

BUREAU LISTS PREMIUMS FOR ANNUAL EVENT

Session Planned On Day After Exhibition

Sodus—The fourth annual Wayne County Muck Potato Show and winter meeting has been set for Feb. 24 and 25 in the Newark Grange Hall, according to Morris Rutt, Rodus, chairman of the Farm Bureau Muck Potato Committee. The premium list for potato exhibits is ready for distribution and is available at the Farm Bureau office here.

Sections for five-tuber plates and 22-tuber classes of Irish Cobbler, Chippewa, Smooth Rural, Russell, Green Mountain and other Rural are provided. Business of table striking variety, bags, and one of the important classes included. Premium money in the most popular sections probably will start at six dollars. Again in 1938, the Newark-Courier trophy will be awarded to the man judged to be Wayne County's premier muck potato grower and exhibitor.

The Muck Potato Committee at its February show plans to introduce a section for 4-H Potato Club members. With the assistance of Marie Cunningham, County 4-H Club Agent, five tuber classes for Cobblers, Green Mountains, Smooth Rurals, Russell Rurals, and other varieties have been provided. A class for 10-pound market packages is also included. Cash awards will be made in each of the various classes.

A decision reached at the fall program planning meetings of the muck potato and muck vegetable committees was to hold the winter muck vegetable convention the day following the potato show in order that commercial exhibitors might have the benefit of the additional day. Accordingly, the show will be held Feb. 24 and the winter muck vegetable meetings will be held the following day. The program will feature results of recent experiments in the county on relay onions and carrots. Disease and insect control as well as marketing problems will be considered.

BENEFIT BALL TO LURE MANY

Mt. Morris—Livingston County's efforts to raise funds for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis through the medium of birthday balls for the President will far exceed previous efforts, according to L. C. Donovan, Livingston County chairman.

With each town in Livingston co-operating through committees, it is expected the Leicester Casino, Leicester and the Physical Culture Hotel in Dansville will witness the largest gatherings of citizens of Livingston County in its social history on Saturday night.

The ball in Dansville will start at 8:30 p. m. The Leicester event will start at 9:30 p. m.

Geneva Kiwanis Maps 1938 Work

Geneva—A discussion on projects for the year featured yesterday's dinner meeting of the Geneva Kiwanis Club.

No definite project was undertaken but several were referred to the committee on public affairs for further study. S. A. Gilbert, chairman of the committee on sickness, reported that Frank Fairfax is in a serious condition in Geneva General Hospital. Fairfax, Geneva business man, has been active in Kiwanis affairs. P. G. Flannigan is seriously ill in Syracuse.

An outline of the "Nurse Practice Bill" sponsored by the New York State Nurses Association, was discussed and referred to a committee. The local club voted to enter an attendance contest of the Fourth Division, including clubs in Auburn, Binghamton, Corland, Delhi, Elmira, Endicott, Geneva, Ithaca, Oneonta, Owego, Seneca Falls and Walton. All losing clubs to forfeit \$10 to the winner. The money will be used for charitable purposes. The plan was originated by Lieut. Gov. Frank Phillips of the Geneva Club.

