

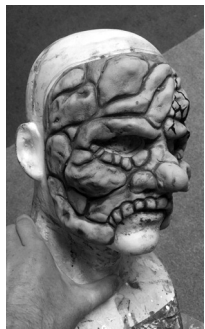


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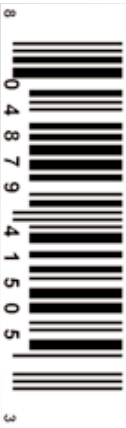
Bob and Wendy (Smith) Kopal of The Woodlands, Texas, took their copy of the *Alfred Sun* along to a crazy Game 5 of the World Series in Houston with the Astros winning, 13-12 in 10 innings after more than five hours of play. The Astros went on to capture their first ever World Series championship by taking the Los Angeles Dodgers in seven games.

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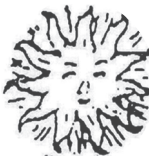
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ELECTION RESULTS

Write-in Bob Halsey wins highway superintendent job

ALLEGANY COUNTY—Write-in candidate Bob Halsey outpolled Republican John Billings for the Alfred Town Highway Superintendent position, while Republicans William Cleveland and Matthew F. Snyder were voted onto the Alfred Town Board, edging Democratic challenger Chris Romanchock.

The following are unofficial results from Tuesday's General Election, as reported by the Allegany County Board of Elections. Results of statewide contests are from Allegany County only.

STATE OFFICES

8th District Supreme Court Justice
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Proposal Number One An Amendment

Constitutional Convention
Shall there be a convention to revise the constitution and amend the same?
Yes824
No8711

Proposal Number Two An Amendment

Allowing the complete or partial forfeiture of a public officer's pension if he or she is convicted of a certain type of felony.
Shall the proposed amendment be approved?
Yes7671
No1743

Proposal Number Three An Amendment

Authorizing the Use of Forest Preserve Land for Specified Purpose
Shall the proposed amendment be approved?
Yes5228
No4041

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Treasurer
Terri L. Ross (R)7612

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Shall the following Proposition duly adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Almond, be approved: Shall Introductory Local Law No. 1 of 2017 entitled "A Local Law to Change the Offices of Town Clerk and Tax Collector From Elective to Appointive Offices" be approved?
Yes180
No211

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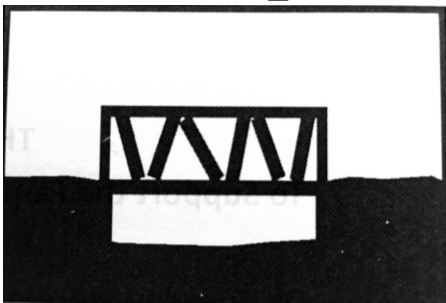
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Jenna Kelley (R)80

Local temperance preacher topic of Baker's Bridge program



BAKERS BRIDGE—Baker's Bridge Historical Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 13 in the Meetinghouse on Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station.

Alfred University Archivist Laurie McFadden will give an overview of the fascinating life and accomplishments of Hiram Palmer Burdick (1819-1904), a member of one of Alfred's earliest families.

Hiram was a teacher, minister, physician, dentist, inventor and well-known temperance lecturer. He also operated a water cure institute and was in-

strumental in establishing the Hartsville Hill Seventh Day Baptist Church and the church cemetery.

Laurie's program will also delve into the topics of temperance, physical culture, phrenology, and other aspects of 19th century life that may not be so familiar to people today. All are issues connected with the lifework of Hiram P. Burdick.

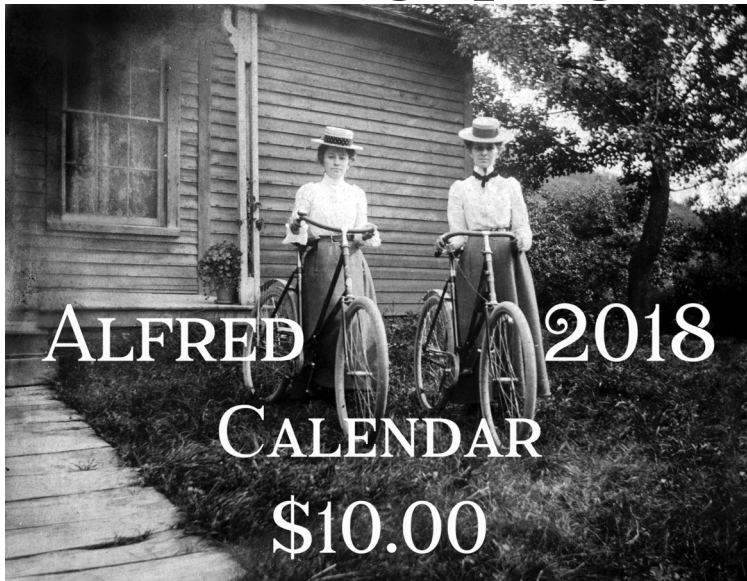
The meeting is open to the public and all are welcome to attend. Refreshments following the program will be provided by Mary Huntington and Debbie Sullivan.

