harold Canadas, Mrs. Royce Hill, Mrs. Edward Parr, the Edward Ruess's, William Pearson, Neita Leslie and Graham, the Clayton Pittsleys, Dr. and Mrs. Jerome Payton, Charles R. Brewer, Mrs. Lillian Stensland, Evelyn Meers, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Glascock and son, Mrs. Francetta Westcott, Mrs. Ray Miller, Mrs. George Holden, Mrs. Everest Dibble, the Frank Loitsch's, Mrs. Corinne Colvin, Philip Seaman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Freer, Jr., Barbara Freer, Jody and Steve Hughes, Mrs. Richard Irwin, Sue, Paul and Burke Irwin, the Stanley Lobdells, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Eckmair and Toni.

Mrs. Adelbert Latham, Mrs. Charles Daniels, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Naylor, Mrs. Abram Van Vranken, the Leland Freers, Mrs. Katherine Lennox, Miss Betsy Turner, Fred Meyer, Beulan Lent, the Michael Veres, Vivian Chase, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hadeler, Mrs. M. Nelson, the Linn Thayers, the Donald Prestons, James Preston, Blanche Ellis, the Gordon Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Freer, Sr., the Robert W. Halberts and Roberta and Roger, the Amos Fiskes, Donald Moore, Mrs. Jessie Eaton, the Paul Moores, Mrs. Jessie Holdridge, George Van Dusen, Mrs. Archie Saunders, Mrs. Annie Broadus, Winnie Eaton, Linda Saunders, the Royce Straits, Sr.

The Lloyd Saunders, Miss Luella Van Dusen, the Virgil Crumbs, Yvonne Crumb, Linda Saunders, Jane Lawson, Edna Pickens, Lois Carr, Ansel Sargent, the H. L. Lilleys, the John Koguts, the Ora Moores, the Orrin Newtons, the Cecil Stearns, Mrs. Mittie Anderson.

The Charles Hutchens, Dennis Canham, the Leroy Georges, Mrs. Harriet Pease, Mrs. Florence Stebbins, Mrs. Walter Lamphere, Mrs. Gertrude Daniels, the Alexander MacKays, the John Bacons, Mrs. Gladys Eckmair, the Robert Hoyts, Kent Hoyt, Roy Keys, the Gordon Careys, Mrs. Linn White, Mrs. Warren Ryther, the John Rumerys, Emily O'Connor, Charles Hurlbutt, Miss Katharine Ecob, Mrs. Martha Davies, the Henry Richards, Mrs. Millie Tobey, Samuel Woodlands, Roy Bartlett, Mrs. Doris Shields, the Verner Lents, Barbara, Janet and Christina Lent, the Ernest Briscoes, Kathryn L. Veay, Rev. and Mrs. Wilfred Lyon and Anita Stark.

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The following verse, written by Mrs. Linn Thayer of Mt. Upton, was presented.

IN HONOR OF OUR DOCTOR

Here in the Butternut Valley
we have been well blessed
For we have had a Doctor
who has given his best,
For 25 years he has served
us all both young and old
And of all our aches and
pains he has been told.

Doctor von Haeseler and his
fine wife

Have been a great asset to
our Valley's life.

The Doctor indulged in a
hobby which brought him
pain

But the sight of his horse
and cutter brought pleasant
old memories back again.

He served as a District Health
Officer for a year

And built a new home after
he was settled here,

Soon he knew every thing
about us all

And his medicine has kept
many of us on the ball.

A little cranky you say! no
— not him

That was just the day he was
filled up to the chin

With all our complaining
about an imagined disease

While he must rush off some
real pain to ease.

We are fortunate — for we
can get away from it all

But day after day he must
listen to our young ones
squall

As he sticks them with
needles their health to pro-
tect

And sometimes we even for-
get to pay the check.

Now how can we show this
kind Doctor how grateful
we are

We know that already in his
crown there must be a star
So all we can say or do will
not be enough

But we can pray that his
road in the future will be
a little less rough.

May the years to come bring
him much content

Knowing of the helpful life
he has spent

And may he always hold a
warm spot in his heart

For the Butternut Valley
where he has played such
a big part.

M. Thayer.

Alfred E. Monson

EDMESTON — Funeral ser-
vices for Alfred E. Monson, 66,
of Edmeston, former chairman
of the Otsego County Board of
Supervisors, will be conducted
at 2 p.m. Monday, June 29, at
the Edmeston Methodist Church
with Rev. Harold Saxton, pas-
tor, and Rev. Leonard N. Da-
vis, retired pastor, officiating.
Burial will be in Edmeston
Union Cemetery.

Mr. Monson died Friday, June
26, of injuries sustained in a
tractor accident suffered while
baling hay on the family farm
at Edmeston.

He was born on May 24, 1898
at Sioux Falls, S. D., a son of
John and Ida (Sable) Monson.
He married the former Miss
Rose Mertz of New York City
on January 14, 1922 at New
York.

His early years were spent in
South Dakota and he served
with the U. S. Navy during
World War I. He had lived in
the Edmeston area for many
years and was elected Edmes-
ton Town Supervisor in 1937, a
post wherein he served for 10
consecutive terms.

He completed his term of ser-
vice on the county board on
December 31, 1947, having
served the board as its chair-
man in 1946.

He was the first president of
the Otsego County REA Electric
Corporation and was active as
an officer of the Otsego County
Soil Conservation Service. While
a member of the Board of Su-
pervisors, Mr. Monson served
on many important committees
and was the chairman of the
powerful Finance committee.

He was a member and trustee
of the Edmeston Methodist
Church; a member of Wharton
Valley Grange 991; the Otsego
County Pomona Grange, and the
Veterans of World War I of the
U. S., Inc.

Surviving are his wife; three
sons, Alfred E. Monson Jr., Nep-
tune, N. J.; John Arthur Mon-
son, Syracuse, and Richard Al-
lan Monson of Edmeston; one
daughter, Mrs. Barbara Hart of
Bellmarr, N. J.; a brother, Ru-
dolph Monson, Sioux Falls,
S. D., and twelve grandchildren.

Harold Phillips

MORRIS — Harold Phillips,
55, of Morris, died Monday at
his home.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m.
Thursday at Sloan's Funeral
Home, Morris.

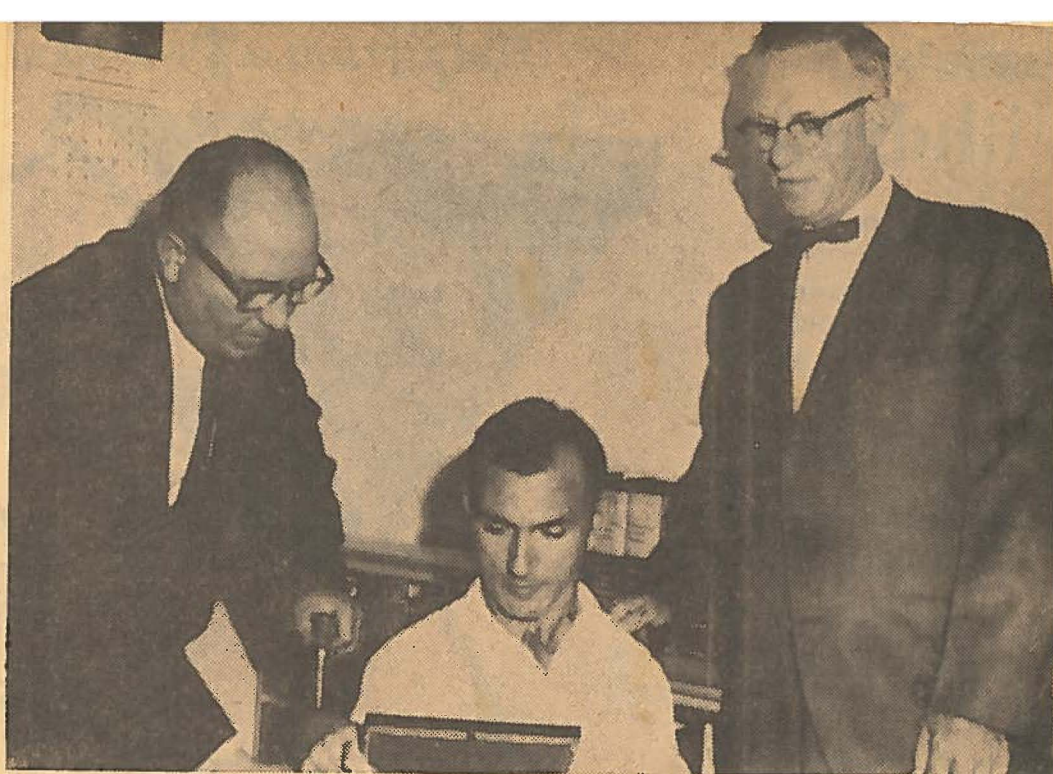
The Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pas-
tor of the Morris Methodist
Church, will officiate. Burial
will be in Edmeston.

Mr. Phillips was born May 23,
1909 at Garrattsville, the son of
Arthur and Edna (Smith) Phil-
lips.

He married Katherine Colburn
in Morris on May 3, 1937.

He is survived by his wife;
four sons, Alfred of Unadilla RD
2; Harold Jr., David and Fred-
dy, all of Morris; two daughters,
Mrs. Frances Grenz, Okinawa,
Japan; Mrs. Juanita Stewart,
New Lisbon; five grandchildren
and one sister, Doris Phillips of
Middletown.

The family will be in attend-
ance from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednes-
day.



EFFORT APPRECIATED — Donald Phillie, a resident of the Otsego County In-
firmary, Wednesday was awarded a Certificate for his faithful service as Assis-
tant Chaplain in the County Home and Infirmary. County Commissioner of Social
Welfare Kenneth G. Engell made the presentation, with the Rev. Alfred Bentall
of Oneonta, Chaplain, looking on. (L-R), Mr. Engell, Mr. Phillie, seated and Mr.
Bentall. (Star Staff Photo)

Spiritual Service Reward

COOPERSTOWN — A handi-
capped resident of the Otsego
County Infirmary who is render-
ing spiritual service to residents
of the County Home and Infirm-
ary, was awarded a special cer-
tificate of appreciation Wednes-
day at ceremonies held in the
County Infirmary at Phoenix
Mills.

The Certificate, signed by
County Commissioner of Social
Welfare Kenneth G. Engell and
presented to Donald Phillie,
states: "for devoted and faith-
ful service rendered to the Ot-

sego County Home and Infirm-
ary as Assistant Chaplain.

According to the Rev. Alfred
Bentall of Oneonta, Minister-at-
Large of the Otsego and Del-
aware Council of Churches, who
was appointed Chaplain of the
Home and Infirmary on April
14, (Mr. Phillie appointed as-
sistant Chaplain at the same
time) Mr. Phillie started as-
sisting Mr. Bentall in an unof-
ficial capacity about five years
ago.

Mr. Bentall involved Mr. Phil-
lie in the many spiritual activ-

ities, which led to the develop-
ment of prayer meetings "of
his own" which he successfull
conducted at the Home and In-
firmary.

The American Baptist Cor-
vention of the State of New York
recognizing Mr. Phillie's work
offered him the opportunity of
becoming a licensed lay
preacher of the Convention, Mr.
Bentall explained.

On May 11, 1961, the Convent-
ion Committee on Lay Preache-
Education granted Mr. Phillie
a lay preacher license to be
followed by a training program

He took correspondence cours-
es from Moody Bible Institute
at Chicago, and has received
instruction from authorized tu-
tors, including the Rev. Robert
Hodges of Oneonta and the Rev.
Kenneth L. Rowe of Hartwick.
In his latest examination, Mr.
Phillie received a mark of 91
per cent, Mr. Bentall said.

Mr. Phillie conducts services
Sunday during the absence of
the Chaplain, and carries on
regular pastoral visitations in
the Home and Infirmary.

As a result of his Ministry
three persons have been united
with the Church by Baptism.

Miss Ida Mirick

GILBERTSVILLE — Miss Ida
Mirick, 95, a long time resident
of Gilbertsville, died at her
home Friday, November 6, after
an extended illness.

The body was removed to the
Moore Funeral Home, Gilbert-
ville, where arrangements are
pending.

Sat. Aug. 1, 1964

Price 15 Cents

Georgetown Good Fly Fishing

Georgetown lake is the best in
years, according to John West
of Eau Claire, Wisconsin, and
John should be an authority
because he told our F. & H.
reporter that he has been
coming to Georgetown for the
past 15 years. In order to catch
fish consistently, John would
suggest fly fishing.

Both Mr. West and Ray Denton
believe the fishing is improving
each year, especially since the
latter 1950's when Georgetown
was seined. Ray said that
approximately 300, 000 rain-
bows are planted each year in
the 4 to 10 inch class.



GEORGETOWN Lake - Mr. Franz
Thresher, Morris, New York,
caught this 6-1/2 pound dandy on
a Muskrat Nymph in Georgetown
lake. He relates that it took him
20 minutes to land the fish. It
was 24-1/2 inches long. (Ray
Denton photo)

Oneontans Married

Roland Card Takes Bride

The marriage of Joyce Elizabeth Peckham and Roland Barton Card, both of Oneonta, took place at the First Methodist Church June 27. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. N. Peckham, Auburn, cousin of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Clayton Hoag, pastor of the church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Peckham, 18 Albright Avenue, Albany, formerly of Gilboa.

The groom is the son of W. Ray Card, Garrattsville, and the late Pearl Barton Card.

Mrs. Douglas Jones, Otego, was organist. Lee Whitney, Central Square, was the soloist.

The bride, escorted by her father, chose a floor length gown of white imported organza over taffeta. The short-sleeved embroidered bodice was styled with a beteau neckline. The hemline and short panel train were edged with a wide band of embroidery.

Her tiered shoulder length veil fell from a narrow crown enhanced with crystalized orange blossoms.

She carried a bouquet of miniature white orchids surrounded by white gladioli with red rosebud centers. Red rosebuds and ivy were looped in the streamers.

Miss Ruth Hetzel, Freeport, was maid of honor. She wore a street length sheath of white cotton lace over pale yellow polished cotton. The waistline was accented by a yellow cummerbund with a bustle bow. Her headpiece was a puff of yellow tulle held in place by a yellow Dior bow and she carried a nosegay of yellow and white gladioli and baby's breath.

The bridesmaids were Mrs. James Perry, Laurens, and Miss Anne Card, Oneonta, daughter of the groom. Their gowns were styled like that of



Mr. and Mrs. Roland B. Card
(Tipple Photo)

the maid of honor, Mrs. Perry's over pale green and Miss Card's over lavender. They wore matching headpieces and both carried nosegays of yellow glads and baby's breath.

Lynn Card, Quinault, Washington, was best man for his father. James Perry, Laurens, and Bruce Salisbury, Oneonta, served as ushers.

A reception followed in the social room of the church and featured a 5-tier wedding cake

made by Mrs. Kester Bookhout of Laurens.

Mrs. Card attended Syracuse University and until her marriage was employed as medical records librarian at Homer Folks Hospital.

The groom, a former service manager with Chevrolet in Oneonta, owns and operates Card's Garage at 171 West Street.

After a trip through the New England states and the Gaspe Peninsula, Canada, the newlyweds will be at home at 171 West St.

Morris; Charles Sherwood, Saugerties, and George Sherwood, Hartford, Conn.; four sisters, Mrs. Kit Canavan, Niagara Falls; Mrs. Nellie Brookins in Florida; Mrs. Rose Shepard, Niagara Falls, and Miss Louise Sherwood, Buffalo; a brother, Lou Sherwood in Florida; 14 grandchildren and 64 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at the funeral home at their convenience after 2 p.m. Thursday.

Family will be in attendance from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday.

Morris Squad Wins Awards

MORRIS — The First Aid Emergency Squad of Morris attended the Central New York Convention at Ithaca and came home with five prizes.

Prizes or trophies are on display at Harvey's Coffee Shop, Main Street, Morris.

Those of the squad who participated were William Pickens, Fred Hoag, James Cook, Luther Card and Patricia Card. ♠

Our Congratulations to Sharon Poling, Ed and Dick Goerge and Darlene Chase on their Senior Status, and their graduation.

Earl H. Jackson

MORRIS — Earl Hamilton Jackson, 46, died July 29 at the Newark Wayne Community Hospital, Newark, N. Y. A rosary service will be held at 9 a.m. at Sloan's Funeral Home, Morris, and a mass will be celebrated at Holy Cross Church, Morris, August 1. The Rev. Joseph Reger will officiate. Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

He was born January 10, 1918, in Stamford, son of Earl W. and Margaret (Potter) Jackson. He married Evelyn Fiedler January 12, 1956, at Truman, Wisc.

He lived in Morris six years. He was a member of Holy Cross Church, Morris. He was a veteran of World War Two.

Surviving are his wife; his mother of Davenport Center; eight brothers, Raymond Jackson of Davenport Center, Arthur Jackson, Davenport Center, Byron Jackson of Schenectady, Keith Jackson of Schenectady, Robert Jackson of Gilbertsville, Bernard Jackson of Walkill, Harry Jackson of Plattsburgh; seven sisters, Mrs. Pauline Cavier of Brooklyn, Mrs. Sherman Smith of Davenport Center, Miss Mary Jackson of Oneonta, Miss Phyllis Jackson of Oneonta, Mrs. Donald Hunt of Montgomery, Mrs. Everett Rhinebeck of Grand Forge, N.D., Miss Mildred Jackson of Binghamton; 36 nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at their convenience at the funeral home. The family will be in attendance from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday.



Miss Hoffman

MORRIS — Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Hoffman have announced the engagement of their daughter, Donna Jane, to Larry J. Brownell, son of Doris Brownell, Morris.

Miss Hoffman is a graduate of Morris Central School and is presently employed by Preferred Mutual Insurance Co., New Berlin.

Her fiance attended Morris Central and is employed by Medical Coaches, Inc., Oneonta.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. Grace Cornell

UNADILLA FORKS — Mrs. Grace (Garlick) Cornell, 66, a former resident of Unadilla Forks died Tuesday, July 28, in Tallahassee, Fla.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 1, at the Wilcox Funeral Home in West Winfield with the Rev. Joseph Barber, pastor of the Unadilla Forks Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mrs. Cornell was born June 20, 1898, in West Winfield, a daughter of Charles and Nettie (Eymer) Garlick. She graduated from Morris High School and the Morris Teachers Training School. Mrs. Cornell taught school for several years prior to her marriage to Russell Cornell Feb. 2, 1921.

The couple made their home in West Laurens for several years where they operated the Cornell homestead farm. They moved to Unadilla Forks in 1931. Mr. Cornell served as highway superintendent in the Town of Plainfield for 10 years. He died July 24, 1962.

Since her husband's death, Mrs. Cornell had resided in Tallahassee.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Tallahassee.

She is survived by one son, Dr. Richard Cornell of Tallahassee; one daughter, Mrs. Robert Louis of Scotch Plains, N. J.; three sisters, Mrs. Howard Brace of West Winfield, Mrs. Irving Pugh of Unadilla Forks and Mrs. Edward Elliott of Garrattsville; four grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. Friday.

Claude D. Holmes

BURLINGTON FLATS — Claude D. Holmes, 84, died August 24 at the Gerritt Smith Infirmary, Eaton, after a long illness.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday, August 26 from the Houk-Johnston Funeral Home, Edmeston, with the Rev. John Blackman, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, Edmeston, officiating.

Burial will be in Edmeston Union Cemetery.

He was born July 6, 1880 in Burlington Flats, a son of William and Estella (Geer) Holmes.

Mr. Holmes was a retired laborer.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Rena Lohe of Sherburne RD.

Friends may call from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday.

2 Hurt in Crash Near Edmeston: Driver Fined

Star Cooperstown Bureau

EDMESTON — Four persons were injured Sunday afternoon in a two car collision on Route 80, one mile south of Edmeston.

Injured were:

Rebecca Nahlik, 18, of RD 2, New Berlin, who suffered contusions of the right eye socket and lacerations of the right knee.

Sandra Webb, 18, New Berlin RD, with bruises of the right shoulder and a bloody nose.