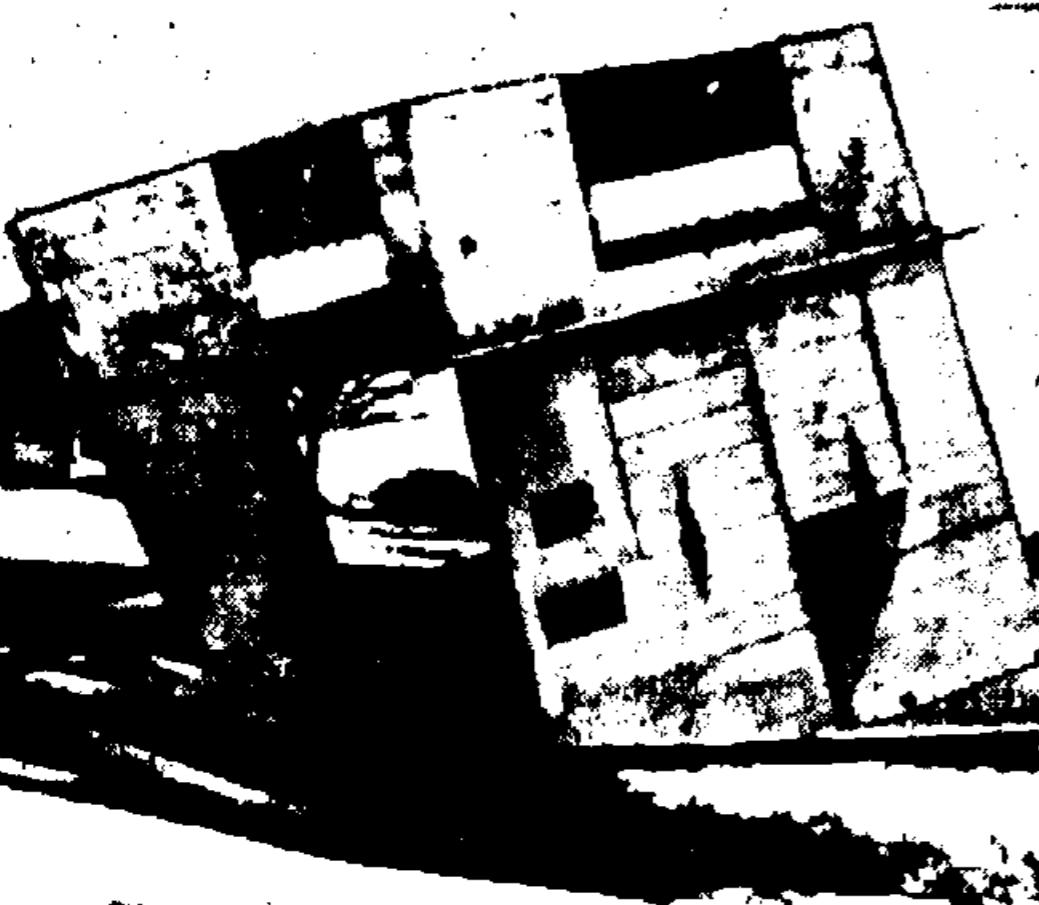
Driver Gets Bail In Fatality Quiz

Geneese—Gerald Bryant, Mt. Morris, arrested Monday on charge of criminal negligence in connection with the death of Mrs. Mary Martin, Mt. Morris, has been released on \$1,000 bail pending hearing before Probate Justice Samuel C. Culley at 8 o'clock Saturday morning in the offices of District Attorney Elliott A. Horton.

Bryant's arrest was made after Livingston County Coroner Tracy C. Van handed down a decision of criminal negligence after he had conducted an inquest several weeks ago.

Investigation revealed Mrs. Martin was crossing Main St. Mt. Morris, on Dec. 24, when she was struck by the Bryant car. She was taken to a doctor for treatment and died a few days later. Corporal Voight and Lippert of the Bureau of Criminal Investigation, the New York State Police and Deputy Sheriff Steve Cooper assisted Dr. Swan in his investigation.

Freak Wind Capsizes Cottage



A freak wind that preceded yesterday's snowstorm, lifted this overnight cottage owned by Chester Tosh, in Warsaw-Perry Rd., from its foundation and carried it several feet and finally deposited it upside down on its roof.

P. J. Griffin, Hornell, Dies; Railroad Man Half-Century

Hornell—Patrick J. Griffin, one of the best known men in Hornell and resident here more than half a century, died yesterday in his home, 16 Pine St.

Griffin was born in Sparta, N.Y., before his retirement in 1924. He served as a trainman.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Helen Stephens and Mrs. Anna Griffin, both of Hornell; a brother, Thomas Griffin, Louisville, Ky.

Funeral services will be at 4:30 a. m. tomorrow in the home and at 9 a. m. in St. Ann's Church. Burial will be in St. Ann's Cemetery.

FRED L. WHEATLEY

Hornell—Fred L. Wheatley, brother of former State Senator Lern F. Wheatley, Hornell, died yesterday in his home in Canisteo. He was a native of Franklin, Pa., and for years conducted a jewelry establishment in Canisteo.