Historical Calendars

Pictured is the cover of a 2018 calendar available for sale at Alfred Sports Center in Alfred and Canacadea Country Store in Alfred Station.

A collaboration between BBHA President Jim Ninos, and Collections Manager Laurie McFadden, this engaging work features delightful historical photos, many of which are earlier images of buildings still familiar to area residents today.

Just in time for seasonal gift-giving, the proceeds will benefit the further preservation of local history.



Alfred area historical photos comprise this 2018 calendar being sold at Alfred Sports Center and Canacadea Country Store.

OBITUARIES

Sally A. (Eddy) Sayer, 70, oldest of nine

SALLY A. SAYER
Beloved wife, mother,
grandma

ALFRED STATION—Sally A. Sayer of Lima and formerly of Alfred Station, on Thursday, Nov. 2, 2017 after a short illness was called by the Lord while surrounded by her loved ones at age 70.



She was born the daughter of Harold and Mary Brown Eddy on March 16, 1947 in Wellsville.

She was predeceased by her mother, Mary Eddy.

Sally is survived by her loving husband of 51 years, Robert; daughter, Katherine (Gary Adams); sons, James (Deborah) and Eric; grandchildren, Connor, Kyle, Carter, Mitchell, Brendon, Erica and Bridgette; father, Harold Eddy; siblings, Juanita Shaffer, John (Marilyn), George (Lynn), Martin (Kathi), Ruth (Alan) Aultman, Bill (Arlene), Rose (Paul) Landis and Ellen (Larry) Lamphier; many nieces and nephews.

Sally was a longtime member of the First Presbyterian Church of Honeoye Falls, where she was a past deacon and is a member of the Findlay Circle and the Presbytery Woman's Association; she

was the oldest of nine9 children, a dedicated gardener, loving wife, a devout grandmother and an absolutely wonderful lady. Always put others before herself, and we are sure that she will continue to watch over us all in her special place in Heaven.

Friends may call from 4 to 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 10, at the Merton H. Kays Funeral Home, Inc. 59 Monroe St. Honeoye Falls. Funeral Servicewill be held at 11 a.m. Saturday , Nov. 11 at the First Presbyterian Church, 27 N. Main St. Honeoye Falls. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the church. To light a candle in remembrance of Sally, please visit www.mertonkaysfuneralhome.com

Linda R. Brace Streicher, 72

LINDA RHODES BRACE STREICHER
Taught at Andover, AACs

PIKESVILLE, MD/ALMOND—Linda Rhodes Brace Streicher, 72, of Pikesvillen Maryland, formerly of Almond, passed away peacefully on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 31, 2017, after complications from surgery. Linda was born on Sept. 22, 1945, at the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md. to John Andrew and Grace Wild Rhodes. She married John Michael Brace on June 24, 1967, in Villanova, Pa. He predeceased her in 1986. On April 28, 1989, she married Thomas Eric Streicher in Hornell, and they enjoyed a long life together.



In 1963, she graduated from Radnor High School in Pennsylvania, where she was an accomplished athlete, participating in varsity lacrosse and field hockey. She swam competitively through the local YMCA and spent her summers in the Poconos teaching water skiing and performing in water ski shows. In 1967, Linda graduated from Mansfield University of Pennsylvania with a bachelor's degree in Home Economics Education, where she was a founding member of a sorority. She received a Master's of Education from Alfred University in 1972. She began her career as an educator at Andover Central School and continued her career at Alfred-Almond Central School, from which she retired in 1989. While at Alfred-Almond, she taught kindergarten, first, third, and fourth grade. Above all, the third grade was her favorite, where she created and continued to recognize many students as the "Top Banana." Her favorite part of the day was story time, where she adopted special voices for the characters and brought them to life for her students. Throughout her adult life, she lived in Western New York, Pennsylvania, and Maryland, but always considered Western New York to be her true home.