Both girls were passengers in a car operated by David L. Webb, 18, of New Berlin RD 3. He was not injured.

Also injured was the operator of the other car involved, Lester G. Wilson, 75, of 19 Bridge St., Unadilla, who suffered bruises of the left shoulder, and his wife, Mertle, 74, with a laceration of the right eyebrow.

All injured were treated at the scene by Dr. Elliott of New Berlin.

State Police said the accident occurred at 4:05 p.m. when the Webb car, going north on Route 80, met the southbound Wilson vehicle on a curve.

Troopers said the Webb car crossed the double solid line, striking the left side of the Wilson vehicle, then rolled over one

and one-half times, coming to rest on its roof on the east shoulder of the highway.

According to troopers, Mr. Wilson brought his car to a controlled stop on the west shoulder of the highway.

David Webb was ticketed for driving to the left of a pavement marking. He was arraigned before Samuel Coles, Town of Edmeston Justice of the Peace. Webb pleaded guilty and paid the fine of \$15.

The Edmeston Fire Department was called to the scene to wash gas and oil from the overturned vehicle.

EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

A stout woman, wedged into a crowded bus, had great difficulty getting into her tightly-buttoned jacket to get out her bus fare.

"Madam," said the man next to her during her struggles, "let me pay your fare."

Whereupon she protested indignantly.

"My only reason for wishing to do so," he explained patiently, "is that you've unbuttoned my suspenders three times trying to get into your pocket!"

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Q. When Gracie Allen died recently her age was given as 58. How old was she really? — James Lynch, Boston, Mass.
A. 62.



Mrs. Snethen, New Lisbon, Wed to Earl C. Howell

MORRIS — Mrs. Florence M. Snethen, New Lisbon, and Earl C. Howell, Greene, were married August 1 at 2 p.m. in Morris Methodist Church.

The Rev. William Bartz, Unadilla, and the Rev. Donald Eadie, Rugby, England, officiated. Organist was Mrs. Hazel Dyckman, Morris.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. H. F. Docker, Morris and the late Mr. Docker. The groom is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Howell, Greene.

The bride wore a gown of aqua embroidered silk organza with pink accessories. She carried an orchid corsage.

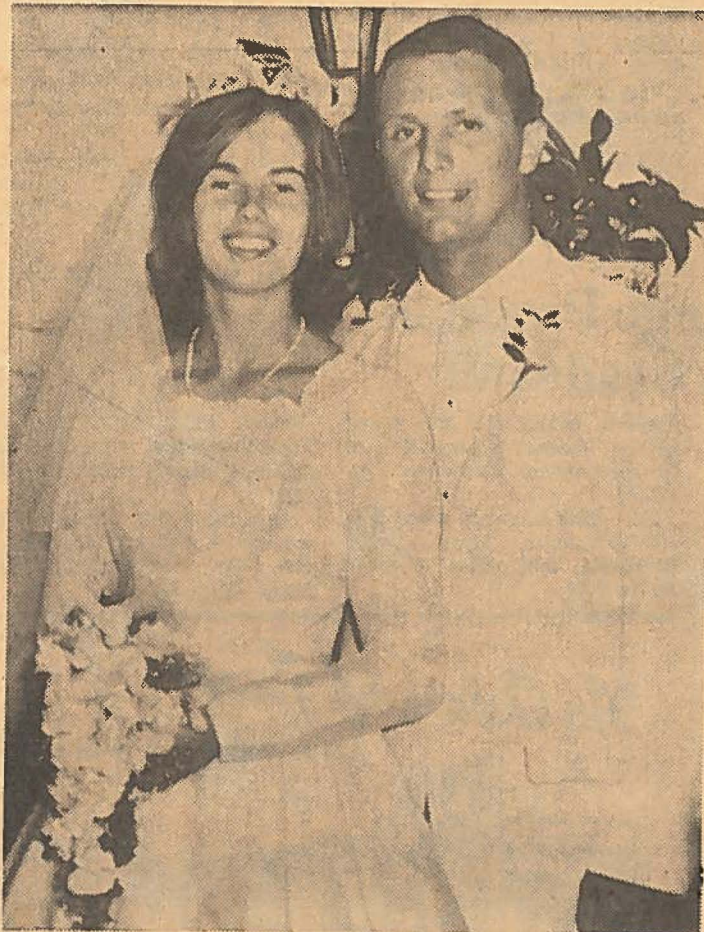
Matron of honor was Mrs. Joseph Binelli, Norwich, whose gown was of beige lace with beige and brown accessories.

Best man was Earl Howell, son of the groom.

After a wedding trip to Montreal, they will live in Greene. Both are employed at Scintilla, Sidney.

Double Ring Nuptials

Fiscina-Lewis Vows Said



Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Fiscina
(Viking Photo)

Jo-Ann Porter Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Lewis 51 Dietz St., was married July 27 to Salvatore F. R. Fiscina at St. Mary's. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Phillips.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fiscina, Elizabeth St., Hornell.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a chapel length gown of peau de soie. The bodice was enhanced by alencon lace trim and a Sabrina neckline. The bell-shaped skirt was accented with the same lace motif.

She carried a bouquet of white roses and ivy.

The groom's sister, Miss Theresa Fiscina, Hornell, was maid of honor. She wore a pink street length dress of peau de soie with short sleeves. Her bouquet was a cascade of pink, white and blue flowers.

Bridesmaids were Miss Kath Fiscina, sister of the groom; Miss Tana Cohn, Rochester; and Miss Ruth Ouimette, 65 For Ave., Oneonta. They wore blue peau de soie street length dresses with bell shaped skirts and three-quarter length sleeves. Each carried a cascade bouquet of pink and white flowers.

James Stadelman, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., was best man.

James Lo Gerto, Middletown; Kenneth Bergman of Newark and Sebastian Nardecchi, Hornell, a cousin of the groom, were ushers.

A buffet luncheon was served to 200 at the Oneonta Country Club after the wedding. The four-tier wedding cake was made by Mrs. Wanda Roberts.

After a wedding trip to New England, the couple will make their home at 780 Genesee St., Rochester.

Mrs. Fiscina was graduated from Oneonta High School and Vassar Brothers Hospital School of Nursing, and attended the University of Rochester. She is employed in the offices of the Drs. Oshrain and Hoffman, Rochester.

Her husband is a graduate of Hornell High School and Harvard University, class of 1963, where he was a member of Hasty Pudding Institute of 1777, Phillips Brooks House, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, and Varsity Club. He is now attending medical school at the University of Rochester.

Why Cops' Mops Turn Gray Way

Star Sidney Bureau
BAINBRIDGE — Why do cops have gray hair?

The question would undoubtedly hold true for many other persons who are tossed into the "elder" category but some of the local constabulary are not that "old."

For the answer, one would have to go to the Bainbridge Police Department where the answer is framed on yellowing-with-age paper.

The answer, which hangs a head or two above the visitor's chair and in plain view of Chief William S. Payne (he's gray) begins: "Why Cops Get Gray," and continues:

"If you're neat, you're conceited."

If you're casual, you're 'sloppy.'

If you hurry you're 'overlooking' things.

If you take your time you're 'lazy.'

If you're pleasant, you're a 'flirt.'

If brief, you're a 'grouch.'

If you're conscientious, you're trying to make a 'reputation.'

If you outwit a criminal you're a 'sneak,' but if he sees you first you're a 'dope.'

If you make a good collar, 'you're lucky,' but if you miss one you're a 'chump.'

If you fail a promotion test you're 'not on the ball,' but if you make the list you're a 'head-hunter.'

Any more questions on why cops have gray hair?

Our congratulations to our Seniors:
Jon DeLong, Donna Hoffman, Ricky Rendo,
Mary Roffe, Warren Ryther, Suzanno Schick,
Georgianna Snethen, Dawn Tourtellotte,
Janico Wayand.

Kerstin and I would like to express our thanks to those who choose to call themselves 'Morris Friends!!!' We appreciate their action very much. We are not too sure who you are and perhaps we had better not investigate too thoroughly! Thank you, all the same.

Joan Stark Marries Don Fletcher

Joan Shirley Stark and Donald N. Fletcher were united in marriage July 11 in the First Methodist Church. The Rev. Clayton Hoag performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Stark, 27 Walnut St.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fletcher, 11 Hill Place.

Mrs. Barbara Jones, Otego, was organist. Soloist was Mrs. John Gerald Chomyszal, Norwich.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white silk organza gown featuring a full cathedral train.

Her headpiece was a crown of white orange blossoms.

She carried a cascade arrangement of white butterfly roses, centered with a catalina orchid.

The bride's sister, Mrs. John Schenck, Troy, was the matron of honor. She wore a dress of jewel rose crystalette silk with a matching bow head piece.

Bridesmaids were Miss Judy Porter, Michigan; Miss Dori Hall, Delmar, and Miss Donna Esterbrook, Oneonta.

Miss Jennifer Polley, Oneonta, was flower girl wearing a white dress with a rose cummerbund. She carried yellow and white daisies in a white basket.

Terry Blackman, Walton, was best man.

Ushers were Clarence Fletcher Jr., Sequoit; Robert Esterbrook, Oneonta, and Paul Bingaman, Norwich.

A reception with 200 attending was held in the church social room.

After a trip to Massachusetts, New Jersey and Connecticut the newlyweds are living at 9 Hill Place.

Both are graduates of Oneonta High School.

Mrs. Fletcher was graduated from Ithaca College and teaches junior and senior high school physical education in Cobleskill.

Mr. Fletcher is a Mississippi Southern graduate and teaches 4th grade at the Perry Brown Elementary School in Norwich.

Jim Reeves Dies at 39 In Crash

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — "Gentleman Jim" Reeves, 39, whose body was found in the wreckage of a private, single-engine plane near here Sunday, was one of the big names in the music-recording industry.

The native of Panola County, Tex., shot to fame in 1953 when his recording "Mexican Joe" became a top-seller. A year later his "Bimbo" was the fifth largest-selling country and Western song in the nation.

Over the years Reeves became a leading proponent of what has been termed the "smooth school" of country music. Often billed as "Mr. Velvet," he followed a style that shied away from the twangy, fiddling mainstream of country music and tended more toward the smooth style of the crooners of past years.

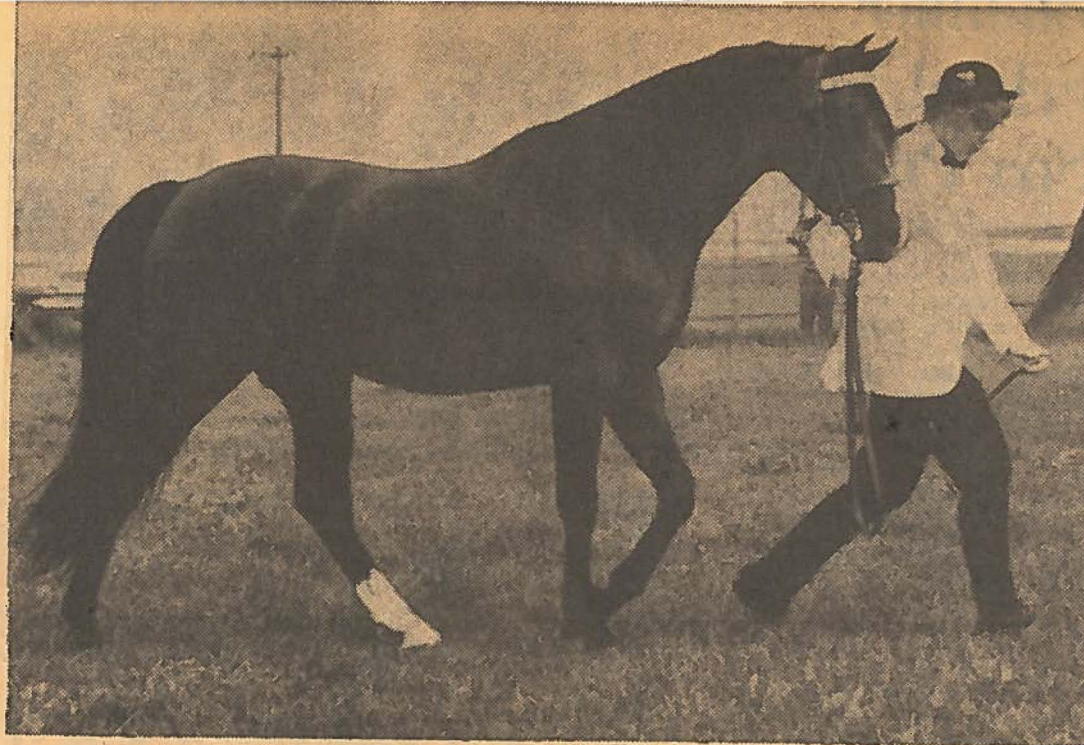
As a result of this, Reeves was one of a growing number of country artists who bridged the gap between the country and pop fields. His records sold well in both fields. He recorded for RCA Victor.

Reeves had appeared at the Otego County Fair in Morris.

Reeves followed an unfamiliar path to the entertainment world. He did learn to play the guitar as a child, but it was in athletics that he made his mark at the University of Texas.

He was later signed as a pitcher by the St. Louis Cardinals farm system and he often kidded that there was a day when he could strike out Mickey Mantle, who was a close personal friend of Reeves.

An injury forced Reeves to quit baseball and he parlayed his smooth voice into a radio announcer's job. He gradually moved into the singing field and, with "Mexican Joe," that became his full-time activity.



STATE GRAND CHAMPION — Shadel Irex 16869 last week won the title of grand champion stallion at the New York State Purebred Arabian Breeders Show in Syracuse. He is shown by 16 year old Sharon Decker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Decker of Morris, owners of Shadel Arabian Farm.

EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

Rev. Ernest A. Droppa, Minister of The First Methodist Church at Little Falls, New York, is one of my many friends whom I know by correspondence but have not had the privilege of meeting. Among his other good qualities is his sense of humor. What a privilege it must be to listen to his sermons! He sent me the following story:

A little boy was out visiting in the country. He went into the house and left the door open. An old grouch of a farmer was standing nearby and shouted at the top of his voice:

"Shut that door! Where do you think you were brought up — in a barn?"

The little boy shut the door. Then he went over to a stool, sat down, and began to cry his heart out.

The old farmer came over and said:

"I'm sorry, sonny, I didn't mean that you were brought up in a barn."

And the boy replied: "That's not it, Mister. I was brought up in a barn, and it makes me terribly homesick every time I hear an ass bray!"

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Deckers' Stallion Wins Championship

MORRIS (Special) — It's not often that a four-year-old can win the title of "Champion of Breed" over older and more mature stallions.

But that's what happened last week in the New York State Purebred Arabian Breeders Show at the State Fair Grounds in Syracuse. Shadel Irex 16869, born and bred on Shadel Arabian Farm at Morris, owned by Mr. and Mrs. George W. Decker

was shown by 16-year-old Sharon Decker. He not only took first place in a large class of stallions four years old and older, but went on to win the grand championship of the show.

It is no accident that Shadel Irex comes by this honor. His full brother is National Champion of Wales. His dam, Moraea, 16183, was a purebred Arabian mare that came from Scotland after having been shown in many European countries and taken many blue ribbons.

His English sire is Rafari G. S. B., who has won championships in England.

Shadel Irex' grandsire, Irex, is a legend in the Arab world. An "Irex Head" has become a phrase to express perfection; to measure excellence; to sum up all that is meant by "Classic Beauty."

Shadel Irex proudly carries this same type of head, conformation and perfect temperament, as well as transmitting them to his offspring.

Shadel Irex enjoys company and visitors are always welcome to see him and his foals.

Shadel earlier had won ribbons not only at the State Exposition and Hamburg Fair, but at the Quentin, Pa., show, the biggest Arabian Breeders show in the east. He has also won ribbons in a number of Breeders Shows, and in most area shows.

Just broken into for riding, he has yet to compete for honors in that kind of show, but the Deckers are confident that there will be plenty of them in the future.



A/2C DAVID SHIELDS of Dobbins Air Force Base, Ga., is spending a 21 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenraid Shields, New Lisbon.

Best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Valentine on the birth of a son. David William was born on July 22 at the Chenango Memorial Hospital, Norwich. The Valentines are now residing in Morris in the Durward Valentine home on Christian Hill. Welcome back - Bill, Joan and family.

Best wishes and congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Howell (Florence Snethen) on their marriage. We wish them happiness and look forward to seeing them when they can travel over from Greene.

Sohne, Snethen Vows Said

MORRIS — Georgianna Lee Snethen was married to Robert Augustus Sohne at the Methodist Church on July 11. The Rev. James Bartz, Bainbridge, and the Rev. Donald Eadie, Rugby, England, officiated. Mrs. Hazel Dyckman, Morris, was organist. Mrs. John Reese, Morris, was soloist.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. George H. Snethen, New Lisbon, and the late Mr. Snethen.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus C. Sohne, Mount Vision.

The bride was given in marriage by her great-uncle, Ralph B. Carson, Collegeville, Pa.

She wore an embroidered silk organza gown with a wingback collar and long pointed sleeves.

Her bouquet was of roses, stephanotis and ivy, centered with an orchid corsage.

Miss Patricia Lull, Morris, was maid of honor in a floor length mint green gown of silk organza and lace over satin. She carried a crescent arrangement of white carnations tied with a green ribbon.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. William Fisher, New Lisbon; Mrs. Warren Kinney, Morris, both sisters of the bride; and Mrs. John Hurtubise, Hartwick, sister of the groom. They wore gowns of blue, orchid and yellow respectively, styled identically to that of the maid of honor's. Each carried white carnations, tied with a ribbon in the color to match her gown.

Rebecca Jane Fisher, the bride's niece, was flower girl. She wore a pink gown, styled like the other attendants, and carried a miniature crescent bouquet of carnations and pink ribbon.

Harry Page Decker III, Morris, was best man.

The groom's nephew, John Hurtubise Jr., Hartwick, was ring bearer.

Ushers were William C. Fisher, New Lisbon; Warren C. Kinney, Morris; and John Hurtubise Sr., Hartwick.

A reception at Zion Parish House, was attended by 150.

After a wedding trip to Salt Lake City, Utah, the couple will make their home in Mount Vision.

Mrs. Sohne is a graduate of Morris Central School.

Her husband also graduated from Morris Central and is engaged in farming.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Sohne
(Bresee Photo)

Grange Sewers Win Awards

The Otsego County Grange sewing contest was held at the Butternut Valley Grange at Gilbertsville. There were 19 entries.

The winners were: Class A; First, Mrs. Alton Littlewood, Louisville Grange; second, Mrs. Arthur Leonard, Richfield Grange, and third Mrs. Sylva Emhof, Wharton Valley Grange.

These in Class B were: First, Miss Mary Walter, Louisville Grange; second, Miss Rita Moxley, Richfield Grange; and third Miss Shirley Jester, Otego Susquehanna Grange.

Class C: First, Mrs. Dorothy Woodbridge, Wharton Valley Grange; second, Mrs. Alton Littlewood, Louisville Grange, and third, Mrs. Verner Lent, Butternut Valley Grange.

The judges were Mrs. John Lennox, Delhi; Mrs. Peter Gregory, Morris, and Mrs. Charles Miller, Morris.

The first place winners will now go to the state contest which will be held next week at the Otego Susquehanna Grange under the direction of Mrs. Charles Scofield, state Grange Service and Hospitality Committee Chairman.



Miss Miller

WALTON — Mr. and Mrs. Everette C. Miller have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jean Melinda, to Ronald Kenneth Compeau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Compeau of Clayton.

Jean is a graduate of Walton Central School, class of 1961, and Broome Technical Community College. She is presently employed as a dental hygienist in Syracuse.

Mr. Compeau is a graduate of Clayton Central School and Delhi Tech. He is presently employed as a draftsman and estimator in Morris.

A spring wedding is planned



Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tuttle
(Star Staff Photo)

Golden Anniversary Celebrated by Tuttle

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tuttle of 26 Miller St., were honored August 9 at an open house given by their children. Over 100 friends and relatives came to

honor them on their 50th wedding anniversary.