Surviving besides the brother, is his wife, and another brother, the Rev. William Wheatley, Penn Yan.

Funeral services will be in the home tomorrow. Burial will be in Canton, Pa.

ELI N. SHERWOOD

York—Eli N. Sherwood, 60, died yesterday.

Sherwood is survived by a son, Frank, York; a daughter, Mrs. L. V. Dunham, Geneseo; a brother, Wallace, Warsaw, and five grandchildren. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow in the home, with burial in York Cemetery.

THOMAS BUCHANAN

Geneese—Funeral services for Thomas Buchanan, 72, who died Sunday in the home of his son, Charles, in Lakeville, were conducted at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon in his son's home. Interment was made in Temple Hill Cemetery, here.

He is survived by his wife; his son; a grandson; two brothers and a sister in Ireland; and five brothers residing in this vicinity, including his twin brother, Hugh Buchanan, spent the greater part of his life in the Geneva Valley.

ERWIN V. STRICKLER

Geneese—Funeral services for Erwin V. Strickler, 74, former Oneonta County resident who died Monday in Chicago, will be held at 2:30 Geneva St. at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The services will be conducted by Old Castle Lodge of Odd Fellows and burial will be in Glenwood Cemetery. Strickler formerly lived in the Junius Rd. Town of Phelps.

WILLIAM H. CORCORAN

Marion—Funeral services will be held in the home at 8:30 o'clock today in St. Gregory's Church. Marion, at 10 o'clock for William H. Corcoran, 76, of Marion who died in his home Sunday morning. Burial will be in Palmyra Cemetery.

He is survived by his widow, Jennie Brown Corcoran, and a daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Henry, Hornell, and a brother, Mark Whitmore, Seminole, Okla., six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

MRS. LEHMAN NEWTON

Albion—Mrs. Myrtle Singer Newton, 63, wife of Lehman Newton, died yesterday in her home.

Surviving besides her husband are six sons, Leo, South Alabama, Nurdett, Norman, Glenn and Ellis Newton, this village; three daughters, Mrs. Lewis Beuert, East Pennsboro, Mrs. Raymond Smith, Albion, and Mrs. Claude Pettit, Oakfield; three brothers, Leonard Singer, Akron, Leonard, Buffalo, and Frank, Alabama, and a sister, Mrs. Ernest Levalis, Batavia. Funeral services will be in the home at 2 p. m. Friday.

RICHARD N. FOX

Watertown—Richard N. Fox, 10-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fox, 116 Eleventh St., died yesterday in a Sayre hospital after a six-week illness.

Besides his parents he is survived by a brother, Leon; a sister, Marjorie, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fox and Mr. and Mrs. William Krebs, Farmington.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fox, Farmington.

SCOUTERS TRY TO DRAFT PLAN OF CAMP WORK

Finger Lakes Unit DROPS TARION AS SUMMER SITE

Geneva—Camp problems of Finger Lakes Council Boy Scouts are being studied by both members of the executive board and the camp committee.

The Council, Tarion on Canandaigua Lake, now offered for sale. No definite plans have been made for a substitute, and committee members are seeking the views of acquaintances on the type of a camp program most desired, leaders report.

At a meeting of the executive board here, President George Lawrie, Dundee, presided. Council officials were present from Penn Yan, Dundee, Geneva Falls, Canandaigua, Geneva, and Ithaca.

Lee A. Taylor, Geneva, chairman of the Troop Organization Committee, reported on registrations, charters and the like. Re-registration included Troops 37, Bristol Springs; 50, Branchport; 48, Shurtliff; 58, Port Gibon, and 13, Geneva. Two new charters have been approved, Troop 10 at Honeye, sponsored by the Richmond Firemen's Association, and the new Sea Scout Ship, Rotary, 109, sponsored by the Geneva Rotary Club. Official approval was given the Sea Scout group. Mr. Taylor reported that Troop 81, Waterloo, had lapsed and that Troop 31, Waterloo, had been dropped.