Linda was never afraid to try something new. She loved to travel and was able to do so extensively within the United States and internationally. She especially enjoyed San Francisco, Alaska, Italy, and European River Cruises. Her most cherished was the annual week-long vacation at the New Jersey shore with her children and their families. Trips to New York City to see Broadway shows and operas at The Met were some of her favorite activities spent together with Tom. She was an avid reader, foodie, and a tremendous cook with a knack for replicating gourmet restaurant meals in her own kitchen.

Linda is survived by her husband, Thomas Eric Streicher of Pikesville, Md.; her children, Theresa (Terry Little) Brace, Laura (Quentin Castle) Brace, Michael (Trisha) Streicher; grandchildren, Tyler Marie Little, Jordan Michelle Little, John Andrew Castle, Alex Michael Castle, Charles Alexander Pedigo, and Clara June Streicher; brothers, Robert (Cynthia) Rhodes, John (Susan) Rhodes; several nieces, nephews, and their families.

She was predeceased by her parents, John Andrew and Grace Wild Rhodes; and her first husband, John Michael Brace.

The Bishop & Johnson Funeral Home, Inc. in Hornell is honored to serve the family of Linda Rhodes Brace Streicher

Calling hours were from 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 5 at the Bishop & Johnson Funeral Home, Inc., 285 Main St., Hornell, where a funeral service was held following calling hours at 5 p.m., Sunday. Immediately following the service, a reception was held at The Main Place, 251 Main St., Hornell. A private interment will occur at Woodlawn Cemetery in Almond.

Memorial donations in honor of Linda's commitment to children and education should be sent to The Greg Norton Memorial Park Committee: Payable to: GNMPC, College Suppliers, 15 Church St., Hornell, NY, 14843; or Literacy West: Payable to: Literacy West, 29 N. Main St., Warsaw, NY, 14569; or pay by credit card at www.nycharities.org/give/donate.aspx, Designate Literacy West and specify the donation in the name of Linda Streicher to have donations targeted specifically to Allegany County. Envelopes for memorial contributions will be available at the funeral home.

She was a loving wife, sister, mother and grandmother, a friend to many, a pinnacle of strength and perseverance, and an educator for life. She showed us how to live a life well-lived, well-loved, and to be joyous in every way.

Condolences or remembrances of Linda are welcomed at: www.bishopandjohnsonfuneralhome.com

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Today's Word

THRIFT

Ray L. Witter, 85, long-time area police officer

RAY L. WITTER

Former Andover resident

SUGAR HILL, GA.—Ray L. Witter, 85, formerly of Andover, passed away Saturday, Nov. 4, 2017 at Heart of Georgia Hospice in Perry, Georgia.

Mr. Witter was born March 9, 1932 in Olean to LeRoy E. and Malita (Clemons) Witter, Sr. He was a 1950 graduate of Olean High School. He served in the United States Air Force from 1951-1955. In 1969 he married Janet Marie Eldredge, who predeceased him in 2010.



Ray worked as a police officer for the Olean Police Department for 16 years before transferring to the Andover Police Department where he worked an additional 16 years, retiring in 1989. He was also a part-time deputy for the Allegany County Sheriff's Office.

Ray is survived by two daughters, Miki Lu

Mullins of West Point, Georgia and Lisa Rae (John) Heineman of Ball Ground, Georgia; two sons, Robert J. Witter of Columbus, Georgia and Gary Lyle (Lisa) Witter of Sugar Hill, Georgia; one step-son, Dana J. (Starla) Williams of Greenwood; one brother, Charles (Rose) Witter of Portville; one sister, Naomi "Tootie" Witter of Olean; and many grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews and cousins.

In addition to his wife, he was predeceased by one son, Daniel Ray Witter; two sisters, Donna Gray and Gloria Bright; and four brothers, LeRoy E. Witter, Jr., Donald Ward Witter, Richard T. Witter and Robert J. Witter.

Ray was a Past Master Mason for the Andover Masonic Lodge 558 and an honorary member of the Andover Fire Department. He enjoyed tinkering on cars and was a life-long dog lover.

Per his wishes, there was no prior visitation. A graveside service with full military honors will be held in Georgia National Cemetery in Canton, Ga. at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements were under the direction of Baker-Swan Funeral Home in Andover. Online condolences may be offered at www.baker-swan.com.

Rev. Shelley K. Potter-Abrahamsen, 69, pastor



REV. SHELLEY K.
POTTER-ABRAHAMSEN

One-time Alfred resident

WHITING, NJ—The Reverend Shelley Katherine Potter-Abrahamsen, 69, of Whiting, Manchester Township, New Jersey, passed away on Tuesday, Oct. 31, 2017 following a brief illness. She was born in Westerly, Rhode Island to George and Gretta (Ehret) Potter (both deceased). The family lived in Alfred from 1949 until moving to Mystic, Connecticut when she was 12.