A buffet luncheon was served by the couple's children at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Erwin Brown, Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle were married by the Rev. Gates in Greene on August 12, 1914.

They have four children: Jesse Tuttle, Guilford; Mrs. James Northrup, Oneonta; Mrs. Brown, and Mrs. Edward Borns, Oneonta; 15 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren.

EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

Two little old ladies were trading experiences about their physical troubles, as many people both old and young are wont to do. Finally, one little lady said to the other:

"I can get along with my liver trouble by controlling my diet, and I take pills for my *arthrititis*. My false teeth don't bother me any more; my bifocals fit just fine and I can read all but the fine print, but oh, my land! how I miss my mind!"

Or — put to verse — it goes like this:

"My bifocals give me pleasure
My dentures fit me fine
My bra gives me an uplift
But oh how I miss my mind!"

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Fisher-Gelder Vows Said

SIDNEY — Miss Mary Jane Gelder and Allan R. Fisher were united in marriage Saturday in a double ring ceremony performed at the bride's home by the Rev. Wallace Cedarleaf.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Gelder, Pearl Street, Sidney.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Alvin Fisher, Westfield, N. J., and the late Mr. Fisher.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street length sheath of Italian silk linen fashioned with a floor-length overskirt of the same material.

A matching bow was attached to her shoulder length veil.

She carried a cascade of stephanotis, phalaenopsis orchids and ivy.

Matron of honor was the bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert L. Gelder. She wore a street length pink silk dress and carried a cascade of pink sensation roses and ivy.

Two nieces of the bride, Anne and Cathy Gelder, served as junior bridesmaids. They wore mint green and pink organza dresses, respectively, and carried white baskets of mixed flowers.

Robert Hoesley, New Jersey, was best man. Ushering was Arthur Strock, also of New Jersey.

Following the ceremony, the couple greeted 40 guests at a wedding breakfast before leaving for a honeymoon in the Adirondacks.

Mrs. Fisher is a graduate of Sidney Central School and Syracuse University, where she was a member of Eta Pi Upsilon, Sigma Alpha Iota and Alpha Phi sorority.

Mr. Fisher, a 2nd Lt. in the N. J. National Guard, is a graduate of Westfield High School and Newark State College. He is a graduate student at Seton Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher are members of the school faculty in South Plainfield. They will make their home in Somerville, N. J.



Mrs. Allan R. Fisher
(Armitage Photo)

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Peggy Lennon, 23, one of the famed Lennon sisters trio with the Lawrence Welk orchestra, and Charles Richard Cathcart, 39, a trumpet player with the Welk band, were married in Santa Monica, Calif.

Morris Teachers Named

MORRIS — New teachers who have been obtained to teach during the 1964-65 school year at the Morris Central School include Mrs. Landon Van Buren of Oneonta who will replace Miss Palma Cerosaletti who retired from teaching in July.

Miss Cerosaletti taught the first grade. She taught from 1932 to 1935 in the former New Lisbon Number 12 District school, and from 1935 to 1964 in the Morris Central School with the exception of a half year off due to illness. Mrs. Van Buren is a 1962 graduate of State University College, Oneonta.

Mrs. C. James Herrick of Oneonta has been engaged to teach vocal music. Mrs. Herrick is a graduate of Lebanon Valley College (Pa.) and has taught four years in the schools of Smithfield, R.I. and Hackensack, N.J. She is director of music at Atonement Lutheran Church in Oneonta. Mrs. Herrick replaces Mrs. Sherwood Enck who will teach in the Bainbridge - Guilford Central School this year.

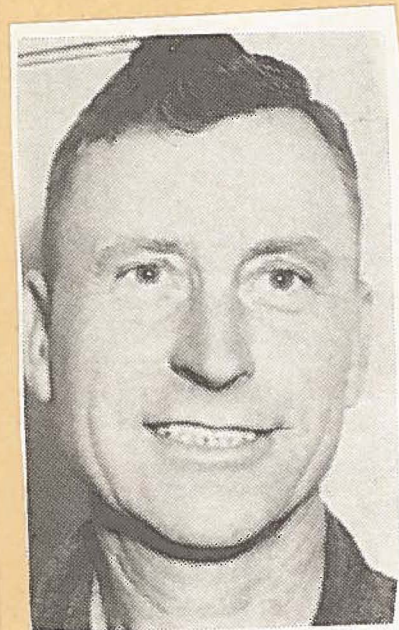
Mr. Larry Leahy of West Oneonta will teach social studies in place of Edward Griesmer who resigned to study for an advanced degree at State University College, Oswego. Mr. Leahy is a high school graduate of Otego Central School, and in June earned his B.S. degree from State University College, Oneonta. He will teach in grades 7, 8, and 9.

Mr. Keith Gourlay of Oneonta has been engaged to teach science in grades 7-12. His position is a new one, to permit physics and chemistry to be taught every year instead of on an alternate year basis. Mr. Gourlay has previous experience in the Tivoli High School and in Oneonta High School. During World War II he was a B-24 navigator in the Pacific.

A language teacher to replace Mrs. A. B. Musson, who retired, has not been obtained. Due to a critical shortage of teachers who are certified to teach both French and Latin, efforts are currently towards a French teacher.



WILLIAM STONE JR.,
son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stone, Morris has joined the Air Force and is taking basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex.



AL MONSON

A tractor accident on June 26th claimed the life of Alfred Monson of Edmeston. Al had served as supervisor representative on the Extension Service Association Board of Directors from 1950 to 1957. He had long been a community committeeman in his area. We take this opportunity to extend our sincere sympathy to the family and to pay our tribute to a loyal extension worker, a devoted father and husband, and one whose good judgment and disposition was appreciated by all.

Frank Duroe Celebrates

MORRIS — Frank Duroe was given a belated family birthday party Saturday evening, November 28th. His birthday was the 21st. Family members attending were daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gobel of Apalachin; son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Duroe of Peru, N.Y.; his sisters, Miss Eliza and Miss Ruth Duroe of Norwich.

Mr. Duroe, a retired farmer, is interested in all world affairs, as well as local things, and is very happy when he is surrounded by his grand children. His many friends wish him many more years of usefulness.



TASTY JOB — Mrs. Dewitt Quintin of Morris was busy in Floral Hall on the Otsego County Fairgrounds at Morris yesterday evaluating the qualities of the vast number of baked goods entered in open class competitions. She and Mrs. Shirley Keene of Gilbertsville, co-judge, had not made their report of awards late yesterday afternoon. (Star Staff Photo)

EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

Mrs. Maxson, the daughter of Ida Harrington — who some of you will remember as a Farmers' Institute speaker and Extension worker for the New York State College of Home Economics — told me this story which her mother used to love to tell on herself.

While Ida Harrington was giving a lecture she noticed a little boy sitting in the front row with his mother. The boy was, of course, not the least bit interested in her lecture, and feeling sorry for him as she saw him squirming in his seat, she said:

"Sonny, after my talk is finished we're going to have movies."

"Gosh!" sighed the boy. "That won't be 'till after you're dead!"

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EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

Women claim that they don't have any need for logic in their thinking because they can reach correct conclusions by intuition. Maybe that kind of reasoning is something like that of the characters in the following story:

A lunatic was trying to knock a nail into a wall. But he had the head of the nail against the wood and was hammering the point.

At length he threw down the nail in disgust and said:

"Bah! Idiots! They gave me a nail with the head at the wrong end."

Another inmate of the asylum who had been watching began to laugh:

"It's you that's the idiot," he said, as he jerked his thumb toward the opposite wall. "Nail was made for the other side of the room!"

Mona Tourtellotte Weds William L. Miles

HENSONVILLE — Mona Fern Tourtellotte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank O. Tourtellotte, RD1, Morris, was married November 28 in a single ring ceremony to William Leonard Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Miles, East Jewett. The ceremony took place in the Hensonville Methodist Church.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a white satin brocade gown she fashioned herself.

Her sister, Gail Carol Tourtellotte, 56 Maple St., Oneonta, was maid of honor.

Best man was Glen Davis,

Windham.

The groom's parents hosted the reception for 30 guests.

After a wedding trip the newlyweds are living in Ashland.

Mrs. Miles is a graduate of Morris Central School and the Utica School of Beauty Culture.

Her husband graduated from Windham-Ashland-Jewett Central School and served in the Army. He is employed at the Windham Ski Slope.

Plane Feared Down

Singer Jim Reeves Missing

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — The big names of country music discarded their fancy clothes and took to the wooded hills south of Nashville Saturday in search of singer Jim Reeves, missing aboard a plane feared to have crashed.

With Reeves, 39, on the light plane, last reported about 5:30 p.m. Friday when a thunderstorm hit the area, was his road manager and piano player, Dean Manuel, 30.

They were returning from a business trip to Batesville, Ark., when the craft disappeared from the radar screen at the Nashville Airport.

Many artists who headquarter in Nashville live in the Brentwood area, where the search centered. As the word spread, they donned their old clothes and joined hundreds of others in the hunt.

Marty Robbins, a star of the Grand Ole Opry, said he was washing his hair when the rain began. In jest, he ran outside to rinse his hair, and heard what sounded like a crash.

"Somebody's been killed out there," he told his wife.

Numerous other residents reported hearing a low-flying plane.

Guitarist Chet Atkins and

singers Eddie Arnold, Stonewall Jackson, Ernest Tubb and others famous in the country music field, along with the lesser-known sidemen, joined the search. Some hunted throughout the night.

As they checked out a rash of reports, they talked of accidents which have plagued the wide-ranging country artists in the past year and a half.

Singers Patsy Cline, Hawkshaw Hawkins and Cowboy Copas and Miss Cline's manager, Randy Hughes, died when their plane crashed near Camden, Tenn., March 5, 1963. Two days

later, Jack Anglin of the singing

team, "Johnny and Jack," was killed in an automobile wreck. Later in the year, former Opry singer Texas Ruby died in a house trailer fire.

Reeves attended the University of Texas and was signed as a pitcher by the St. Louis Cardinals for their Houston club. An arm injury in training camp ended his baseball career, and he turned to music.

He sang on the "Louisiana Hayride" radio show from Shreveport, La., and later joined Nashville's Grand Ole Opry. Among his better known

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AP Wirephoto
**Jim Reeves
Singer Missing**

Singer--

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recording are "Four Walls," "He'll Have to Go," and "Mexican Joe."

He recently was star of a movie, "Kimberly Jim," filmed in South Africa and just released in this country.

Like other country artists, he had other business interests. He had been to Batesville on a real estate transaction.

He recently told an interviewer that he would prefer to stay at home, but booked 100 personal appearances a year because "I like to perform before people."

"However, what I dislike most is the traveling," he said. "The main trouble—and danger, maybe—with tours is getting there and getting back."

HOLLYWOOD-TV DIARY

Dick Crenna's on Schedule

By REBA and BONNIE CHURCHILL

I HAVEN'T been out of work since I was 11 years old," said 36-year-old Richard Crenna, who seems about to cross the threshold of stardom.

Crenna, who played Walter Denton for three years on TV's *Our Miss Brooks* and also put in a six-year hitch as Luke McCoy of *The Real McCoys*, is now moving ahead to film stardom.

Also on the schedule is his own hour-long drama series on CBS-TV, to be called *Slattery's People*. Crenna will play the house minority leader in a state legislature on the show, tentatively listed for airing at 10 p. m. Mondays in the autumn.

HIS FILM ROLE puts him opposite Shirley MacLaine as the comedy lead of "John Goldfarb, Please Come Home!"

The veteran of 25 years in the entertainment world is fulfilling his early prediction by moving into the big time now.

"I've always felt that a top-flight leading man wouldn't start 'to move' until he was 35, when he had developed character lines in his face and style to his performance.

"Until then, the only thing available—if you're handsome enough—are romantic parts in which you're either a backdrop for the leading lady or a foil for the character actors," said the veteran actor, who began his career on radio as a backward Boy Scout.

CRENNA IS playing the role of a pilot who gets lost and lands in a mythical kingdom in "John Goldfarb." He invades the ruler's harem and rescues



Doffing His Farm Duds, Richard (Luke McCoy) Crenna Becomes a Star in His New Movie, "John Goldfarb, Please Come Home!"

Shirley, who is held a captive. in stimulating surroundings.

The caper has already won Dick an option for two more films at 20th Century-Fox, which will be sandwiched between his television series and several directing stints.

When he was growing up, Crenna's mother owned several residential hotels, and he lived

"It was the best dramatic training an aspiring actor could have," Dick recalled. "I did everything from running the switchboard to running the vacuum cleaner. Today, I could do a whole series about the various people I met just registering them in and out of the hotel."



FASHIONS FOR EVERYONE — Mrs. John D. Clarke, (left) and Mrs. Leland Burton modeled these dresses Wednesday at the Women's Club fashion show given by B. F. Sisson.

Susan C. Gregory

MOUNT VISION — Mrs. Susan C. Gregory, 74, of Mount Vision died at the home of her son, Robert Gregory, December 7 after a month's illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p. m. Wednesday in First Baptist Church of Mount Vision, with the Rev. Evan Roberts, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Hartwick Cemetery.

Mrs. Gregory was born Dec. 10, 1889 in New Lisbon, daughter of Elvin and Theresa (Gregory) Carleton. She was married at Welcome in March 1916 to Clare Gregory. She was a lifetime resident of the Mount Vision area.

Surviving besides her son are two grandchildren, five nephews and two nieces.

The family will receive visitors at Tilley Funeral Home at Mount Vision from 8 to 9 p. m. today.

Snethen-Howell Vows Exchanged In Morris Church

Mrs. Florence Snethen of New Lisbon, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Docker of Morris and the late Mr. Docker, was married to Earl C. Howell of Greene, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Howell, on Saturday, Aug. 1. The ceremony was performed in the Morris Methodist Church at 2 p. m., by the Rev. William Bartz of Unadilla, assisted by the Rev. Donald Eadie.

Mrs. Hazel Dyckman was the organist.

The bride chose a gown of aqua re-embroidered silk organza and wore an orchid corsage.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Joseph Binelli of Norwich, was attired in a gown of beige lace and wore a yellow orchid corsage.

The groom's son, Earl Howell, Jr., served as best man.

After a wedding trip to Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Howell will be at home at 18 Clinton St., Greene, N. Y. Both are employed at Scintilla.

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BETH LOUISE BOOKHOUT, 202 West Pleasant Ave., Syracuse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kester Bookhout, Oneonta RD 3, has graduated from Central City Business Institute, Syracuse. She went to work August 18 for American Mutual Liability Insurance Co., 404 Oak St., Syracuse.

Fred Musson

GILBERTSVILLE—Fred Musson, 79, died November 6 in The Hospital, Sidney.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday at 2 p. m. at the First Baptist Church, Gilbertsville, where he had been a life member. Officiating clergyman will be the pastor of the church, the Rev. John Williams. Burial will be in Brookside Cemetery, Gilbertsville.

Mr. Musson was born Sept. 22, 1885, in the Town of Butternuts, son of Enos J. and Louisa (Soules) Musson. In 1908 he married Lucy Daniels who died in September of 1949.

He married Lilley Greene in January of 1952.

Mr. Musson had lived all his life in the Gilbertsville area and was a dairy farmer, until retiring in 1961.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Albert Rudnitski of Gilbertsville, and Mrs. Adrian Richards, Morris; four sons, Richard, Albert and James, all of Gilbertsville, and Staff Sgt. Robert Musson, Dover, Delaware; nine grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren; two brothers, Clarence of Lakeland, Fla., and Arthur H. of Gilbertsville. Also several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the Moore Funeral Home, Gilbertsville, Saturday afternoon and evening.



Miss Spooner

Janet Spooner To Marry Larry Hilts

WEST EDMESTON — Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spooner have announced the engagement of their daughter, Janet Marie, to Larry M. Hilts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hilts, Oneida Street, Oneonta.

Miss Spooner graduated from Leonardsville Central School and is presently a junior at State University College, Oneonta.

Mr. Hilts graduated from Oneonta High School, attended Mohawk Valley Community College, and is employed by the Oneonta Bus Lines.

A January wedding is planned.

Good Show, But Uncertain Results Reported As Morris Fair Closes

Further Listings Of Winners In Various Classes

For the first time in years rain was not a factor in attendance at the Otsego County Fair held in Morris last week. Usually one or more days or nights during the week the grounds have been drenched but such was not the case this year. Cool weather late in the week was unseasonable, but this didn't seem to make any major difference.

The week started off with most favorable weather conditions but crowds were not large during these opening days. Friday and Saturday, despite cool weather, drew the largest crowds of the week, but even these had not been large to permit Fair officials to say with certainty this week that the '64 Fair was in the "black".

Robert M. Halbert, Gilbertsville, Fair secretary, said he presumed that it would be unless expenses had gotten out of hand someplace along the line. He said he had not been through the records but it was his impression that the gate through Thursday night was about equal to last year's, that Friday night's exceeded that of a year ago and that Saturday was about average.

A meeting of directors will probably be held, possibly at the Fair Grounds, on Friday evening, August 21 at which time more information will have been compiled.

In general the Fair found commendation. Floral Hall and 4-H Department exhibits were considered up to or above the usual standard. More produce was exhibited than has been the case in recent years. The Midway, though somewhat reduced in area, had much better than average rides and, according to Mr. Halbert, was well handled. Attendance was not large but those present at the grandstand shows felt they were good.

Last week's paper carried winners in some classifications. Others follow:

CANNING BLUE RIBBONS

Mrs. Arthur Barnberry, DeRuyter — Fruits — Apples, huckleberries, peaches, strawberries. Vegetables — wax beans, soup mixture. Pickle — pepper hash, pepper relish, sour cucumber. Meat — chicken, meat not listed. Jelly — apple, crabapple, currant, rasp-

berry and currant.

Mrs. Menzo Balcom, Mt. Vision — Fruit — cherries, apple juice, blackberry juice, raspberry juice, blackberry, gooseberry, grape, mint, black raspberry jelly, cherry jam, plum jam and raspberry jam.

Mrs. Gladys McWilliams, Morris — Fruit — Blackberries, pineapple, plums, raspberries, tomatoes, tomato juice. Vegetables — shell beans, beets, carrots, cauliflower, spinach greens, peas and carrots, succotash. Pickles — mixed, saccharin pickles, cider vinegar. Meat — canned pork, canned veal.

Jean Walter, Garrattsville — Fruit — gooseberries, pears. Vegetables — corn. Pickles — tomato chili sauce. Jams — currant, strawberry, marmalade.

Mrs. Ludwig Schmitt, Oneonta — Pickle — Green tomato, mustard.

Frances Matteson, West Laurens — Vegetables — string beans.

Mrs. Barbara Quintin, Morris — Vegetables — broccoli, peas. Pickles — dill.

Miss Marian Walter, Garrattsville — Pickles — sweet cucumber.

M. & B. Hoose, Cherry Valley — Honey comb, strained honey, maple syrup.

BAKING

Mrs. Florence Littlewood, Morris — Graham and white yeast bread, whole wheat bread, rye bread, stolen yeast bread, raised biscuits, cinnamon rolls, graham and white rolls, whole wheat rolls, hot cross buns, graham quick bread, Indian steam bread, filled and molasses cookies, brownies, chocolate and fruit drop cookies, chocolate and fruit cake, pork cake.

Mrs. Harold Bice, Morris — banana bread.

Mrs. Gladys McWilliams of Morris — white nut bread, fruit bread, tarts, drop cookies, honey cake, maple sugar cake, molasses cake, pound cake, tea cake, apple and French apple pie, graham cracker crust pie, mince and raisin pie.

Marjorie Crawford, Otego — sponge cake.

Mrs. Richard Cook, Morris — quick bread, ice box drop cookies, oatmeal drop cookies.

Mrs. Blanche Holbrook, Otego — maple sugar drop cookies. Miss Molly Canham, Mt. Upton — unlisted cake.

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Top Cooks Nominated At Morris

MORRIS—Otsego County's top cooks won a multitude of ribbons at the Otsego County Fair here.