Debt Said Reduced

Charles A. Mitchell, Geneva, reported on the financial condition of the Council. It was said that conditions have improved greatly during the past year and that the total debt of the Council has been reduced 50 per cent or more.

New business was discussed and the annual report of the Council and application for charter presented and approved. The report showed growth during the year and the membership has been increased to 1,036 Scouts, the highest point in the Council's history.

Membership is up 10 per cent over a year ago and there are now 41 troops in the three-county area.

The Executive Board accepted the resignation of Mrs. Arlene Kenny, who has served as secretary in the Council offices for the past nine years. A resolution was adopted commending Mrs. Kenny for her years of valuable service.

There was a discussion of a retirement plan for employees of the Boy Scouts of America and a report on the subject will be given at the next meeting by Supreme Court Justice Nathan D. Lapham, Finger Lakes representative to the National Council.

Plan Fund Drive

The finance campaign for Penn Yan and Keuka Park will get under way Feb. 8, under the direction of Lester Stork, vice-president, and Dr. Lewis Gracey, campaign chairman. Both men are residents of Penn Yan.

DEFUALTS WON IN TWO SUITS

Belmont—Default judgments were taken in two cases in Supreme Court here yesterday. John Sherwood, Bolivar, who suffered a badly fractured skull last July 14 when his car, parked in his home town, was struck by a car driven by Leon Murray, Clarksville, won a default judgment for \$2,000 for hospital bills, loss of time, car damage and the like, against Murray Blis & Blis, Bolivar, his attorneys, with no appearance by the defendant.

E. L. Margeson and Hazel M. Baker, both Angelica, administrators of the estate of Frank C. Baker, Angelica, were given a judgment for \$150 against Ted and Bernice Berchard, Jasper, for the balance alleged due on the purchase of livestock covered by a chattel mortgage issued May 1, 1936. The defendants did not appear to answer the suit.

Geneva to Hear Seminary Speaker

Palmyra—At the Monday meeting of the 60-Minute Club of the Palmyra Methodist Church the men will hear Arthur Thorin who recently received the Carnegie Award for the risking of his life to save others.

He will tell how he saved Martha, Alma and Theodore Wedman of Newark from drowning in the wide waters of the Barge Canal near Port Gibon on July 6, 1936. He is the sixth in New York State to receive the award.

Others on the program are Dr. R. A. Reeves and Dr. Edwin Tellman, both of Palmyra. Dr. Reeves, who has been the Palmyra Health Officer for two decades, will speak on "Improved Care of Communicable Diseases." Dr. Tellman will tell about "Pneumonia." The Women's Missionary Society will serve a supper to the men preceding the meeting.

Police to Check Truck Lengths

Batavia—Members of Troop A, State Police, were sharpening their judgment of distance and unlimbering tape measures yesterday in wake of an announcement from St. Joseph W. Brandstetter, head of the Troop A, traffic division.

Brandstetter said that effective Feb. 1 his department will stringently enforce the State Vehicle and Traffic Law banishing vehicles more than 50 feet in length from the highways.

He explained that the law was passed two years ago but had not been enforced to give truck operators opportunity to adapt equipment to regulation. He said the law principally affects transport vehicles.

Seneca Road Heads To Confer Jan. 31

Watertown—Waterloo, superintendents and highway officials of Seneca County will have their annual meeting at 2 p. m., Monday, Jan. 31, in the courthouse here.

J. Edison Hudson, Romulus, superintendent of Seneca County highways, will preside. Representatives of the Division of Highways will speak on construction, repair and maintenance of highways and bridges while speakers from the

Department of Adult and Control will give instructions in the rules and regulations governing accounts, audits, etc., of highway funds.

YOUTH SPEAKS IN DEFENSE OF DEMOCRACIES

Seneca Falls Club Hears Appeal for End of Strife

Geneva Falls—"We must believe in our form of democracy as the only right form of government, even though there are advantages in the dictatorship," Everett E. Jacoby, president of Mynard's Academy's senior class told Tarion yesterday at their luncheon meeting in the Gould Hotel.

"We can easily cope with the problems of communism and fascism," said the young speaker. "If we satisfy the working men of the country and also the capitalists and aid unemployment.

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