Following high school, Shelley graduated as a Licensed Practical Nurse and worked at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. Eventually she moved across the river to South Jersey and worked in various hospitals

over the years. She was a long-term volunteer with Magnolia Ambulance Corps and also an active member of Magnolia United Methodist Church. Through her participation there and following a pilgrimage to Israel in 1987, she felt called to become a pastor.

While raising a family of four and continuing her ambulance corps and church activities, Shelley went to college part-time from 1987 until she completed her Bachelor of Arts in 1999 at Thomas A. Edison State College. After that she attended Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia and graduated with a Master of Divinity.

Following ordination, Shelley was appointed pastor of The Church of the Master United Methodist Church in Howell, N.J., where she served for eight years. She was next appointed to Hamilton United Methodist Church in Neptune, N.J., and served there for four years. In June of 2015, Shelley retired and moved to Whiting with Arthur Abrahamsen, her beloved husband of 38 years.

Shelley is survived by Arthur; four children and their spouses,

Michael and Elissa (Sasian) Abrahamsen of Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania, Richard and Delia (Flaherty) Abrahamsen of Newtown, Pennsylvania, Lisa Dawn Abrahamsen of Sicklerville, N.J., and Jonathan and Patricia (Lynch) Quinet of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; six grandchildren, Rhianna Pennie and Rhiannon, Dalton, Cullen, Avianna and Gianni Abrahamsen; two siblings, Mark Potter with wife, Lin of London, England and Molly Notkin with husband Rick of Gilford, New Hampshire; niece, Fay Potter; and nephews, Luke Potter, Matthew and Michael Notkin.

Shelley's funeral service will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 11 at Whiting United Methodist Church, 55 Lacey Road, Whiting, N.J., 08759. Visitation is from noon-2 p.m., at the church prior to service. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Shelley's memory may be made to United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) or Ocean's Harbor House Youth Shelter.

Arrangements by Anderson & Campbell Funeral Home in Whiting. To send condolences, visit www.andersoncampbell-whiting.com

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The Alfred Area Business Association has changed our regular meeting date from the second Wednesday of the month to the second Tuesday so this month's meeting will be held at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 14 instead of Wednesday, Nov. 8.

Robyn Goodman, professor of communication studies at Alfred University, will present a talk, "Liquid Journalism and Loyal Resistance: Global Perspectives on Training Journalists for the Good Fight," at the Thursday, Nov. 16 Bergren Forum. The Bergren Forum, sponsored by the Division of Human Studies, is held at 12:10 p.m. each Thursday the University is in session in Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center. It is open to the public, free of charge. Attendees may bring their lunches; coffee and tea are provided. During her presentation, Goodman will discuss journalism educators' efforts to train future journalists to best serve society in a rapidly changing world that no one truly understands. During her talk, Dr. Goodman will discuss key findings from her recently-published book on this topic, "Global Journalism Education in the 21st Century: Changes and Innovations."

Wally Higgins of Alfred Station will celebrate his 92nd birthday on Saturday, Nov. 11. If you're born on Veterans Day, does that make you a veteran? It worked that way with Wally!

Speaking of Veterans Day, it is being observed at Alfred-Almond Central School on Friday, Nov. 10. There will be no school. Neither will there be Postal Service and banks will be

closed.

Congressman Tom Reed will hold a town hall meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. Monday, Nov. 20 at Horseheads American Legion Post 442, 71 Old Ithaca Road, Horseheads.

The Alfred-Almond Central School High School and Elementary School Food Drive will be conducted during the week of Nov. 13-17.

Mark your calendars! The A. E. Crandall Hook & Ladder Company will host its annual "Breakfast with Santa" fundraiser from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 2, 2017. The breakfast is free for children under 7, \$2 for children ages 7-12, and \$4 for adults. Funds raised this year will purchase training aids for the "Stop the Bleed" course being hosted in Spring 2018. "Stop the Bleed" is a national awareness campaign launched by the White House that is intended to encourage bystanders to become trained, equipped, and empowered to help in a bleeding emergency before professional help arrives. Initially, our Company will be training our Emergency Responders, to be followed by a community-wide training program.