Among the blue ribbon winners selected by the judges Monday and Tuesday were:

BAKING: Mrs. Florence Littlewood, Morris; Mrs. Harold Bice, Edmeston; Mrs. Gladys McWilliams, Morris; Marjorie Crawford, Otego; Mrs. Richard Cook, Morris; Blanche Holbrook, Otego; Mrs. Clifford Jordan, Morris; Miss Mollie Conham, Mount Upton; Mrs. Madelyn Gilbert, Gilbertsville; Mrs. Menzo Balcom, Mount Vision.

Canning: Mrs. Arthur Barnberry, DeRuyter; Mrs. Menzo Balcom, Mount Vision; Mrs. Gladys McWilliams, Morris; Jean Walter, Garrattsville; Mrs. Ludwig Schmitt, Oneonta; Frances Matteson, West Laurens; Mrs. Barbara Quintin, Morris; Miss Marian Walter, Garrattsville; M. Hoose, B. Hoose, Cherry Valley; Mrs. Blanche Jarvis, West Oneonta; Mrs. Clifford Ingalls, Schenevus; Pierstown Grange.

Green Thumb Awards Made at Fair

MORRIS — With the advantage of more space for display and an excellent season for flowers, an unusually large variety of flowers and plants was in competition at the County Fair.

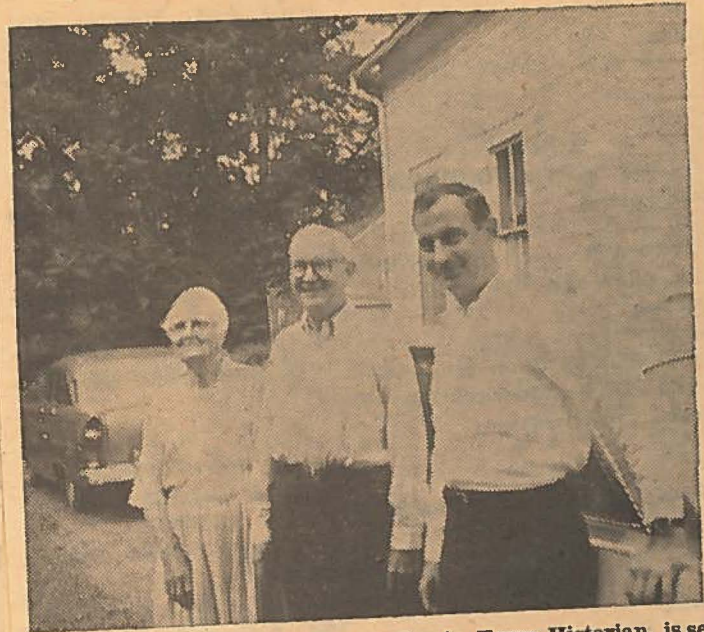
Awarded blue ribbons for their entries were:

FLOWERS — Mrs. Martha Lyons, Morris; Mrs. Blanche Holbrook, Morris; Mrs. Arthur Barnberry, DeRuyter; Robert Lindsey, Bainbridge; Mrs. Florence Littlewood, Morris; Myra Hoose, Cherry Valley; Glenn Marble, Morris; Pierstown Grange; Susan Barton, Morris; Myrtle Emerson, Morris.

FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS — Glenn Marble, Morris; Mrs. Marjorie Canham, Mount Upton; Robert Lindsey, Bainbridge; Mrs. Dewitt Quintin, Morris;

POTTED PLANTS — Glenn Marble, Morris; Mrs. Blanche Holbrook, Morris; Mrs. Barbara Quintin, Morris; Pierstown Grange.

Recent Visitors To Morris



Mrs. Gertrude Sanderson of Morris, Town Historian, is seen in the yard of her home on South Broad St. on Sunday morning July 26 with her son, Le Grand, and her grandson, Robert, both of Buffalo, who arrived Friday night preceding to spend the weekend with her. Mr. Le Grand Sanderson is an officer of the Marine Midland Bank and Robert is in the manufacturing business in Buffalo.



The Philip Secor family of North Carolina were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Smith of Morris the weekend of July 26. Seen above (l-r) are Katy Secor, Mrs. Smith, Nanette, Mrs. Secor and David. Standing is Dr. Secor who left on the above date to go to New York where he is enrolled in the Union Theological Seminary for a special summer course. Mrs. Secor (the Smith's daughter, Anne) joined Dr. Secor in New York last Friday. Nanette remained in Morris for another week. Mr. Smith has been in Fox Hospital, Oneonta, during the entire period, having treatment for ulcers.

Another branch of the family, Mrs. John Maynes and her children arrived at Gilbert Lake State Park on the July 26 weekend and has been camping there since. They will be here for another week. Mr. Maynes joined his family camping this past weekend. With him was an aunt, Mrs. Lucy Buchanan, who stayed with Mrs. Smith before returning to Albany on Monday with Mr. Buchanan. Mrs. Maynes is also one of the Smith's daughters.

Matteson-Hanson Vows Exchanged



In a beautiful ceremony in Zion Episcopal Church, Morris, on Sunday, Aug. 23, at 2 p.m., Miss Joan Frances Matteson and Allen Ralph Hanson exchanged wedding vows. The Rev. William Matthers, rector, performed the double ring ceremony.

Miss Matteson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Matteson of West Laurens and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. (Continued on page three)

MATTESON-HANSON VOWS EXCHANGED

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Ralph Hanson of Morris. White and yellow gladioli and white pompoms were used in the church decorations. Gerry Russell of Oneonta played traditional music and accompanied Frank Desmarais of Albany, the soloist.

The bride, who was escorted by her father, chose a floor length gown of silk organza with a portrait neckline and full skirt and chapel train. Her fingertip veil was attached to a crown of pearls and organza roses. She carried a bouquet of stephanotis with a white orchid corsage center.

The groom's sister, Miss Karen Hanson, served as maid of honor. Her floor length gown was of mint green silk organza over taffeta, fashioned with a floating back panel falling over a bell shaped skirt. She wore a matching headpiece. Her bouquet was yellow and white pompoms. The bridesmaids, Miss Donna Matteson of Mt. Upton, cousin of the bride, Miss Roseann Moreno of Utica and Miss Renis Weiboldt of Port Jervis, wore gowns identical to the maid of honor in pale yellow and carried bouquets of green gladioli and white pompoms.

John Whitman of Morris performed the duties of the best man.

The guests were ushered by Anton Sholl of Sidney, a cousin of the groom, and James and John Matteson, brothers of the bride.

Mrs. Matteson chose a pink lace dress and pink hat for her daughter's wedding. She wore a corsage of white stephanotis. Mrs. Hanson, the groom's mother, was attired in a taupe silk organza gown and wore a corsage of sweetheart roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception for 200 guests was held in the church parish house. A large arrangement of yellow glads and pompoms centered the buffet table. The five tiered wedding cake was made by the bride's mother. Music was furnished by Marge Dorfler.

After a wedding trip to Bermuda, the couple will be at home at 203 Eastwood Ave., Ithaca.

Both are graduates of Morris Central School. The bride was graduated from SUC Oneonta and will teach in Belle Sherman School, Ithaca. Mr. Hanson is a graduate of Clarkson College of Technology and will attend Cornell Graduate School.

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Russ Card Takes Bride

Irene Bourgeois Wed



Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Card
(Tipple Photo)

Irene Louise Bourgeois and Russell Cloyd Card were married September 5 by the Rev. Leo Markert at St. Mary's Catholic Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bourgeois, West Oneonta.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Card, Morris.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of silk, styled with a scoop neckline and floor length full skirt. The neckline was enhanced with appliques of lace and pearls.

Her elbow length veil attached to a pearl coronet.

She carried her first communion book surrounded by yellow sweetheart roses and white carnations.

Attending the bride was Miss Sue Wiedeman, Oneonta. She wore a yellow silk dress with an embroidered bodice and carried yellow and white pompoms.

Joseph Casazza, Brooklyn, was best man.

Luther Card Jr., Morris, brother of the groom, was best man.

A reception for 30 was held in the Danish Brotherhood Hall, Cliffside, Cooperstown Junction.

After a wedding trip to Boston the couple is making their home at RD3, River Street, Oneonta.

Mrs. Card attended Oneonta High School.

Her husband attended Morris Central School and is employed by Jerry B. Wilson Inc., Oneonta.

Milton B. Decker

MORRIS — Milton Bryant Decker, 51, of Morris, died unexpectedly Wednesday November 25, in Fox Hospital, Oneonta, after a heart attack.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday Nov. 28, in Sloan Funeral Home, Morris. The Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor of the Morris Methodist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mr. Decker was born May 25, 1913 in Scott Center, Pa., son of Marion and Bessie (Bryant) Decker.

He married Agnes Linden June 30, 1943 in Oneonta.

Mr. Decker was employed by Baker's Hardware Store in Oneonta and had lived in Morris most of his life.

He is survived by his wife, a daughter, Miss Lorraine Decker, Morris; his father, of Laurens; two brothers, Ceylon Decker, Morris, and Donald Decker, West Oneonta; and two sisters, Mrs. Donald Patton, Oneonta; and Mrs. William Cornell, Morris RD.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday.



While Rev. Wilfred Lyon of the Morris charge was conducting a group of young people on a friendship tour of Europe last Summer, his church pulpits were served by Rev. and Mrs. Donald Eadie of Bradford, England. Both of the Eadies have had special training in theology and a rich background of experience in special religious activities. Appreciation of their work on the Morris charge was indicated by the fact that a special trip for them to Washington and New York City was financed by members of the churches which they served during the Summer. The picture above shows the Eadies while they were temporarily located at Morris.

Heart Attack Fatal to Gracie Allen

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — The great comedy team of Burns and Allen has ended with the death by heart attack of Gracie Allen, whose nitwit fantasies charmed two generations of Americans. She was 58.

The comedienne died at 11:15 Thursday night at Cedars of Lebanon Hospital, after suffering a heart attack about 10 p.m. at her Beverly Hills home. George Burns, her partner in show business for 34 years and in marriage for 38, rode with her in an ambulance to the hospital.

"It's all right, honey," he told her repeatedly. "You'll be okay."

Mrs. Burns was taken to a private room where she died with her husband still at her side. She had experienced mild heart attacks in the past, but appeared in good health until last evening.

Her death brought a close to one of show business' closest partnerships in vaudeville, radio, movies and television. They were seldom separated during their marriage and each was vocal in admiration for the other.



NEW TO FACULTY — New teachers at Morris Central School, introduced to parents for the first time at the opening PTA meeting, are (L-R) Front Row, Mrs. Louise Van Buren, Oneonta, First Grade; Mrs. Maria Ferenbaugh, Otego, French; Mrs. Williams Matthers, Morris, P.T.A. President; Back Row,

Warren Ryther, Morris, Supervising Principal; Keith Gourlay, Oneonta, science; Larry Leahy, Oneonta, Social Studies. Not present for picture were Mrs. Lois Herrick, Oneonta, vocal music, and Mrs. Jackeline Piers, Oneonta, reading specialist.

Morris Plans 186 Days Of School

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Morris Meets New Teachers

MORRIS (Special) — New teachers were introduced to Morris parents at the initial meeting of the PTA Monday.

Mrs. William Matthers, president, welcomed the parents and teachers.

Committee chairmen for the coming year were announced as follows: Program, Mrs. Donald Collison; ways and means, Mr. and Mrs. Kenraid Shields; membership, Mrs. Joseph Milliken; hospitality, Mrs. Frank Duroe; publicity, Mrs. Harold Crumb;

Keith Gourlay of Oneonta will teach science in grades 7-12. His position is a new one, to permit physics and chemistry to be taught every year instead of on an alternate year basis. Mr. Gourlay has previous experience in the Tivoli High School and in Oneonta High School.

A language teacher to replace Mrs. A. B. Musson, who retired, has not been obtained. Due to a critical shortage of teachers who are certified to teach both French and Latin, efforts are currently towards a French teacher.

telephone, Mrs. Donald Foote; legislation, Harold Rock; service, Mrs. John Kogut; UNICEF Mrs. Phillip Williams.

The Ways and Means Committee reported that PTA will prepare and serve a dinner for the Farm Bureau on October 12, as a money earning project.

Principal Warren Ryther introduced the members of the Board of Education and faculty members. New teachers were introduced by other members of the faculty. Approximately 95 parents and teachers attended.

Refreshments and social hour followed the business meeting. Officers of the unit, in addition to Mrs. Matthers, are Mrs. Steve Salata, vice president; Mrs. Butler Quintin, secretary, and Leon Wayand, treasurer.

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New Teachers Employed At Morris

New teachers who will teach during the 1964-65 school year in the Morris Central School include Mrs. Landon Van Buren of Oneonta who will replace Miss Palma Cerosaletti who retired from teaching in July. Miss Cerosaletti taught the first grade. Mrs. Van Buren is a 1962 graduate of State University College, Oneonta.

Mrs. C. James Herrick of Oneonta has been engaged to teach vocal music. Mrs. Herrick is a graduate of Lebanon Valley College (Pa.) and has taught four years in the schools of Smithfield, R. I. and Hackensack, N. J. She is Director of Music at Atonement Lutheran Church in Oneonta. Mrs. Herrick replaces Mrs. Sherwood Enck who will teach in the Bainbridge - Guilford Central School this year.

Larry Leahy of West Oneonta will teach social studies in place of Edward Griesmer who resigned to study for an advanced degree at S.U.C., Oswego. Mr. Leahy is a high school graduate of Otego Central School, and in June earned his S. degree from S.U.C.O. He will teach in grades 7, 8, and 9.

In Episcopal Church

Sharon Palmer Married

MORRIS — Sharon Jane Palmer became the bride of Charles Joseph Bosco in a double ring ceremony at Zion Episcopal Church August 22.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Palmer, Morris and Mr. Bosco is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bosco, Schenectady.

The Rev. William Matthers, performed the ceremony. The organist was Jerry Russell of Oneonta and James Palmer, brother of the bride, was acolyte.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of peau de soie with a detachable chapel length train. The dress was styled with a portrait neckline, three quarter length sleeves and appliqued with Alencon lace.

Her elbow length veil of silk illusion was attached to a crown of seed pearls.

She carried a white orchid with stephanotis and caladium leaves.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Peter Gregory, Morris, sister of the bride, wore a floor length gown of white linen with orange and green flowered embroidery. Her headpiece was an orange bow and she carried a bouquet of orange gladiolas and yellow pompons.

Bridesmaids were Miss Cheryl Heller, Oneonta, cousin of the bride; Miss Cheryl Hodge, Schenectady, and Miss Marilyn Andrews, Morris.

Their gowns and bouquets were identical to that of the matron of honor. Their headpieces were loden green bows.

Miss Theresa Kinney, Schuyler Lake, cousin of the bride, and Miss Stacia Gregory, Morris, niece of the bride, were flower girls. They wore floor length gowns of white embroidered batiste and carried miniature bouquets similar to that of the matron of honor.

Dick Bosco, Schenectady, brother of the groom, was best man.

Ushers were Frederick Palmer, Washington, D.C., brother of the bride; James Schottenham, Connecticut; and William George, Long Island.

A reception immediately fol-



Mrs. Charles J. Bosco
(Jobmann Photo)

lowing the ceremony was held in the Episcopal Parish House. Following the reception the couple left for a honeymoon trip to the Poconos. On their return, they will make their home in Albany.

The bride attended Morris Central School and was a June graduate of Hudson Valley Community College, Troy. She is

presently employed as a dental hygienist in Albany.

The groom attended Mont Pleasant High School, Schenectady, and served with the Army for two years. He was also a June graduate of Hudson Valley Community College and is presently enrolled as an undergraduate student at Albany State Teachers College.

EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

Mr. and Mrs. William Valentine of Morris are parents of a son David William, born July 22, in Chenango Memorial Hospital, Norwich.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Wood, Newport, R. I., a daughter, Sharon Margaret, on July 15. Mrs. Wood is the former Margaret Knapp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Knapp of Morris.

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An Irishman, crossing the street, was knocked down by a big dog. Just as he was getting on his feet, he was knocked down again by a Volkswagon. Another man rushed over to see if the Irishman was hurt. Apparently none the worse for wear, he scrambled to his feet and said:

"Sure'n I didn't mind the dog so much, but that tin can tied to his tail near done me in."

American Agriculturist, October, 1964

Mrs. Nellie M. Hartwell

WALTON — Mrs. Nellie May Hartwell, 88, of 37 Shepard St., died October 20 in Delaware Valley Hospital after a long illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Lyon Brothers Chapel, Walton, with the Rev. Douglas Walrath, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial will be in Walton Cemetery.

Mrs. Hartwell was born Jan. 19, 1876 in Margaretville, daugh-

ASCS Office
Manager
To Retire

COOPERSTOWN — The forthcoming retirement of Clyde Craft, for over ten years office manager of the Otsego Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, has been announced by Laurence D. Hansen, chairman of ASCS County Committee.

Mr. Craft is retiring as of November 1, and applications are being taken for the position paying a starting salary of \$7,220 annually, said Mr. Hansen.

General requirements as listed by Mr. Hansen are: Citizen of the United States; at least two years of college education; experience as an employe in the operational phases of farm programs or a business dealing mainly with farmers and farm background or experience.

Application blanks are available at the Otsego ASCS County Office, Village Library Building in Cooperstown, and should be filed on or before October 1.

Mrs. Mary Tuttle

Mrs. Mary Tuttle, 72, of 26 Miller St., died October 30 in Fox Hospital, where she had been a patient for two days.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, November 2, in Bookhout Funeral Home, with the Rev. Clayton W. Hoag, pastor of First Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Oneonta Plains Cemetery.

Mrs. Tuttle was born March 12, 1892, in Coventry, daughter of Fred E. and Hattie (Scott) Cornish. She was married Aug. 12, 1914, in Greene to Earl V. Tuttle. She had been a resident of Oneonta for 41 years, and was a member of First Methodist Church.

Surviving besides her husband are one son, Jesse E., of Guilford; three daughters, Mrs. James Northup, Cemetery Road, Oneonta; Mrs. Erwin Brown, Sidney; Mrs. Edward Burns, 15 Garden St.; a sister, Mrs. Bertha Zeidner, 1/2 Harrison Ave.; 15 grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 3 p.m. today. The family will be present from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday.

Night and Day End
For Cole Porter

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Cole Porter went home Friday — to Indiana.

The internationally famed composer of "Night and Day" and "Begin the Beguine" died Thursday night at 71 — a multimillionaire, confidant of celebrities in the cafe society of two continents, but a man without any immediate kin.

Friends did what he had asked. They shipped his body to his birthplace, Peru, Ind., to be buried between his wife and mother.

His closest relative, J. Omar Cole, of Peru, a first cousin, was arranging private services there.

Porter died Thursday night after an operation to remove a kidney stone. He had been in failing health for years.

He wrote the music and lyrics for such Broadway shows as "The Gay Divorcee," "Anything Goes," "Red, Hot and Blue,"

"Something for the Boys," "Kiss Me Kate," "Can Can" and his last, in 1955, "Silk Stockings."

He had been retired since 1958, still reaping the riches from royalties for such songs as "True Love," "What is This Thing Called Love?" "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," "You'd Be So Nice to Come Home To," "Don't Fence Me In," "I've Got You Under My Skin," and "Wunderbar."

He was born wealthy — his father was a gentleman farmer, his grandfather a timberman made rich by coal discovered on his lands. The million dollars he inherited was turned into a multimillion-dollar fortune by his decades as a top composer.

He maintained a home in Brentwood, a Los Angeles suburb, and an entire floor at New York's Waldorf. His wife, the former Linda Lee Thomas, whom he married in Paris in 1919, died in 1954. They had no children.

ter of Robert and Caroline (Dury) Utter. She was twice married. She was first married to James W. France in 1893 at Readburn. He died in 1914. She was then married to William L. Hartwell in 1916 in Sidney Center. He died in 1963.

She had lived at her last residence for 14 years, and in the vicinity of Walton all her life except for ten years in Alberta, Canada.