Two professors in Alfred University's School of Art and Design performed at an event at Brooklyn College last week honoring late electronic music pioneer Pauline Oliveros. Andrew Deutsch, professor of sound design and video arts, and Peer Bode, professor of video art, along with Rebekkah Palov, an Alfred University alumna

(MFA, electronic integrated arts, NYS College of Ceramics), performed as Carrier Band. Formed in 1998, Carrier Band performs with electronic instruments.

Email news items to: alfredsun.news@gmail.com

STORK REPORT

A son, Eliyah Earnest Snyder, was born Sunday, Oct. 29, 2017 at Jones Memorial Hospital in Wellsville to Justin and Allison (Zinck) Snyder of Alfred Station. Eliyah weighed 9 lbs. 7 oz. and was 22 inches long. Maternal grandparents of the infant are Bob and Janet Zinck of Henrietta; paternal grandparents are Bonnie Snyder of Arkport and the late Kenneth Snyder. Eliyah joins Jamison (7), Lillian (5) and Azaryah (3) at home.

CAMPUS NOTES

Dominique Marble of Alfred Station is among the new students recognized with the 82nd awarding of the Elmira College Key. The Key Award recognizes students for high scholastic achievement, leadership, citizenship, and participation in extracurricular activities.

ALFRED Weather for the Week October 31-November 6

Oct.	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
31	49	36	0.04"	
Nov.1	47	28	0	
2	48	31	0.55"	
3	65	48	0.22"	
4	54	28	0.13"	
5	50	30	0.02"	
6	57	48	0.62"	

October Summary:

Avg. High: 66
Avg. Low: 41
Highest: 82 (Oct. 5)
Lowest: 26 (Oct. 17)
Total precipitation: 5.21 inches
By JOHN BUCKWALTER
Alfred Area Weather Recorder



Kelly's Forecast

By KELLY SNYDER
Alfred Sun Weather Forecaster

"How sad would be November if we had no knowledge of the spring!" --Edwin Way Teale

Circle of the Seasons, 1953

Thursday, Nov. 9

PM SHOWERS

(HIGH 48- LOW 23)

Chance of precipitation.....50%

Friday, Nov. 10

AM CLOUDS / PM SUN

(HIGH 27 - LOW 17)

Chance of precipitation.....10%

Saturday, Nov. 11

PARTLY CLOUDY

(HIGH 37 - LOW 28)

Chance of precipitation.....0%

Sunday, Nov. 12

PM SHOWERS

(HIGH 43 LOW 34)

Chance of precipitation.....40%

Monday, Nov. 13

MOSTLY CLOUDY

(HIGH 45 - LOW 31)

Chance of precipitation.....20%

For more up to date weather information add your Alfred Sun Weatherman Kelly Snyder on Facebook and as always if you don't like the weather in Alfred just wait five minutes!


Scene About Alfred

A weekly photo feature
By SHERRY VOLK
Alfred Sun Columnist




Recently, visitors to Alfred University's newly re-opened Steinhilber were met by two artistic works on pumpkins. Student artists carved a beautiful representation of the building itself... and a reminder of recently evicted residents. For a period of time, the Steinhilber was closed, awaiting the removal of bats, while the Career Development Center was re-located to Crandall Hall.





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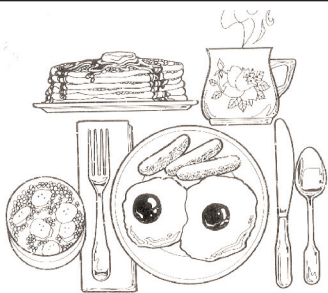
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SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ
Alfred Sun Columnist



Recipes from 'A Friend in Knead' book

[Editor's Note: Like most of the recipes she shared with our readers over the past couple of decades, Ellen Shultz's Sunny Side Up columns are worth repeating.]

Here are some of the advertisements in the 1906 cookbook, A Friend in Knead:

Burdick & Kenyon, Livery & Stage Line-We have a number of horses especially for Lady drivers. When you desire our services call us up on the phone.

Barnehoff's-Purity in Spices, Extracts of Flavor, Quality in Groceries, Health to Customers.

Alfred University-the place to study the chemistry of foods and to prepare yourself for scientific cooking.

E.W. Place-Good cookery requires good materials: we have them.

University Bank-capital \$25,000, surplus \$5,000-It is worthwhile to keep a Bank account for your household expenses. You can tell at the end of the year how much it costs to live.

Dr. Mark Sheppard, Alfred's doctor for 38 years

Dr. Mark Sheppard was the Alfred doctor for 38 years. His office and home were at 51 N. Main Street, the house that was demolished to make way for Uni-Mart. He had two wives, Mary E. Coon and, after her death, Eda Crandall. This recipe was attributed to Mrs. Mark Sheppard. Which wife it was, I do not know.