She attended the Baptist Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Miss Ethel M. France and Miss Cora E. France, both of Walton; a son, William D. Hartwell, Walton; 11 grandchildren and nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the chapel from 7 to 9 p.m. today and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday.

Mrs. Storck Can Retire**Family Continues Tradition**

By ANN KIMBALL
Star Woman's Editor

For the first time in 17 years the call to school last week for area students and teachers went unheeded by Mrs. Bessie Osterhout Storck.

After a total of 26 years in the public schools, educating two of her children to the teaching profession, and teaching side by side with two sisters, Mrs. Storck has retired.

When members of her family get together, shop talk means discussion of teaching — that's what most of them know. Two of her children married teachers and one of her sister's children is a teacher.

In June of this year, SUCO lost an assistant professor and the first grade supervisor of the Bugbee Campus School, Mrs. Storck held both titles.

AFTER graduating from Oneonta High School in 1922, she began teaching. The following four summers were spent in summer sessions on the hill at the State Teachers College. After receiving a training school equivalency diploma, she continued teaching for three years. During these seven years Miss Osterhout was married to Frank Storck and their family, two daughters and a son, began to arrive. For the next 18 years Mrs. Storck was busy raising her family.

In 1947, after obtaining a BS and her Master's from SUCO, Mrs. Storck went back to the classroom.

Schools in Treadwell, Frankfort, Sidney, Hobart, South Kortright, Bloomville and Unadilla are familiar territory for her. She has either taught regular sessions or presented week-day gious training programs in any of these schools.

Before teaching at Bugbee, Mrs. Storck was a member of the executive committee of the Warren County Council of Teachers. She is a member of the Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, the American Childhood Association, Association for Student Teaching, New York State Teachers Association, the National Education Assn., a past



SHORT TIME FOR MEMORIES — In a quiet moment during Mrs. Bessie Storck's usually busy day, she glances through the scrapbook given to her by Bugbee School students when she retired last June as first grade supervisor.

president of the Delaware County Teachers Assn. and a member of Oneonta Chapter, DAR.

ONE DAUGHTER, Mrs. Kathryn Eggleston, a former teacher at Center St. School, is assistant admissions director at Georgia Southern, Kathryn's husband Gordon has an assistantship in the physical education department at the same college.

Their son, Lawrence is a physical education supervisor and teacher at Brookside Junior High School in Sarasota, Fla. His wife is a business education teacher at the Sarasota Business College.

Two sisters, Mrs. Maurice Judd and Mrs. Gus Kathmann, are teachers in the Franklin Central School. A niece, Mrs.

Jerry Russell of Oneonta, is a teacher in the Morris Central School.

Mr. and Mrs. Storck's other daughter, Mrs. Raymond Barnett, lives with her husband in Miami where they own and operate the Aqua Kart Corp.

Mrs. Storck, now relaxing with her husband Frank, a retired Scintilla employee, at their summer home on Good-year Lake, says that they plan on getting to know their nine grandchildren better now. Winter months will be spent in Florida closer to all of their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Storck are active members of the Elm Park Methodist Church and both enjoy bowling very much.

They may be retired but they have no plans for just sitting back to let the world go by!



Miss Tourtellotte

MORRIS — A late November wedding is being planned by Miss Mona Tourtellotte and William Miles.

The betrothal has been announced by the parents of the bride-to-be, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tourtellotte.

The future bride is a 1963 graduate of Morris Central School and a 1964 graduate of the Utica School of Beauty Culture.

Her fiance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Miles of East Jewett, is a 1959 graduate of Windham - Ashland-Jewett Central School. He recently completed his military duty in the Army.

**Dyers Wed 60 Years**

Mr. and Mrs. George Alfred Dyer, Schenevus, formerly of Jefferson, quietly celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary recently with members of their family present. They were married September 28, 1904, in Jefferson. Mr. and Mrs. Dyer have two children; Mrs. Warren English, Morris, John L. Dyer, Cortland; and 3 grandchildren. They have resided in Schenevus since 1949.

WILLIAM W. YOUNG JR.
COOPERSTOWN — William W. Young Jr., 72, died Tuesday, October 20, at Basset Hospital in Cooperstown, where he had been a patient one day.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Ottman Funeral Home, Cherry Valley, with the Rev. Horace del Pozzo, pastor of the Richfield Springs Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Burial will be in the Springfield Center Cemetery.

Mr. Young was born April 13, 1892 in East Springfield, the son of William W. and Laura Dutcher Young. On Feb. 17, 1915, he was married to Martha Skinnion.

He was a member of the Order of Redmen of Cooperstown, and had been employed by the Clark estate in Cooperstown for over 20 years.

Mr. Young is survived by his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Henry Benjamin of New Berlin, Mrs. Ralph Buddle of Richfield Springs and Mrs. Thelma Stocking of Rome, four sons, William H. of Morris, Laverne of Cherry Valley, Kenneth of Westville and Leonard of Richfield Springs, 32 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and two brothers, Jerome Sr. of Cherry Valley and Arthur Young of East Springfield.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday afternoon and evening.

The family will be in attendance Thursday evening.

The Rev. Samuel J. Truscott

Former District Superintendent Dies

The Rev. Samuel J. Truscott, 63, of Ocean Grove, N. J., former Oneonta Methodist Church District superintendent for six years and outstanding Wyoming Conference official since 1929, died Saturday, October 3, in the Methodist Hospital, Brooklyn.

His death came after surgery performed Thursday, October 1, in the hospital.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday, October 6, in St. Paul's Methodist Church, 80 Embury Ave., Ocean Grove, N. J. The Rev. Albert S. Layton, pastor, will officiate.

Further funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 7, in the Tunkhannock Methodist Church, Tunkhannock, Pa. The Rev. Mr. Woodhall, pastor, will officiate.

Burial will be in Sunnyside Cemetery, Tunkhannock.

Mr. Truscott was a member of a family of ministers which covered several generations.

He was born Sept. 20, 1901, in Nanticoke, Pa., son of the Rev. James and Jane (Tyson) Truscott.

After graduating from high school in Dickson City, Pa., he served four years as an appren-



SAMUEL J. TRUSCOTT

tice machinist in the shops of the Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad.

He was graduated from the Practical Bible Training College of Johnson City in 1924.

In 1928, Mr. Truscott received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Syracuse University and started

out his long career in the Methodist ministry in the Northern New York Conference.

In 1929, he entered the Wyoming Conference where he has served on every commission, board and committee at one time or another until his death.

He served pastorates in Skinner's Eddy, West Nanticoke, Dalton, Tunkhannock, Kingston and the Asbury Methodist Church of Scranton.

For six years, he was district superintendent in the Oneonta District and later was superintendent of the Children's Home of the Wyoming Conference in Pennsylvania.

For 14 years he was assistant secretary, then secretary of the conference and for eight years, was chairman of the Board of Ministerial Training.

He was honored by his conference and chosen delegate to the Methodist General Conference of 1960 and Jurisdictional Conferences of 1956 and 1960.

Also, Mr. Truscott served as a delegate to the Ecumenical Methodist Conference in Oxford, England in 1951.

Mr. Truscott was also an active member of all branches of the Masonic Fraternity, the In-

ternational Order of Odd Fellows and three service clubs — Rotary, Kiwanis and Lions.

He was president of the Inter-Conference Council at Syracuse University and was granted the honorary doctorate of divinity degree from Hartwick College in 1959.

After retirement at this time, Mr. Truscott was chairman of the program committee of the Ocean Grove, N. J., Camp Meeting Association, where he planned summer-long religious programs including more than two dozen preachers for auditorium services and religious meetings.

At the time of his death, Mr. Truscott was vice-president and trustee of the Ocean Grove Camp Meetings Association.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rosalind Truscott, 87 Webb Ave., Ocean Grove; a son, Donald J. Truscott, Key West, Fla.; two daughters, Mrs. Eleanor VerNooy, Brooklyn, and Mrs. Janice Rollins, Los Angeles, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Smailes, Ocean Grove, and Mrs. Richard J. Davey, Rochester; two brothers, Raymond J. Truscott, Jermyn, Pa., and Francis T. Truscott, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and six grandchildren.

E. Levern Lull

MORRIS — E. Levern Lull, 86, of Morris, died suddenly October 13 at his home.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday in Zion Episcopal Church, with the Rev. William Matthers, rector, officiating. Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mr. Lull was born Sept. 22, 1878 at the Lull homestead in Morris, son of Ezra and Marcia (White) Lull Jr. He married Olive Allen Feb. 1, 1899 in Morris.

He was the first rural mail carrier out of Morris postoffice, carrying the mail from Sept. 1, 1905 until his retirement in December, 1945.

He was a member of Zion Church, Tienuderrah Lodge, F&AM for 55 years.

Surviving besides his wife are two daughters, Mrs. Charles Fay of Morris and Mrs. Jack Simpson of Tulsa, Okla.; four grandsons, Michael and Timothy Fay, Thomas and David Simpson; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the family home. Masonic services will be held at 8 p.m. today at Sloans Funeral Home, Morris.

Wanda A. Kullmann

SOUTH NEW BERLIN—Mrs. Wanda A. Kullmann, 58, of South New Berlin, librarian of the South New Berlin Free Library and organist at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church for many years here, died unexpectedly Thursday, October 15, in her home.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 17, in the Tamsett Funeral Home, South New Berlin. The Rev. Charles Tyler, rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in the Riverside Cemetery, South New Berlin.

Mrs. Kullmann was born April 20, 1906, in New Berlin, daughter of John Percy and Maude Eva (Yager) McGuire.

She was married to Adelbert Kullmann June 25, 1929 in New Berlin.

Mrs. Kullmann had lived in South New Berlin all her life. She was a graduate of South New Berlin High School and Syracuse University.

She was a member of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Episcopal Church Women of St. Matthew's Church, Norwich Extension Service, Fortnightly Study Club, and was a past matron of the Order of Eastern Star.

Mrs. Kullmann is survived by

her husband, her mother, Mrs. Maude Shaw, South New Berlin; a daughter, Mrs. Royce Strait Jr., Morris; a son, Peter Kullmann, Sidney; a sister, Mrs. Robert Anderson, Scotia; a brother, John P. McGuire, South New Berlin; three grandchildren and five nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the funeral home at their convenience.

Family will be in attendance from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday.

Chase Resigns Highway Post

CHERRY VALLEY — Guy Chase has resigned as an employe of the State Department of Public Works.

He was highway foreman in charge of light maintenance with headquarters in Cherry Valley. He has lived in Cherry Valley since December 1942.

William D. Mead, Cherry Valley, R.D. has been appointed to fill the vacancy left by the retirement of Mr. Chase.

Mr. Chase says he and his family will continue to make their home in Cherry Valley spending as much time as possible at their camp at Fair Haven.

Keith Matteson Heads Morris Board Of Education

Keith Matteson was elected president of the Board of Education, Morris Central School, at its reorganization meeting held last week. Mr. Matteson of Laurens, RD, has been a member of the Board for eight years. Mrs. Alma N. Elliott was elected as Vice president.

The following officers were re-elected for the current year: District Clerk, Everette Sherman; District Treasurer, Mrs. Jane Knickerbocker; District Collector, Misse Rose Wright; Purchasing Agent, Warren B. Ryther; School Physician, Dr. Joseph Phelps; Attendance Officer, Mrs. Marion Dodge.

The First National Bank, Morris, was designated the official depository and the Morris Chronicle the official newspaper.

The Board of Education holds regular monthly meetings the second Monday of each month.

Mrs. Florence M. Fieg

Mrs. Florence M. Fieg, 75, of 10 North Sixth Street, widow of Lothar Fieg, long-time Oneonta contractor and builder, died Saturday, October 3, in Fox Hospital where she had been a patient for three months.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3 p.m., Tuesday, October 6, in Bookhout Funeral Home, with the Rev. Merlin A. Ditmer Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating.

Burial will be in Glenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Fieg was born January 14, 1889 at Twin Lakes, Pa., a daughter of William and Celestia (Newman) Shields. She married Mr. Fieg on September 3, 1914 in Corbett, N.Y. He died August 23, 1958.

A resident of Oneonta for 45 years, Mrs. Fieg had formerly resided in Delaware County. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church.

Surviving are three sons, Lothar Fieg Jr., Ste. Genevieve, Mo.; Franklin Fieg, 2 City View Drive, and V. Philip Fieg, Syracuse; four daughters, Mrs. James J. McGonigal, Milford Center; Mrs. Richard Bookhout, 31 Woodside Ave.; Mrs. Robert Whiteside, Souix City, Iowa, and Mrs. Robert Roman, Butler, Pa.; three brothers, Edwin and William Shields, Downsville, and Fred Shields, Sussex, N.J.; four sisters, Mrs. Rowland Gregory and Mrs. Marvin Rowland, Downsville; Mrs. Ray Goodnough, Delhi, and Mrs. Walter Stanbro, Earlville; 27 grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.

Friends may call at their convenience.

Leo E. Hurlbutt

MORRIS—Leo Earl Hurlbutt, 45, of New Berlin RD 3, died October 18 at Bassett Hospital, Cooperstown, after a long illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Sloan Funeral Home, with the Rev. Robert Harris, pastor of New Berlin Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Hillington Cemetery, Morris.

Mr. Hurlbutt was born June 10, 1919, in Pittsfield, son of Charles and Florence (Huntley) Hurlbutt. He married Louise Emerson in Morris July 4, 1941.

He was a farmer. He was a member of New Berlin Methodist Church.

Surviving besides his wife are a daughter, Lorraine Hurlbutt, Washington, D. C.; a son, Lawrence, Pittsfield; his parents; a sister, Mrs. Lenoir Moziak, East Syracuse; two brothers, Roland of Liverpool; Frederick of South Edmeston.

Friends may call at the family home at their convenience or at Sloan's Funeral Home after 2 p.m. today.

Milford Farmer New League Head

ROCHESTER — The nation's largest fluid milk marketing cooperative, the Dairymen's League Cooperative Association, Friday named a new president.

He is Lester W. Martin, a dairy farmer from Milford, in Otsego County. Martin previously was first vice president and secretary of the 16,000-member co-op. He was elected District 7 Director in 1958, and has served on the Executive Committee since 1960.

Martin succeeds Glenn Talbot, a dairyman from Hume, who retired at the end of his one-year term.

Elected to the positions of first vice president and assistant treasurer was Eugene J. Vandenberg, of Delhi; Vandenberg, who joined the League in 1949, was first elected a director from District 6 in 1959, and last year was second vice president.

James R. Donnan, who had served as assistant treasurer since 1961, was elected this year to the position of second vice president and secretary. A dairyman from Galway, Donnan is a former president of the Dairymen's League Young Cooperators and was first elected a director from District 3 in 1958.

Milburn J. Huntley, of West Winfield, was re-elected as treasurer of the association. A director from District 8 since 1949 Huntley has served on the executive committee for four years.



LESTER MARTIN



Miss Parrish

Mrs. Hammond B. Parrish, 34 Academy St., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Dorothy, to Charles H. Munzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Munzer, Winsted, Conn.

Miss Parrish is a 1961 graduate of Oneonta High School and a 1964 graduate of St. Peter's Hospital, Albany. She is a nurse at Fox Hospital.

Her fiance is a 1961 graduate of Regional High School, Winsted, and is the Navy. He is currently aboard a submarine in the Mediterranean Sea. His home port is New London, Conn.

A February wedding is planned.



Actress Annette Funicello, a member of the famed Disney Mouseketeers in her younger days, poses with her husband-to-be, Jack Gilardi, her manager. The couple will be married Jan. 9 in Hollywood.



Pictured above, l. to r.: first row, Mrs. Glazier, Mrs. Tappen, Mrs. Griggs, Mrs. Chadwick and Mrs. Hunt; second row, Rev. Pitcher, Rev. Goodwin, Mr. Hunt and Rev. Kooker.

O'Connor, Wayand Rites

Methodist Vows Exchanged

MORRIS — Katherine Leona Wayand and Robert A. O'Connor were married in the Morris Methodist Church October 10. The Rev. Wilfred Lyon officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Hazel Dyckman, Morris, was organist, and Miss Sharon Wright of Binghamton was soloist.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leon A. Wayand, Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. O'Connor, Unadilla, are parents of the groom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white peau de soie and rose-pointe lace that she fashioned herself. It was styled with a scalloped vee neckline, long pointed sleeves and a chapel train.

A fingertip veil of silk illusion was attached to her crown of seed pearls.

A white orchid on a white bible completed the bride's outfit.

Miss Janice Wayand was maid of honor for her sister. She wore a street length gown of emerald green satin, styled with a scalloped vee neckline, cap sleeves and full skirt. A matching headpiece and a crescent bouquet of bronze and yellow pompons completed Miss Wayand's ensemble.

Bridesmaids were Miss Carol Garrison, Bath; Mrs. Robert Garrett, Quarryville, Pa., sister of the groom; and Mrs. Michael Kallaher, cousin of the bride, Syracuse. They wore lemon yellow gowns styled similarly to the honor attendant's. Their crescent bouquets were of bronze pompons.

The attendant's gowns were fashioned by the bride and Miss Garrison.

Lyle MacLaury, Davenport, was best man.

Ushers were Robert Garrett, brother-in-law of the groom; Andrew Wayand, Morris, brother of the bride; and Denman Smith, Morrisville.

A reception with 150 attend-



Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Connor
(Viking Photo)

ing was held immediately following the ceremony at Zion Parish House.

After a short wedding trip to Vermont the newlyweds are residing in Cayuga.

Mrs. O'Connor is a graduate of Morris Central School and State University College, Oneonta, class of 1964. She is a home economics teacher at Union Springs Central School. At

SUCO she was active in Wesley Club and Home Economics Club. She is now a member of the American Home Ec. Assoc.

Her husband is a graduate of Unadilla Central School, Broome Tech, and a 1964 graduate of Hartwick College, where he was active in the Wesley Club. Mr. O'Connor is a social studies teacher at Union Springs Central School.

OUR COMPLETE Sunday School Staff:

Nursery: Carol Milliken, Ellen Coon
4 yr olds: Martha & Tom Lyon, Eleanor Sommerville.

Kinderg. Hilda Smith, Kathryn Roffo.

1st: Mae Milliken, Luolla Miller

2nd: Marilyn & Harold Crumb, Patricia Skoglund.

3rd: Doris Shields, June Campfield.

4th: Arlina Milos, Elaine Fredorick.

5th: Bill Valentino, Dick Campfield.

6th: Elinor Trenlott, Harriett Wayand.

Jr Hi: Harriett & Warren Rythor; Evoleme Sheldon.

Sr Hi: Charlotte & Peter Case, Paul Field.

Adults: Christian Duroc, Hazel Dyckman.
(1st names are regular, other names are Associate teachers.)



Morris Church Welcomes New Pastor

The clergymen of several area churches turned out to welcome the new pastor of the First Baptist church at Morris. (L-R), the Rev. William J. Matthers, rector of Zion Episcopal church; the Rev. Wilfred Lyon, pastor of Morris Methodist church; the new pastor, and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. John Tinklepaugh.

(Stafford Photo)



Proud Scouters and Sponsors

Ronald Taylor, who received his Eagle Scout pin Sunday afternoon from Otsego County Judge Frederick W. Loomis, wins congratulations from Harold Edson, president of the Milford Rotary Club, sponsor of the Milford Scout Troop to which the youth belongs. Looking on were (L-R), Ralph L. Rowe, troop committee chairman; Stanley Butler, neighborhood commissioner; Orwin G. Wilkinson, scoutmaster and, right, Hazen Ross, Otschodela Council executive, Oneonta. (Star Staff Photo)



Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert J. Solloway
(Brindle Photo)

Solloway, Cornell Vows Exchanged in Morris

MORRIS — The Morris Methodist Church was the setting October 18 for the marriage of Wanita Kaye Cornell to A3-C Gilbert John Solloway. The Rev.

Wilfred Lyon performed the ceremony with Mrs. Hazel Dykeman, Morris, as organist. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cornell, West Oneonta.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. William Solloway, 186 West St., Oneonta.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father.

She wore a floor length gown of white peau de soie, fashioned with a detachable Belgian lace cummerbund and long train.

A pill box headpiece held her shoulder length illusion veil. She carried white roses.

Miss Marilyn Andrews, Morris, was maid of honor in an orchid satin gown, styled like the bride's. She carried orchid mums and green grapes.

Bridesmaids were Miss Gretchen Cornell, sister of the bride; and Mrs. Rebecca Brannick, Gilbertsville. They wore dark lavender gowns styled like the bride's and carried orchid mums and green grapes.

Flower girl was Miss Jodie Zorda, New Berlin, cousin of the bride. She wore a lavender floor length gown like those of the bridesmaids. She carried a basket of orchid mums and green grapes.

The bride fashioned all of the attendants gowns. David Zorda, New Berlin, cousin of the bride, was ring bearer.

Steve Christensen, West Oneonta, was best man.

Ushers were Raymond Solloway, brother of the groom; and Richard Ward of Schaghticoke.

A reception with 100 attending was held at the home of the bride. Mrs. Ceylon Decker, Morris, an aunt of the bride, made the wedding cake.

The newlyweds travelled to Denver, Colorado, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Solloway is a graduate of Laurens Central School. She graduated from Broome Tech and was employed by Dr. G. T. Sanly as a dental hygienist before her marriage.

Mr. Solloway is a graduate of Oneonta High School and Cobleskill Ag and Tech. He is now in the Air Force, stationed at Lowry AFB, Denver.

Morris Cubs Plan Supper

MORRIS — Eight candidates for Bobcat were inducted into the Cub Pack 3 Friday night. Membership pins were given to the new members of the Pack. Also awards were given to some of the cub scout members.

The annual cubscout pancake

supper will be held on Saturday October 24 at 5 p.m. at Zion Episcopal Parish house adjacent to the church. Tickets are being sold by the cubscouts members.

Ward Collier and Ronald Miller of Morris, are the co-chairmen for the Pancake Supper.

Poet's Corner

AFTER WRAPPING CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Dear Christmases of long ago—

How pristine white the unplowed snow;

How graceful glided the light sleighs

Drawn by prancing spans of blacks or bays;

But sweetest in my memory dwells

The silver tinkle of their bells;

How fair the un-electric night

That made the Star seem near and bright.

Candle-lit Christmas trees so high,

(Someone with water standing nigh).

O Christmases of other years,

You almost bring nostalgic tears.

Yet I'm not wanting to go back

Adown my memory's lustrous track;

For all their dear nostalgic ways—

They had no Scotch tape in those days!

—Vivian Curtis

Delaware Man Granted Patent

Lawrence MacClintock, of East Meredith, recently received full patent rights on a hay cutting machine attachment that also dries the hay without loss of vegetable nutrients or palatability.

A private firm near Rochester has agreed to produce the invention soon, and Mr. MacClintock is taking advance orders from farmers for it.

Mr. MacClintock's attachment is designed to fit any Lundell flail chopper. He invented it in 1961 when he was trying to adapt his flail chopper to work better.

Since then, it has passed tests with flying colors at Cornell University and at a private laboratory showing better results in drying hay than many other processes or machines.

Mr. MacClintock said that by using the machine a farmer can cut wet hay at 8 a.m. and bale it at 1 or 2 p.m. the same day.

"During the last four years, I have cut and baled about 5,000 bales of hay. I have lost only about 400 bales due to moisture," he said. He noted that timothy, cut with his attachment, is not coarse or rough.

The attachment was tested at Cornell University College of Agriculture against five other processes, using wet hay.

Hay used in the attachment was ready to bale about 24 hours earlier than the best

machine or process thus far used, and about 41 hours ahead of most of them.

Mr. MacClintock noted that "with this attachment, I no longer have to gamble with the weather to bring in my hay crop."

In a private test, the hay processed in the attachment showed a jump of 1.42 per cent more protein; .07 per cent more fat, .95 per cent loss fiber and .85 per cent more digestible protein and .01 per cent more net energy per pound over the other methods.

Mr. MacClintock described the process:

The hay is sucked up into the attachment by a terrific vac-

uum, is cut once and thrown high into the top of the machine by the vacuum.

There the air circles in at a very high rate of speed and the hay strikes a metal plate in the center of the "cyclone."

This action forces moisture out of the cell walls without destroying the cellular structure.

Then the hay is dropped down the conventional hose to the ground.

Mr. MacClintock said "the tighter the seal the more effective the machine works — contradictory to what theory would show."

Mr. MacClintock's attorney in the patent proceedings was Richard Farley, of Delhi.

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Delhi Baptist Nuptials

Wassenaar-Lutz Vows Said

DELHI — Patricia Ann Lutz and John R. Wassenaar were married October 11 in a double ring ceremony at the First Baptist Church in Delhi by the Rev. Felix Milas, assisted by John Tinklepaugh of the Morris Baptist Church.

Mrs. M. Carpenter, Delhi, was organist and Mrs. June Cairns, Bloomville, was soloist.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lutz, Bloomville.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Riner Wassenaar, South New Berlin.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a full length gown of satin, fashioned with a bodice of lace, long pointed sleeves, and scalloped neckline trimmed with pearls and sequins.

A fingertip veil fell from her crown of crystals and pearls.

She carried an arm bouquet of white roses.

Maid of honor was Miss Margaret Lutz, sister of the bride. She wore a ballerina gown of pale yellow, styled with a scooped neckline, long sleeves and a belled skirt. She carried an arm bouquet of blue carnations.

Bridesmaids were Miss Betty Jo Lutz, Stamford, sister of the bride; and Mrs. Diana Lutz, Bloomville, sister-in-law of the bride. They wore ballerina gowns of powder blue and carried arm bouquets of yellow carnations.

Debby Reed of Hobart was flower girl in a blue dress. She carried a basket of yellow rose petals.



Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wassenaar
(Cantwell Photo)

Clarence Wassenaar, South New Berlin, was best man for his brother.

Ushers were Richard and Willis Lutz, both of Bloomville and brothers of the bride.

A reception with 150 attending was held in the church parlors.

Mrs. Wassenaar is a graduate

of South Kortright Central School and Mildred Elley Secretarial School, Albany.

Mr. Wassenaar is a graduate of Morris Central School and Cornell University.

After a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and Canada the couple will make their home in South New Berlin.

Donald W. Slentz
WEST EDMESTON — Donald W. (Dick) Slentz, 55, of West Edmeston, died unexpectedly at his home Thursday, November 26, of natural causes.
Funeral services will be 3 p.m. Sunday from the First

Baptist Church at West Edmeston with the Rev. Edward Walker, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in West Edmeston Cemetery.

Mr. Slentz was born Jan. 12, 1909 in Millbank, S.D. the son of Oliver B. and Edna May (Noble) Slentz. He was married to Ruth C. Welch on June 24, 1931.

He was a cattle dealer with the I.T. and C.A. Welch cattle dealer firm of West Edmeston.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church of West Edmeston, chairman of the Board of Deacons and member of the Baraca Class. He was a member of the Edmeston Town Board, serving as councilman and a former member of the Edmeston school board.

He was also a member of the West Edmeston Fire Department, Fire Police; delegate to the Eastern Milk Producers Association; Farmer's Lodge F. & A.M. of Edmeston; Yahnuhdahsis Bodies Assn. in Utica; Ziyerara Temple Shrine in Utica and Edmeston Chapter 391, OES.

He is survived by his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Josephine Calhoun, West Edmeston; Mrs. Barbara Wheeldon, Bridgewater; Mrs. Betty Holdridge, West Edmeston; one son, Davis Slentz, West Edmeston; a sister, Mrs. Francis Havens, East Syracuse; four brothers, Walter, Norwich; Ray, Syracuse; Lloyd, Manlius and Leonard of West Burlington.

Friends may call at the Slentz residence Friday afternoon and evening and Saturday at their convenience.

Arrangements are by Houk-Johnson Funeral Home, Edmeston.

Morris Youth Named Outstanding Airman at Hickam

Airman Second Class Henry W. Rehrmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Rehrmann of R.D. 1, Mt. Vision, N. Y., has been selected Outstanding Airman of the Month in his Pacific Air Forces (PACAF) unit at Hickam AFB, Hawaii.

Airman Rehrmann, an aircraft mechanic, was chosen for the honor in recognition of his exemplary conduct and duty performance. He is assigned to the 1502nd Organizational Maintenance Squadron which supports the PACAF mission of providing airpower for defense of the U.S. and its allies in the Pacific area.

The airman is a graduate of Morris Central School. His wife, Marcia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McWilliams of Morris.

River Street



LEARNING THE ROPES — Clyde J. Craft (right), retiring manager of the Otsego County Agricultural Standardization and Conservation Office in Cooperstown, explains the complex ASCS program to Webb Jay Weaver (left). Mr. Weaver has been appointed to take Mr. Craft's place when he retires Nov. 1. (Star Staff Photo)



NEW OFFICERS — Seated by the Altar-Rosary Society of Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church at Morris as officers for the coming year have been (L-R) Front row, Mrs. Clara Foote, retiring president; the Rev. Joseph H. Reger, spiritual advisor; Miss Marie Flo, new president; rear, Mrs. Madeline Starr, treasurer; Mrs. Harold Hamlin, vice president; Mrs. Ward Collier, secretary. (NYABC-Mutual Courtesy Photo)

Craft To Retire; Weaver ASC Head

COOPERSTOWN — Webb Jay Weaver, a Hartwick businessman, has been named manager of the Otsego County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Office in Cooperstown.

The announcement was made Wednesday by Lawrence D. Hansen of South Valley, chairman of the ASCS county committee.

Mr. Weaver will succeed Clyde K. Craft, who will retire formally Nov. 1 after 11 years of duty as manager.

Mr. Weaver was selected from nearly 50 candidates for the post, according to Mr. Hansen. Other members of the selection committee were Robert W. Halbert of Gilbertsville and Shirley Green of Westford, with Otsego County Agricultural Agent W. Dale Brown of Cooperstown and Frank Ray of Canajoharie, state field man for ASCS, as ex-officio members.

Mr. Weaver is an agent-buyer for GLF, presently Agway, in Hartwick. His plans concerning his association with GLF are uncertain at present.

A native of Indiana, Mr. Weaver has lived most of his life in New York State. He was educated at Hannibal High School and at Cornell University, where he graduated in 1940.

He taught vocational agriculture at Rome, Pa., from 1940 until 1943 and then spent three

years in the Army Ordinance during World War II. Following his discharge from the service, he was director of the Veterans On-the-Farm program in Bradford County, Pa., from 1946 until 1950, when he came to Hartwick.

Mr. Weaver has been a member of the Cooperstown Central School Board of Education for the past five years.

The retiring manager will be in the office until Nov. 1 to instruct Mr. Weaver in the complex ASCS farm program. Following that, Mr. Craft will move to Oneonta and will reside at 14 Church Street.

Mr. Craft has been connected with the ASCS since its inception in 1936, with the exception of six years when he devoted his time to farming. In 1953, he rejoined the ASCS office as its manager.

Mr. Craft said he has seen many changes in agricultural and conservation programs during his administration and "you might probably see just as many," he told the new manager.

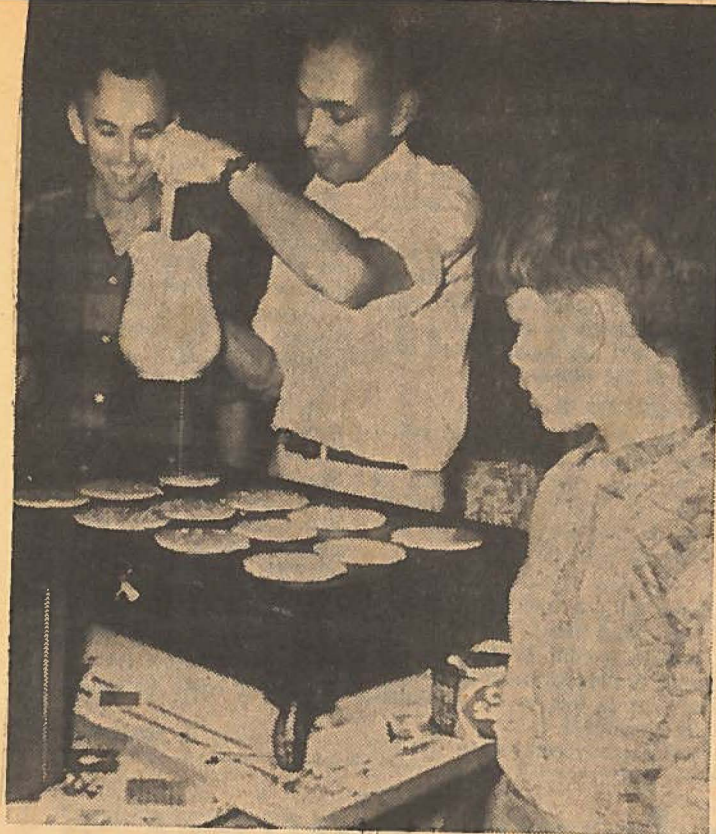
Baptized Sunday were David William Valentine, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Valentine, and Edward Lewis Schoopf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schoopf. Nov 8-



Don't Let Your Vote Go to the Dogs

All dressed up for the occasion, Cozy the Basenji (left) and Perry the Shetland Sheep Dog poured on their canine charm to get out the vote today. Cozy is owned by Mrs.

Frank Ulm of Winney Hill Road. Perry, belongs to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simmonds of Winney Hill Road. (Star Staff Photo)



KEEPING 'EM COMING — Ward Collier (left) and Harold Crumb had a busy time at Morris Cub pancake dinner keeping a plentiful supply for youngsters like Robert Jackson (right) other cubs and their parents and guests.
(Williams Photo)

Cub Pancake Supper Success

MORRIS — The annual cubs pancake supper was a great success. Approximately 200 people attended. Mrs. Robert Klindt of Morris, treasurer, reported that donation from the pancake supper will go into the treasurer's fund to help the needs for the cubs.

She also noted that some 30 boys already are members of Cub Pack 3, and some new boys who have not yet turned in their registration.

Pancake supper workers were Mr. and Mrs. Ward Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Klindt, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crumb, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Crumb, Ronald Miller, Neal Williams Sr., Alfred W. Zoch and the den mothers.

Mona Tourtellotte Engagement Told



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tourtellotte, Morris, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mona, to William Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Miles, East Jewett.

The bride-to-be is a 1963 graduate of the Morris Central School and a 1964 graduate of The Utica School of Beauty Culture.

Her fiance is a 1959 graduate of the Windham-Ashland-Jewett Central School and has recently completed his military training in the Army.

No date has been set for the wedding.



Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Travis

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Travis — Pair Wed 57 Years

A pair of Genevans who have lived in the city since 1916 celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary July 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Travis, who live at 14 Cortland St., visited their son, James A. Travis, and his wife in Lake Forest, Ill., to celebrate the event. James Travis is a 1933 Hobart graduate and a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis were married in Hamilton, N. Y. in 1907; they had met at a dance. Since, Mr. Travis has worked with people. He reports that through public service jobs such as the one he had with New York State Gas and Electric Co. for 20 years, he has come to appreciate all types of people, regardless of class.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis say they like Geneva "for its people and atmosphere." Mr. Travis noted that "You settle in a place and it becomes home." Mrs. Travis enjoys Genevans. She is a member of St. Stephen's Church.

Mr. Travis' hobby is gardening, at which he expends great efforts "just to keep ahead of things."

Miss C. Dougherty To Become Bride Of James D. Preston



Mr. and Mrs. James F. Dougherty, Norwich, N. Y., announce the engagement of their daughter, Constance Ames to James D. Preston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Preston, South New Berlin, N. Y.

Miss Dougherty is a graduate of Norwich High School, Albany Business College, and is employed by The Norwich Pharmaceutical Company.

Mr. Preston is a graduate of South New Berlin Central School and attends the Albany College of Pharmacy where he will graduate in June. He also is the Regent of Kappa Psi Fraternity.

A July wedding is planned.



Miss Nissen

DAVENPORT — Mrs. Pauline Nissen has announced the engagement of her daughter, Elaine Elizabeth, to Dennis Louis Bourgeois, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bourgeois, West Oneonta.

Miss Nissen is a 1962 graduate of Charlotte Valley Central School, attended Manatee Junior College, and is presently a student at State University College, Oneonta, majoring in elementary education.

Mr. Bourgeois attended Morris Central School and has served 5 years in the Navy. He is presently stationed on the island of Sicily.

A February wedding is planned.

EASTMAN'S CHESTNUT

A doctor, an engineer, and a politician were arguing over who had the oldest profession.

The doctor said: "Of course medicine is the oldest. Mankind has always had physicians, and they are even mentioned in the Bible."

"That's nothing," said the engineer. "The Good Book tells how the world was created out of chaos, and how could there be any order brought out of chaos without an engineer?"

"Well!" said the politician, "who do you think created chaos?"



THE PAST AND THE FUTURE — Members of a symposium commemorating 50 years of Extension work in Otsego County were John A. Lennox, (second from left) Mrs. Laurence D. Hansen, and Assemblyman Paul L. Talbot. First on the left is Robert Huntington, President of the Extension Service Association.

(Star Staff Photo)

Extension History Told

By **IRENE MOZOLEWSKI**
Cooperstown Bureau Chief

COOPERSTOWN — Farm organizations must look to the future, must do something about the burden of taxation and suggest some other means of taxing real estate, according to Assemblyman Paul L. Talbot.

Speaking Saturday afternoon as a member of a symposium at the 59th annual meeting of the Otsego County Extension Service Association, at the Cooperstown Elementary School, Mr. Talbot, whose topic was "farm" spoke of the many changes in transportation, milk production, milk prices, farm population and the farm equipment.

THE OLD FARM BUREAU

He said that the Farm Bureau had its beginnings in 1914, "in times of parity and the best way to explain this is that the industry, labor and agriculture received an 'equal' share of the living wage. At that time the farmer was receiving \$1.17 for 100 pounds of milk, and now he is getting \$4.50 for a 100 lbs. of milk, which now does not equal the 1914 price in terms of return for the labor and other expenses."

He asked the old-timers on hand for the meeting if they remember milking without electricity, no trucks or tractors, "smelly carbide lamps" and all the hard labor connected with farming, receiving a loud "yes" in response.

He told the group that the Farm Bureau membership was 484, and the peak was in 1950 when membership numbered 2,683. He recalled county agents serving through the years:

Floyd Barlow, 1914-1920, and 1922-1923; R. H. VanScoik, 1920-1922; Harlo P. Beals, 1923-1929; Milo Thompson, 1929-1944; Robert J. Ames, 1944-1950, and the County Agricultural Agent, W. Dale Brown, who began duties in Otsego County in 1950.

The title of the symposium was: "Our Heritage and the Future," and referring to the future Mr. Talbot said: "You will never get rich farming, but there is a variety of riches. . . the future of any country is based primarily on agriculture and if you have faith in yourselves there always will be a future in agriculture."

"I will be glad when this business of election is over, but sooner or later in New York State farm organizations together must look to some other means of taxation," he said, apparently making another plea for unity in farm groups.

HOME DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Laurence D. Hansen, former president of the County Extension Service Association, using as her topic, "home" spoke of the early efforts of a farm bureau committee to help the women in the county.

On December 7, 1915 at the annual meeting of the Otsego County Farm Bureau a committee was formed to draw up a constitution for Home Bureau work. A 1917 report discloses that Home Bureau clubs had been formed in each township except Roseboom and Decatur. All projects related to food, because conditions seemed to indicate the importance of home made food products.

In 1918, Miss Florence Freer, a native of Otsego County, became the first county agent. In 1918 projects again revolved around food preparation and preservation, remodeling of clothing, neighborhood canning kitchens, and such.

In 1922 the constitution was revised to form a County Home Bureau, Mrs. Hansen continued, then for a while activities were discontinued until the Central Committee, at the insistence of Mrs. Kenneth Augur, voted in 1945 to encourage reorganization of the Home Bureau. By October of 1945 there were 934 members in 24 units.

Many projects were carried out by the women in the county, such as adopting a Dutch Village, making of United Nations flags, which were presented to churches, granges and schools and many others.