Peanut Butter Salad Dressing

Place 2 heaping T. of peanut butter in a small bowl. Add 2/3 c. hot water, rub smooth. Add 1 T. sugar and 1/2 tsp. salt. Let boil till it thickens. Add 2 T. lemon juice and stir. Serve over greens.



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**A Concert That Even His Mother Could Love
Or,
If Sax Is an Ill Woodwind That Nobody Blows Good...
Then That Must've Been Mr. Nobody I Heard in Concert Last Week**

I went to a concert again, so look out—
I'm about to inform you what it was about.
And you know that the way my review usually goes,
That performer had better've been on his toes.

This was sure no exception, because what he plays—
Which really belongs in the Glenn Miller days—
Is disdained by those holding orchestral-type jobs,
As well as by mice who're low brass playing snobs.

Yup, he came out on stage and was toting two saxes,
The tools of his trade, his two battleaxes.
Set to duel his accompanist—to the death! (ah, the life!)—
Which makes sense, after all, because she was his wife.

He played the first piece—sounded just like a flute,
The most sweet-sounding instrument ever to toot.
A smart way to start, cuz he'd have to make tracks
If the first sounds we heard sounded too much like sax.

But the next piece, instead, he made sound oboe-like;
I thought, "Oboe?! That proves he's a brave man, but—yike!"
(Cuz bassoon's only better than oboe, he'll learn,
For the longer time relishing watching it burn.)

He then played an odd little piece called "The Bees"
Which required that he circular breathe, if you please,
A technique where he plays while he breathes through his nose—
You might better jump rope while curling your toes.

A bit later on, he said, "This little item
Is a piece kids are practicing ad infinitum
To get ready to battle in sax competitions—
Er, hold it—I meant to say, 'play at auditions'.

"And I thought, as their teacher, I too ought to try it
And see if it's mean of me, making 'em buy it,
And woodshed through all those sharps, nat'als, and flats—
Though why should I care? They deserve it, the brats.

"Oops, I shouldn't be calling them that! Little dears...
I'll just tenderly yank them around by their ears,
Till they play those impossible passages passably—
Albeit when done they'll be acting irascibly.

"And my playing this piece now for you will reveal
Exactly just how all their families feel
For the days upon days upon weeks upon weeks
That these saxophone students will practice their squeaks."

He proceeded to play it without any pause...
But without any squeaks...and without any flaws...
Which is why I can say (in the title above it)
That even his squeak-hating mother could love it.

—No Bodymous

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Village Mayor stepping down from post

Hello Alfred Villagers,
For personal reasons, I've stepped down as Village Mayor. It has been an honor to serve the Village for the past thirteen years, including the last four and a half as Mayor. I am especially honored to have been elected in 2013, 2015 and again this past spring.
Three parting thoughts:
We should seriously consider hiring a Village Manager or Administrator. The responsibilities are similar to a full-time Mayor. They are not the Mayor, the cur-

rent Board structure remains, but I believe the Village would greatly benefit having someone whose full time job is to move us forward - refreshing our local laws, streamlining services, pursuing shared services, identifying

Community Chest Goal \$41,525

Drive only at 31% of goal

To the Editor:
The Alfred-Alfred Station Community Chest drive has completed the 'inaugural' month of our 2017 campaign. To date, the pledged amount totals \$12,958.35 or 31% of our campaign goal of \$41,425. This year the Community Chest campaign is significantly behind last year's drive which had 47% at this point. We will need ALL YOUR help to reach our goal, so would you please consider your pledge or gift today?
This week we recognize the Boy Scouts and their annual Scouting for Food Drive. Scouting has been a beneficiary of our campaign since the beginning of the Community Chest Drives. Across our area we may have groups in Tiger Cubs (grade 1), Cub Scouts (grades 2-5), Boy Scouts (ages 11-17) and Explorers (ages 14-20). Many young people take part in scouting activities and their associated community based programs. In the Five Rivers Council territory, total membership is about a fifth of all available youth. The local Council coordinates many activities including the operation of Camp Gorton, a resident camp, as well as, a variety of other day camps. The Five Rivers Council estimates that they will exert a significant effort in support of our local scouts and their activities. In addition, other support will be earned by the scouts themselves through their annual pop corn sales!
The Boy Scouts have programs designed to develop physical and mental skills, as well as, programs for 'well being' throughout life. Scouts learn and practice their skills through a wide variety of outdoor and camping activities. In addition, the Boy Scouts have targeted drug abuse, child abuse, and hunger among the themes for which they are particularly active. They have published and distributed booklets on drug abuse and produced media in order to recognize and combat child abuse. Their nationwide campaign: "Scouting for Food" is well known. With this program scouts will collect food items for their area pantries. This year the 'Scouting for Food' effort will collect in our neighborhoods on the traditional Veterans Day of Saturday, Nov. 11 beginning at 9 a.m. Will you please have your plastic bag (provided by Tops) outside your front door with some canned food items ... please: cans only.
A gift to the Community Chest is an opportunity to support the positive things that our young people accomplish. Many thanks to all who have been so generous thus far. We ask those of you who have not yet made a donation or pledge to help in making our drive a success. If, for some reason, you did not receive a pledge card, donations may be left at the Alfred Pharmacy in Alfred, the Canacadea Country Store in Alfred Station, or may be mailed to Alfred-Alfred Station Community Chest, Box 603, Alfred, NY, 14802. We look forward to your support.