In 1955 Extension and Home Bureau separated, "and we became the present Home Demonstration Units. This is when we began as one of our projects the scholarships to a girl in the county," Mrs. Hansen continued.

In time the interest of women began to broaden. In 1957, 146 women visited the United Nations and in 1960 marks the beginning of the Public Affairs programs, to encourage women to act as individuals, to study facts about schools, economics, and social problems.

Speaking about the future of the programs, Mrs. Hansen said that the State Extension will devise plans and methods to meet the needs of the future. Women will always welcome infor-

mations and color. They will want to know more about modern pre-packaged foods, home management and selection and care of all the new products that will appear on the market.

"Certainly economic, educational and social problems will be the determining factors in program making of the Home Demonstration Department," she concluded.

John A. Lennox of Delhi, third member of the symposium spoke on "youth." Presently a coordinator of the New England 4-H Club Round-up, a six-state group of winners at six State Fairs at the Eastern State Exposition, Mr. Lennox came to Otsego County in 1918, to conduct "Victory Gardens."

Dr. L. R. Morris of Morris provided money for salaries and expenses in 1918 and in 1919, Mr. Lennox recalled. At that time his title was director of agriculture (a forerunner of Vo-Ag) and he worked with schools and through schools in the township system of schools.

In 1920 the Board of Supervisors appropriated \$3,000 for the then called Junior Project and other money came from the Otsego County Improvement Association which contributed \$5,000; State Education Department, \$600; U.S. Department of Agriculture, \$1,200; Cooperstown County Fair, \$300, and Morris Fair, \$3,000, for a total of \$10,400 in appropriations.

Mr. Lennox recalled three individuals who worked with the youth in the county, R. Q. Smith, who served as agent, in the Eastern part of the county; Mr. Lennox, as assistant agent, in the western part of the county, and Ida Kessler, assistant agent, who had parts of each, western and eastern, Mr. Lennox explained.

In 1922 Mr. Lennox went to Delaware County as this county's Junior Extension Agent, serving for 20 years. In 1942 he was assigned to the State 4-H Club Office, as assistant state leader, and returned in 1951 to the present position of Coordinator. Agents who served throughout the years included Al Pomeroy, Leon McNair, William Eldridge, now Vo-Ag teacher at the Cooperstown Central School, Homer Bray and since 1953 Wayne E. Willis, the County 4-H Club Agent.

RAKES UP LEAVES AS CATTLE FEED

Streets of the town of Laurens, N. Y., were swept clean of leaves by Kenneth Petersen, a farmer living in the vicinity.

Driving a wagon down the main street, he forked up piles of fallen leaves. He collected 40 or 50 bales on several trips.

Petersen explained that he will grind the leaves and use them this winter as fodder for his cattle. A summer-long drought greatly reduced his hay harvest.

Class Officers For Morris School Announced

Warren E. Ryther, supervising principal of the Morris Central School, announced this week that Class officers for the year 1964-65 are as follows:

Grade 7-1: President, Timothy Miller; vice president, Ted Williams; secretary, Suzanne Pickens; treasurer, Winston Harriis.

Grade 7-2: President, Daniel Coon; vice president, Peter Pickens; secretary, Melissa Purdy; treasurer, Bonnie Poling.

Grade 8-1: President, Edward Tracy; vice president, Ralph Emerson; secretary, Arline Hess; treasurer, David Smith.

Grade 8-2: President, Clare Gregory; vice president, Marcia Lyon; secretary, Perry Tourtellotte; treasurer, Garry Jacobson.

Grade 9: President, Michael Flannery; vice president, Jack Flannery; secretary, Patricia Dugan; treasurer, Timothy Winters.

Grade 10: President, Richard Ryther; vice president, Craig Mansfield; secretary, Janet DeLong; treasurer, Bill Pickens.

Grade 11: President, Nancy Payton; vice president, Patricia Holdridge; secretary, Sharon Davis; treasurer, Lorraine Decke.

Grade 12: President, Lynn Joy; vice president, Mabelle Frederick; secretary, Karen Tilley; treasurer, Tom Lyon.

Student Council representatives John Matteson and Linda DeLong.

Sarah H. Brown

COOPERSTOWN — Sarah H. Brown, 90, died Thursday night at the Clara Welch Thanksgiving Home following a long illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Tillapaugh Funeral Home.

The Rev. Richard Weld, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Cooperstown, will officiate. Burial will be in Floral Park Cemetery, Johnson City.

She was born July 31, 1873 at Gilbertsville, the daughter of Emmet and Julia (Bloch) Halbert.

She married Lewis Brown, April 6, 1915 at Gilbertsville.

She graduated from Binghamton Business College and taught school as a missionary teacher in southern Kentucky. She lived at the Clara Welch home since September 1945.

She is survived by seven nieces, Mrs. Ralph Harris of Gilbertsville; Mrs. Frank Kenzie of Binghamton; Mrs. Charles Lowrey of Venice, Calif.; Mrs. Joseph Scida of Santa Monica, Calif.; Mrs. David Fields of Gilbertsville; Mrs. Archie Saunders of Gilbertsville and Mrs. Wingate Hamilton of Hemstead, L.I.; two nephews, Ralph Halbert of Kingston and Robert Halbert of Gilbertsville.



Natural President

Mrs. Hilts Garden-Lover

By Ann Kimball

Spent part of that beautiful day yesterday chatting with Mrs. Harold Hilts, new Garden Club president. She and her husband have a lovely home on Oneida Street, really almost in the country.

Her interest in flowers and all things growing makes her a "natural" for president of the club.

Throughout the house are plants, dried arrangements, and fresh flowers. Her pride and joy sits on the coffee table, a delicate lavender African violet. The leaves and the flowers have fluted lacy edges.

Each window in the house commands a beautiful view. Mr. and Mrs. Hilts both enjoy the out-of-doors and are waiting impatiently for the "real" spring to begin working outside. They have a huge lawn; front, back and both sides, to care for. During the summer and early fall the house is surrounded by colorful blossoms.

Their three children enjoy being active and camping trips are made frequently to various lakes and beaches. A new tent was purchased last year and Mrs. Hilts is hoping to see some of Maine this summer. (I'll attest to the beauty of that state. Last summer's trip to the great state of Maine is only the first of many for us I hope.)

When the Hilts' garden begins to bear the fruits of a summer's labor, the family eats fresh corn, peas, tomatoes, beans right from the south plot. Mrs. Hilts enjoys shelling peas on her front steps. She can sit on a lovely day or early evening and enjoy the view and breeze while she works.

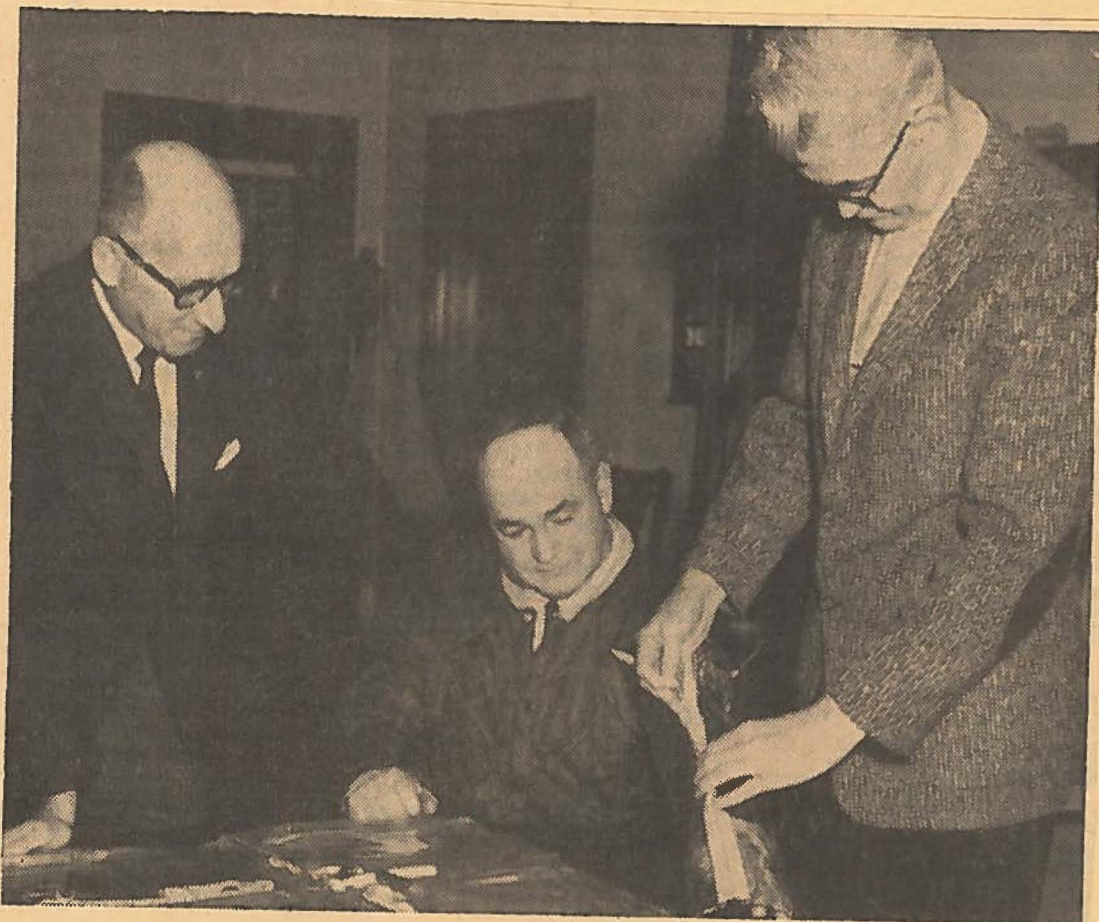
In New York City four years ago, Mrs. Hilts purchased a tiny bird-of-paradise plant. According to some authorities this bit of greenery won't grow in our climate. Mrs. Hilts has a pretty healthy looking three-foot high plant there. It doesn't look dead to me!

After sipping coffee my hostess led a tour of her lovely home. The family is in the process of building a family room in the basement. When that is complete, Mrs. Hilts will have a place for her sewing machine and counter space to cut out fabrics and put materials. She sews many of her clothes and most of her daughter's. Any of you who know her, know she does a lovely job too.

Mrs. Hilts was installed recently as the new Garden Club president after doing double-duty as acting president, and program chairman last year. She took over as president after Mrs. Ross Patrick became ill last August. "I felt like a one-man show", she explained. In addition to presiding at the meetings I arranged for and introduced the programs." This year she hopes her work will be of the behind-the-scenes variety, except when she's presiding at meetings.



COME ON IN — Mrs. Harold Hilts has a welcome smile for her visitor.



Lots of Air

P. F. Secor, secretary and treasurer of the Otego Emergency Squad, demonstrates to Alan Little, left, the new air filled splints. Being used as a model is captain Charles Livingston. The entire set, which is seen in the foreground, was bought with money left to the squad by Mr. Little's father, Douglas, who was a 26 year member of the fire department.



WEST LAURENS recently honored these 25 and 50 year members, from left: Otsego County Juvenile deputy Mrs. Margaret Bice; Ursula Felter, 25; Grace Cook, 50; Charles Felter, 25; Blanche Ellis, 50; Ralph Sheldon, 25; Samuel Hilsinger, 50; state deputy Harold Bice, who made the presentations. Ruth and Bernhardt Jacobsen, 25 years, were not present when the picture was taken. Reported by secretary Mrs. Keith Matteson.

'Riley's Life' At End for ^{D.C.} Bill Bendix ¹⁴

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Actor William Bendix, whose rough, gruff manner masked a marsh-mallow heart, died Monday. He was best known as the harried father in television's "Life of Riley."

The end came at Good Samaritan Hospital, where he had been listed in critical condition for several days with lobar pneumonia. He was 58. At his bedside were his wife of 37 years, Therese, 58, and daughters Stephanie, 20, and Lorraine, 30.

Bendix was that rarity, a character actor who became a star. But whereas most stars have fancy profiles and faultless physiques, he was built like a barrel and had a face like 20 miles of bad road.

He once remarked: "I'm about as handsome as a mud fence."

But he was fascinating to watch. In his occasional roles as a heavy he radiated pure force and menace. Playing the pal of conventional heroes, he was a convincing hail fellow well met. And as TV's Chester Riley, involved in endless domestic predicaments. He showed a sure touch for comedy.

(Star Staff Photo)

Heart Attack Fatal to Harpo

By JAMES BACON

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — A heart attack — five hours after successful surgery for an aneurysm of the aorta — was given Tuesday as the cause of the death of Harpo Marx, 75, harp-playing, horn-blowing, member of show business' zaniest act.

The silent member of the Marx Bros. died Monday night at Mt. Sinai Hospital. With him at the time were his wife, Susan, and two of their sons.

Ironically, it was the 28th wedding anniversary of the comic and his wife.

He had been admitted to the hospital Saturday for vascular surgery after having suffered several small heart attacks in recent years.

Vascular surgery can apply to any blood vessel. An aneurysm generally means a sudden swelling, ballooning — or even bursting — of a blood vessel. The aorta is the main artery from the heart supplying blood to most of the body.

A Mt. Sinai spokesman said the operation was completely successful, but tests later disclosed a massive heart attack, exactly five hours after the operation.

His death leaves only Groucho as the surviving comedy member of the act that had convulsed stage and screen audiences for much of this half century.

Their antics — especially Harpo's pantomime—built up a

following that included children as well as intellectuals like George Bernard Shaw, Alexander Woollcott and the late Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Harpo, a supreme master of imbecility onstage, was, in person, the most solid and normal of all the brothers. He had a few eccentricities. But, most of the time Harpo was more like a retired businessman who took life easy and simply. He lived most of the time at Palm Springs, Calif., painting, golfing and playing his harp.

He was born Adolph Marx, second oldest of the five brothers, in the Yorkville section of New York's upper East Side. When Hitler rose to power Harpo changed his name legally to Arthur.



ASCS OFFICE CHANGE-OVER: Webb J. Weaver of Hartwick (seated), appointed last week to the post of office manager here for the Otsego County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, gets a few tips from his predecessor, Clyde K. Craft who will retire November 1 after 11 years on the job.



MERIT STUDENTS — These students at Oneonta High School received letters of commendation for high placement on a Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. (L to R) are Wayne Warner, Patricia Bailey, Edward Merzig, John Cimko, Patricia Scott, Gary Merrill and Norman Ainslie.
(Star Staff Photo)

Office Hours End Tues. Evening For Dr. von Haeseler



Tuesday evening of this week marked the close of official office hours for Dr. Paul von Haeseler who received calls in the office of his home at Gilbertsville and who stated that he would remain on call throughout the evening for any who wished to reach him.

With this final gesture of service to the community, Dr. von Haeseler terminated more than 25 years of medical practice in the village and throughout the area.

Within the past two weeks he was named by the Butternuts Town Board as official Health Officer for the coming year and agreed to serve in that capacity.

On Friday movers are expected to load and move the contents of Dr. and Mrs. von Haeseler's home on Bloom St. to their new home off the Middlefield Center Road about five miles northeast of Cooperstown.

Dr. von Haeseler stated that, while he and his family were looking forward to a more relaxed life, following his retirement from active medical practice, he still was leaving the community with regrets and with some pangs.

On Sunday, June 14, 1964, the Butternuts Valley Grange, anticipating Dr. von Haeseler's retirement, held a reception for him and his family in the Grange Hall and presented him with a citation expressing the appreciation of the community for his contribution over a quarter of a century and the following resolution which was signed by more than 300 friends, neighbors and patients who gathered to pay tribute to him and his family.

The resolution follows:

Whereas Paul von Haeseler was born at Setauket, Long Island, New York, August 21, 1904, and

Whereas He was educated at Cornell University and McGill University, as a Doctor of Medicine, and

Whereas He was united in marriage with Thelma Powers, 1939, and

Whereas After internship at the University Hospital, Syracuse and three years general practice at Romulus, New York, he studied Public Health at Harvard University for one year, and

Whereas After three years working for the State Health Department, the Doctor and his wife arrived at Gilbertsville, New York, February 10, 1939, and

Whereas They, together with their daughters, Elsa and Susan, have made themselves valuable members of this community, and

Whereas The Doctor and his wife have given unstinted devotion and service to all members of this community, to our churches, to our organizations and to our school for twenty-five years, and

Whereas They have added interest and color to our lives by their love for fruit trees, Norwegian elkhounds and Morgan horses.

Therefore, be it resolved that the deep appreciation and gratitude of this community be expressed by this citation, given by the Butternut Valley Grange June 14, 1964, Gilbertsville, New York.

At the annual meeting of the Village Improvement Society last summer, Dr. Harold Glascock reminded Trustees of the problem that would be faced by the community in an attempt to secure medical service after Dr. von Haeseler's retirement. He was authorized to investigate any possible approaches that might aid in securing a physician for the area.

In the meantime Dr. Glascock has communicated with individual physicians who were considered to be possible prospects. In addition he sought assistance from organizations through which physicians might be located. Among these was the Sears Roebuck Foundation, at whose suggestion a survey was conducted some weeks ago. The results of this survey were forwarded to the Foundation, but Dr. Glascock stated on Tuesday night that no response has yet been received.

Recently a group of younger residents, centering around the Gilbertsville Emergency Squad, offered their services in providing any help and information that might assist in securing a doctor for the community. As of this time, there seems to be no possibility of an early replacement for Dr. von Haeseler, which means that there is no active practicing physician anywhere in the Butternut Valley.



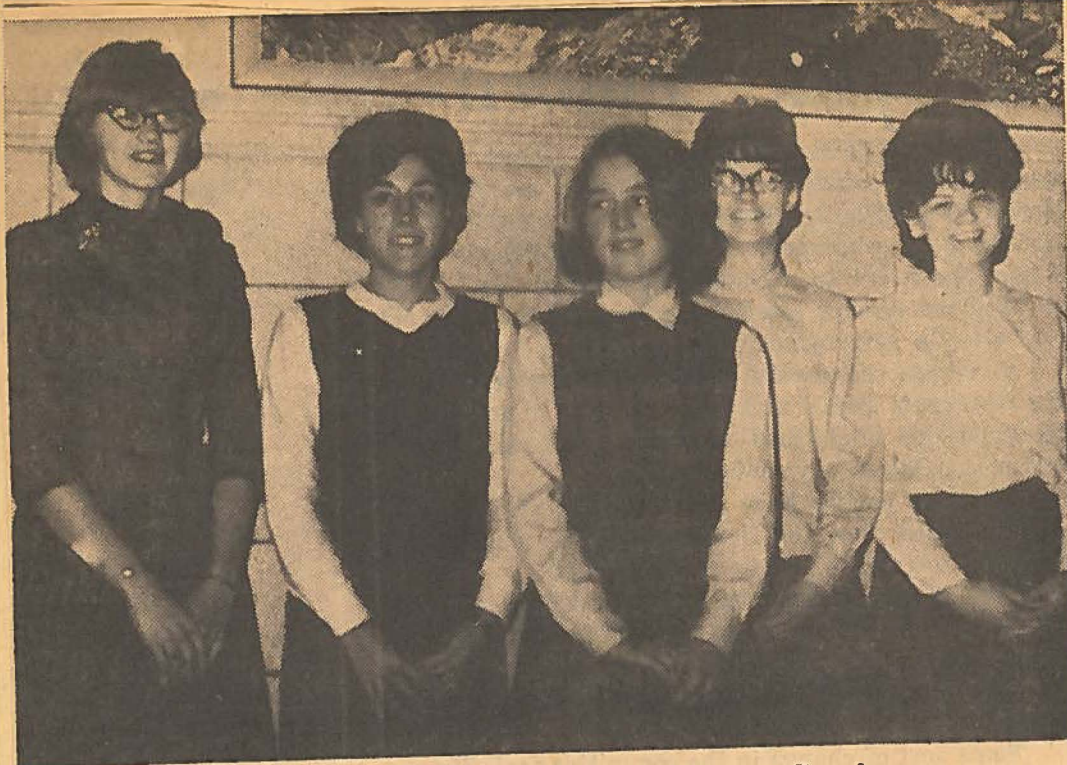
OLD AND THE NEW: Three leaders who have been associated with the Otsego County Extension Service Association over a long period of time are shown here with the current head of the organization at its 50th anniversary meeting at the Elementary School here Saturday afternoon. Left to right, John A. Lennox of Delhi, who began his professional career in 4-H work as an assistant in Otsego County during World War I, Robert Huntington of Westford, elected Saturday to his third one-year term as Association president; Mrs. Laurence D. Hansen, a former president; and Assemblyman Paul L. Talbot of Burlington Flats. Mrs. Hansen, Mr. Lennox and Mr. Talbot presented talks recounting the history of the organization since its founding in 1914.

There are physicians in Unadilla, Sidney, Bainbridge, Norwich, Oneonta, New Berlin, Edmeston and Cooperstown. Families who do not have medical connections would do well to consider making them before an emergency arises. Fortunately for the area local fire companies in Mt. Upton, Gilbertsville and Morris have Emergency Squads which are qualified to see that someone in distress may be removed to a hospital where emergency facilities are available.



'Well Done, Thou Good....'

Ernest Gage, 10 Cove Ave., for 43 years an employee of Oneonta Sales Company, was honored on his official retirement Tuesday night when Sales Company employees and wives, more than 60 strong, gathered at the Elks Club. L-R, (seated) Mrs. Ernest Gage and Mr. Gage; (standing) their son, Edward Gage of Louisville, Ky., who was flown in for the occasion, and Mrs. Beatrice W. Blanding, president of Oneonta Sales. (Star Staff Photo)



Young Ladies Of The Honor Society

These five young women from Morris Central School were recently inducted into the Morris Chapter of the National Honor Society in a ceremony at the school. (L-R), Rita Elliott, Julie Elliott, Marie Barton, Peggy Knickerbocker, and Linda DeLong. (Star Staff Photo)



Main and Dietz as it appeared about 1854



Same corner about 1905 before Central Hotel burned

GILBERTSVILLE — Seven bridesmaids preceded Jane Frances Faber down the aisle December 5 at the Presbyterian Church when she was wed to Robert Arthur Stearns. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Roger Beach with Martha Musson, Gilbertsville, as organist.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Faber, 4 Maple St., and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil A. Stearns, 2 Elm St., all of Gilbertsville.

The bride's father gave her away.

For her wedding she chose a floor length gown of skinner satin, fashioned with a fitted bodice, high rounded neckline and cap sleeves with long satin mitts which ended at the sleeve. The full skirt ended in a chapel train and featured a bustle and bow, all edged with satin cording.

A fingertip length veil was held by a pearl-studded crown.

She carried white carnations, stephanotis and holly with a white bible.

Mrs. David Eshbaugh, Syracuse, was matron of honor and Miss Judith Peer, New York City, was maid of honor. They wore red velvet street length gowns, fashioned with long sleeves, a boat neckline and full skirts. They carried white poinsettias and holly.

Wearing identically styled green velvet gowns were the bridesmaids: Miss Katherine Mason, Miss Marcia Stearns, sister of the groom; both of Gilbertsville; Miss Johanna Chandler, Miss Barbara Ash, both of Rochester; and Miss Mary Kenfield, New York City.

Robert Hotchkin of Sidney was best man.

Ushers were Tom Stearns, brother of the groom; Robert Rowe, brother-in-law of the bride; William Musson, Richard Sienkiewicz, all of Gilbertsville; James Pachy, Morris; and Lou Graney, Sidney.

A reception for 130 was held at the Faber home. The three-tiered wedding cake was made by Mrs. Kester Bookhout, Oneonta.

After a wedding trip to Fort Lauderdale, Florida, the newlyweds are living at 6 Avery St., Sidney.

Mrs. Stearns graduated from Gilbertsville Central School and is a June graduate of the University of Rochester. She will begin work on her master's degree at SUCO in February.

Mrs. Stearns is also a graduate of GCS and attended for 2 years the Pennsylvania Military College of engineering. He is a draftsman at Scintilla.

Morris Bank Announces Changes Promotions In Staff

Carl J. Smith, president of the First National Bank, Morris, announces the following changes in the bank staff:

J. W. Milliken, vice president and cashier for the past 13 years has submitted his resignation which was accepted with regret by the Board of Directors. Samuel C. Whitman, prominent New York attorney and a cousin of the late George Whitman, has been elected vice president.

Miss Evelyn Kinney, an employee for the past 15 years, has been promoted from assistant cashier to cashier.

Mrs. Erna Barton, also a long time employee has been advanced from teller to assistant cashier and will be replaced as teller by Mrs. Margaret Richards of Gilbertsville.

Mr. Smith reports that due to the rapidly increasing business another teller's window will shortly be opened, which will materially speed up service during rush periods.



RAY CLEMENT

Tourney Dedicated To Coach

Ray Clement puts in a busy week as athletic director of Morris Central School and secretary of the Tri - Valley League. For the past month, he's been working extra hard helping with arrangements for the Morris - Laurens Holiday Basketball Tournament, which opened play Monday at the SUCO fieldhouse.

What Clement didn't know, though, was the fact that tournament co-chairmen Pat Grasso and John Dimao had been cooking up a surprise behind his back.

Clement learned the news just before the tournament opened when he read the official program. The Holiday Tournament dedication reads: "To Ray Clement, to show our appreciation for his more than 30 years of service in the field of athletics, and particularly the many years he has served as secretary and treasurer of both the Tri - Valley League and Section 4."

Clement retired from active coaching three years ago, though he still holds the Morris baseball reins. During his years coaching basketball at Morris, his teams won two Sectional championships, 10 league titles and compiled an overall 158-35 won - lost record.

Clement has taught at Morris since 1932, with the exception of three years spent on active duty with the U.S. Navy during world War II.

Fine Old Ear for Fine Old Violins

By JOHN LOUGH
Star Staff Writer

Ailing violins are the business of one of Oneonta's most interesting residents, Coral L. Griffin, 90, who maintains an instrument shop in downstairs quarters at the corner of Main Street and Chestnut Street Extension.

Over the "35 to 40 years" that Mr. Griffin has ministered to the ills of area violins, he has also made eight of the delicate instruments from scratch, using as a pattern the measurements followed by the greatest of all violin makers, Stradavarius.

Several of the instruments are in use here in Oneonta and the tonal quality of the locally-made instruments compares favorably with instruments made by the masters.

Love of fine violin music turned Mr. Griffin to his present trade after many years as a shoemaker. His shop still contains the lasts and tools of the cobblers' art but he says he does little along this line anymore. But once he did cobbling and shoemaking for Oneontans as a full time business in shops on Wall and Broad Streets, in Gardner's Shoe Store, and in the current quarters.

A NATIVE of the area between Morris and New Berlin, Mr. Griffin began by repairing the violins of his friends. Over the years he has studied the art until he is capable of producing from the raw materials an instrument indistinguishable to the eye or ear from instruments in his possession dating back to the sixteen and seventeen hundreds.

"It is the instrument," Mr. Griffin explains, "that comes the nearest to reproducing the human voice." To be a fine violin, Mr. Griffin said, "the note must linger as he pointed out how the violinist has control of the note each string turns out. "Now a piano," he said, "the



VINTAGE 1735 — Coral Griffin displays violin made by Josephus Gagliano at Naples, Italy, in 1735.

(Star Staff Photo)

only time the pianist has complete control over the note is when he strikes the key so the only way he has control over

the music is through his touch on the keyboard."

Mr. Griffin came to Oneonta in 1914. In all he worked 65

years and six months as shoemaker, he said.

But 90 years old is nothing out of the ordinary for a maker of violins, he explained. Stradavarius, he said, "only lacked a few days of being 94 when he died. I have a picture of one of the fiddles he made the last year he lived. He worked at his bench for over 70 years."

He displayed an instrument belonging to Mrs. Shirley Palmer of Unadilla, in his shop to have the top re-glued, pointing out that the instrument was made in 1735 at Naples, Italy by Josephus Gagliano, a son of Alexander Gagliano, of a famous Italian violin making family.

"I CAN TALK violins a day," Mr. Griffin said as he displayed several other fine old instruments, one made in 1644 "the year Stradavarius was born", by Mathias Albani in Bozani.

He explained that the place where the 320-year-old violin was made was located then in the Tyrol and was part of Germany but later changes in national boundaries now locate the town in Italy.

Still another of his collection of violins was made about 1830 by D. Nichols at the Villa di Cremonne in France.

Opening a book about the famed Stradavari instruments, Mr. Griffin pointed out pictures of the "quartet" of Stradavari instruments that are now the property of the Library of Congress and told how they are taken out once a year and played by the Curtiss String Quartet in Philadelphia.

"But that's not often enough," he said.

Mr. Griffin said he never played a violin "to amount to anything" but he displayed keen ear for the tone of a violin as he strummed the strings of several of his prize specimens — then struck a note on a violin of lesser quality to display the tonal depth and "lingering" quality of the fine instrument.



Sam Stratton and wife Joan pose behind their children:
(from left) Lisa, Brian, Kim, Debra and Kevin

An exceptional background for high office

- ★ U.S. Congressman since 1959. Ranking member of important Research & Development Subcommittee of House Armed Services Committee.
- ★ Mayor of Schenectady, 1956-59.
- ★ Deputy Secretary General, U.S. Far Eastern Commission, 1946-48.
- ★ Decorated Navy Veteran World War II and Korea — 6 years active duty. Captain, Active Naval Reserve. 22 years service in active reserve.
- ★ Phi Beta Kappa graduate, University of Rochester, 1937; M.A., Haverford College, 1938, and M.A., Harvard, 1940.
- ★ Trustee, University of Rochester since 1959.
- ★ Delegate to U.S.-Canadian Interparliamentary Conference, 1961.
- ★ Son of Mrs. Paul Stratton and the late Rev. Dr. Paul Stratton. He and his wife Joan, a native of Dublin, Ireland, have 5 children.
- ★ Member of Kiwanis, Eagles, Masons, American Legion, Amvets, VFW.

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VOTE FOR SAM STRATTON TO ASSURE CONTINUED EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP

Now, more than ever, the qualities of leadership, political independence, and the broad record of experience of Sam Stratton are needed. Send him back to Washington to carry on the fight for more sympathetic understanding in the nation's capital for the problems of the New York State farmer. Let's make sure he can continue to work to promote more jobs for our 35th District. Let's make sure his experienced judgment and his seniority will be available to work for all of us in Washington for another two years.

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Sept. 24, 1964

Congressman Sam Stratton lets his record of achievement speak for itself

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The amazing story of Sam Stratton's career is the subject of a new book by Wilbur Cross, published by James Heineman, as one of a series on "Future Makers." In this work, the author sees Sam Stratton as one of those leaders who constitute the new breed of American statesmen—dynamic, dedicated and independent in thought.



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Helped adopt legislation to aid 10 colleges located in the 35th District and to assist deserving students finance a college education.



SOME OF THE THINGS SAM STRATTON HAS DONE FOR THE 35TH DISTRICT

- ★ His fight to bring new jobs into upstate New York boosted area jobs and removed the Geneva-Canandaigua area and Cayuga County from the list of high unemployment areas.
- ★ Helped bring new milk plant into Fort Plain.
- ★ Organized first Government Procurement Conference in Geneva in April, 1964, thereby helping to boost New York's share of defense contracts to the highest figure in five years.
- ★ Successfully promoted new study to secure more jobs for Amsterdam.
- ★ Through his efforts, Oneonta secured \$87,000 grant for new airport facilities.

- ★ Succeeded in keeping Seneca Army Depot open and operating.
- ★ Protected Gould Pumps Co., in Seneca Falls, from damaging effects of hastily-drawn "model" water-supply legislation.
- ★ Helped obtain new rural recreation centers for Marathon and Clifton Springs.
- ★ Obtained prompt Federal help to survey flood problems in Oxford, Norwich, Marathon and Cortland, locate new water supplies for New Berlin, and track down gasoline leak in Oneonta.
- ★ Helped obtain new recreational area at East Sidney Dam serving Otsego and Chenango Counties.
- ★ Through regular visits back to the district, monthly newsletters, weekly radio and TV reports, and annual questionnaires, he has set a new record for keeping in direct touch with the people.

- ★ Fought for Dirksen 2-year "breathing spell" rider to help New York State deal with reapportionment.
- ★ Helped enact Land and Water Conservation Bill to enhance tourist business in the Finger Lakes.
- ★ Secured manpower training projects for Cortland, Amsterdam, and Sherburne.
- ★ Helped obtain sewage treatment plant for Canajoharie to maintain stable employment at Beech-Nut.
- ★ Secured lower hay and grain rates for farmers following 1962 drought.
- ★ Proved his legislative independence again by voting against administration's Wheat and Cotton Bill.

HERE'S WHAT THOSE WHO KNOW SAM STRATTON BEST SAY ABOUT HIM:

Congressman Carl Vinson, 50-year veteran of Congress, Dean of the House, and Chairman of the Armed Services Committee: "... he has amazed me with his tremendous grasp of defense problems . . . one of the brightest men that it has ever been my privilege to know . . . Sam Stratton's independence of thought, his ability to express himself clearly, and the soundness of his arguments are clear indications to me that he is one of the bright young lights . . . we are indeed fortunate to have men like him in Congress . . . The American people need representation of the type exemplified by Sam Stratton."

Mayor Donald J. Eades (The Geneva Times, Aug. 14, 1964): "... we here in Geneva are most appreciative of the aid and assistance Sam has given us as congressman, and we do not forget such help. Sam Stratton has done more for Geneva in a few years than any other Congressman in the past."

The Daily Messenger (Ontario County): "... Mr. Stratton con-

stantly amazes us with his energy and his ability to get things done for his district."

Oneonta Star, March 23, 1963: "... Republicans as well as Democrats refer to Sam Stratton as 'the best congressman we've ever had . . . a ready listener to local problems . . . our community has found he's a major help in delivering the goods.'"

Rep. John W. McCormack, Speaker of the House of Representatives: "You have been a bulwark of strength in supporting legislation and appropriations for a strong national defense and a firm foreign policy. You are truly 'A People's Congressman.'"

Harry L. Graham, Legislative Assistant to the Master, National Grange: "You're a bright and shining light among many of the Congressmen who appear to be interested in maintaining the status quo rather than improving the situation of this vital segment [dairy farming] of our American economy."

Eastern Milk Producer, Sept., 1963: "Representative Samuel Stratton is working hard on dairy legislation . . . we think Sam is working more diligently than anyone in sight and isn't content to sit back and snipe like many politicians."

Syracuse Herald-Journal, April 5, 1963: "Congressman Stratton deserves an 'A' for trying to breathe new life into a vital issue [dairy legislation] that has been around for years but which attracts, chiefly, verbal attention."

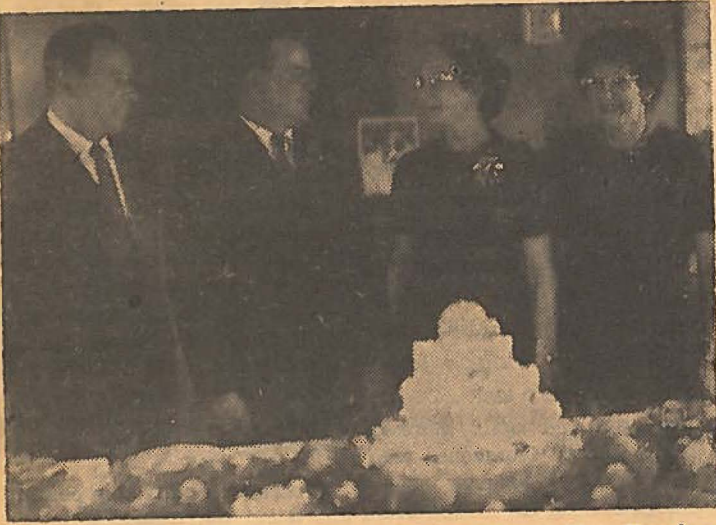
Syracuse Post Standard, March 30, 1963 (Ronald Graham, Farm Editor): "Reins of leadership of the New York dairy industry at the national level were taken in hand yesterday in Syracuse by Rep. Samuel Stratton . . ."

Freeman's Journal (Cooperstown) Sept. 9, 1964: "He is not a 'yes' man for a political party power structure. In Congress, he represents all the people in the 35th District, not just a small group whose favor could aid his personal ambition for higher office. We trust that our readers feel as we do that Sam's retention of his seat in Congress is of vital importance to all of us. His value as a member of the House of Representatives is a known quantity."

Harold Hawley, State Farm Bureau Director, Past President, Cayuga County Farm Bureau: "... an able congressman."

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VanVrankens' 25th Anniversary



LeRoy Van Vranken, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Van Vranken, Mrs. LeRoy Van Vranken.

Friends and relatives gathered Sunday, Dec. 13 in the Gilbertsville Grange Hall to honor Mr. and Mrs. Abram VanVranken, who were celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary this week. Hostesses at the party were their two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Hammond of Otego, R.D. and Mrs. Alan Taylor of Oneonta.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Van Vranken (nee Louella Filer) were married Dec. 16, 1939 by the late Rev. Walter Graig in the Gilbertsville Presbyterian Manse. Attendants at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Van Vranken, now of Cherry Valley.

After their marriage they resided in the Rootville area outside of Gilbertsville and in 1940 they were employed at the Village Farms. In the fall of 1943 they purchased the farm where they now reside.

One hundred guests attended the occasion. Relatives and

friends attended from Otego, Burlington Flats, St. Johnsville, Oneonta, Johnstown, Chenango Bridge, North Norwich, South New Berlin, Greene, Walton, Trout Creek, Maryland, Cherry Valley and Gilbertsville.

The honored couple received many lovely gifts at the party which was a complete surprise.

Victory! Morris Provides Ambulance



Within a week after a call had been sent out for funds to enable the Morris Emergency Squad and Fire Department to purchase a newer ambulance (which was finally secured for \$5,800 plus the old ambulance), Fund Treasurer Carl J. Smith, President of the First National Bank of Morris, had the money in hand to permit the purchase to proceed.

Mr. Smith is seen presenting a check to Robert Miller, ambulance dealer, Herkimer, N. Y., as the ambulance is delivered in front of the postoffice on Saturday morning and as members of the fire company and emergency squad look on. They are (l-r) Butler Quintin, James Cook, captain of the Emergency Squad, Fred Rendo, Mr. Smith, William Pickens, Mr. Miller and Fred Hoag. Not present at the time the picture was taken was Fire Chief Ralph Goodier.

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Carolers Visit Mrs. Johnson



The Primary Group of the Morris Methodist Church School spread Christmas cheer by visiting the homes of the "shut-ins" and singing carols to them. Pictured is the group bringing their good wishes to Mrs. Charles Johnson, one of the several persons visited on Sunday morning. With them are their leaders, Mrs. Lyon, Miss Milliken, and Miss Roffe.

*We have a few of these trees. Pop looks after them
with tender loving care. They don't like frost.*

LYCHEE, ANYONE?

Likee lychees? Orientals consider them a delicacy, especially if they have chicken-tongue (small) seeds.

A red-coated native of South China, the lychee was introduced to Sarasota about 1900, but today's biggest crop of about 10,000 pounds is being grown in South Dade.

Many Floridians have never sampled the lychee's exotic flavor, but it's well-known in Chinese areas of metropolitan cities across the nation as well as British Columbia, where Dade farmers find a ready market.

Supply never meets demand — although the lychee is also grown in California and Hawaii — and the oval fruit commands high prices.

Eat them right off the tree, pop them into your mouth after peeling the skin. You can chill them first, or fast-freeze them for later. They're delicious when added to fresh fruit salads, fruit cocktail or exotic alcoholic beverages.

You'll find the lychee in yards or groves throughout Dade until the end of June, when it ends a short season.



Lychee's Tough Skin Hides Exotic-Sweet Fruit Inside
... state's biggest crop is now on trees in South Dade