Sincerely,
The Community Chest Board
Wes Bentz, Laurel Buckwalter, Andy Call, William Carlson,
Andy Eklund, Pete Finlay, Tony Graziano,
Tricia Napolitano and Linell Soule

grant opportunities, working with Village employees on strategic planning; the list is long and important.
AU and ASC drive our housing market. We've just tipped into a majority rental property community. I believe our dwindling long-term resident population is the greatest threat to the sustainability of the Village. It is in AU and ASC's best interest to balance the rental demand by finding ways to stimulate demand for owner-occupied housing in the Village. Numerous services we currently enjoy (local police, curbside trash pickup, sidewalk plowing, etc.) will cease should the Village dissolve, as will the cost savings we enjoy as a result of volunteer leadership by long-term residents on the Village Board, Planning Board, ZBA, and Fire and Ambulance Companies. Local living incentive programs offered by peer institutions of higher education cost a tiny fraction of what AU and ASC will have to pay should we lose these benefits.
Finally, I encourage Villagers to remember they are also Town and County residents. We pay those taxes (about one-third of our property tax bill) and Town and County decisions shape our community in many ways. You may already know the elected officials making these decisions. But you may not know, for example, that Allegany County does not participate in a sales tax sharing program, while both Steuben and Cattaraugus share sales taxes with their municipalities, making it very difficult for border communities like Alfred to compete with the property tax rates of our municipal neighbors. For instance, over a quarter of the Village of Arkport's local income comes from Steuben County's sales tax sharing program. That income assists them in maintaining much lower property taxes than Alfred, which puts us at a competitive disadvantage in the eyes of potential homeowners.
Thank you again,
Justin Grigg

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ALFRED UNIVERSITY PERFORMING ARTS

AU Theater Dept. to stage Eurydice Nov. 15-18

ALFRED—The Alfred University Theater Department's production of award-winning playwright Sarah Ruhl's *Eurydice* will be staged Nov. 15-18. The play, directed by J. Stephen

Crosby, professor of theater, will be performed at 7:30 p.m. nightly in C.D. Smith III Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center.

Eurydice is an enchanting

retelling of the ancient myth of Orpheus and *Eurydice*. The story focuses on *Eurydice*'s time in the Underworld after her untimely death and the surprise awaiting her that ultimately determines her eternal fate. Lush with dark humor, lyrical beauty, and wit, *Eurydice* transforms this Greek classic into a visceral, contemporary meditation on love.

Two-time Pulitzer Prize finalist Sarah Ruhl retells the myth, but from the perspective of *Eurydice*. Through a collage-like

plot structure, Ruhl creates a dreamlike world in which she introduces themes not present in the original myth. We view naïve, idealized love in contrast to the transformative love between fathers and daughters. We explore the permeability between the worlds of the living and the dead in a quest to discover where true meaning lies in life and thereafter.

Ruhl is a past winner of the Steinberg Distinguished Playwright Award, Susan Smith Blackburn Prize, MacArthur

Fellowship, and PEN/Laura Pels International Foundation for Theater Award. Two of her plays – *In the Next Room* and *The Clean House* – were finalist for the Pulitzer Prize for Drama. In the *Next Room* was also nominated for a Tony Award for Best New Play.

Tickets for the show are \$10 general admission; \$2 for Alfred University students with ID; and \$5 for senior citizens. For reservations, call 871-2828.



Mask designed and created by Trevor Monk for Alfred University's production of *Eurydice*.

Six characters in *Eurydice* will wear masks crafted by punter/placekicker

ALFRED—Masks worn by six characters in Alfred University's upcoming stage production of *Eurydice* were designed and crafted by theater major Trevor Monk.

Monk, a senior from Liverpool, designed and made the masks that will be worn by six actors playing the part of "The Stones" in the production of Sarah Ruhl's *Eurydice*, set to run Nov. 15-18, 7:30 p.m. nightly, in C.D. Smith III Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center.

Monk, who also minors in production design and technology and is the starting placekicker and punter for the Saxon football team, designed the masks as part of his senior project.



TREVOR MONK

This is but the latest of several theater projects Monk has undertaken during his four years at Alfred University. Prior to making the masks to be used in *Eurydice*, he was Props Master for the University's production of *As You Like It*.

Last February, one of Monk's masks was chosen to be used in the Syracuse Opera's production of Verdi's *Rigoletto*. He also designed and decorated a Fabergé-styled egg that was used in the Syracuse Opera's production of Tchaikovsky's *Eugene Onegin* last April.

Tickets for *Eurydice* are \$10 general admission; \$2 for Alfred University students with ID; and \$5 for senior citizens. For reservations, call 871-2828.

HINKLE MEMORIAL LIBRARY

'Camouflage' exhibit explores social conformance

ALFRED—Having taken an in-depth look at the motives behind wishing to fit in and be "popular," artist Tracy Hetzel will be presenting the resultant watercolor exhibition titled "Camouflage" at the Alfred State Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery from Nov. 3-29.

In her artist statement, Hetzel explained the idea for "Camouflage" came from her questioning of "personal adornment in relation to social acceptance."

"Why do we dress the way we do? Why do we apply makeup? Change the color of our hair? Wear trendy items?" she said. "Perhaps it camouflages who we really are by 'painting' on who we wish we could be. To be prettier, more popular, achieve a certain social status. Any way you look at it, there is a pressure to fit in, and in doing so, we tend to conform to popular societal standards."

However, Hetzel noted, there are "the few out there, the non-conformists, who dress for themselves and dance as if no one is watching." She said these individuals, in most cases, are "shunned by the popular norm" and called weird, odd, scowled at, and criticized for being different.

"But honestly, to me, these few are my heroes," she said. "With my paintings, I want to portray my interpretation of camouflage, using it to integrate,



to disguise, to escape, to hide, and ultimately portray both those who desire to be like the cool kids and those who shed their camo, embracing their true colors."

Hetzel, a 1987 graduate of Wellsville High School, received her bachelor's degree in art history from the University at Buffalo. Her illustrations have been featured in monthly publications, the New York Coffee Festival, Paris Fashion Week, the United Nations, Times Square, and for Colin and Alma Powell's foundation, America's Promise.

Additionally, Hetzel has written and illustrated a children's book about her hometown call "W (Ella's) ville," and is the creative director at Graphic Essentials, a marketing and design firm in Baltimore, where she currently resides with her husband and their two children.

The exhibit will be open for viewing during normal library hours. To inquire about exhibiting your work in the Hinkle Gallery, email library@alfred-state.edu or call 607-587-4313.

Pictured is "Fake It," one of the watercolor paintings by artist Tracy Hetzel that will be on display at Alfred State's Hinkle Memorial Library Art Gallery from Nov. 3-29.

Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

BANDS/DJs/RECITALS
Hornell Area Wind Ensemble Rehearsals Tuesday evenings at Hornell Intermediate School. New members are always welcome. For further information, call Nancy Luger at 587-9449 or call 545-8603.

MostArts Festival: Save the Date! Plan to enjoy Summer Music & Art, Sunday, July 8-14, 2018 featuring the 2018 Piano Competition ages 13-18 visit: www.MostArts.alfred.edu for more information.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers live music some evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 6 p.m. For tickets, visit: www.Wellsville-CreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

CHORAL GROUPS
Andover Catholic Choir. Rehearsals 7 pm Mondays at Blessed Sacrament Church, Andover. New members welcome. Contact Director Marcy Bledsoe at 478-5238.

Genesee Valley Chorus. The Genesee Valley Chorus has started fall concert rehearsals and welcomes new members. Singers meet every Tuesday at 7 P.M. at the Grace United Church, North Main Street, Wellsville (formerly Congregational Church). The chorus is directed by Norma Bartlett. For further information, call 585-593-3173.

Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus Meetings 7:00 p.m. Mondays at United Methodist Church of Hornell, 7528 North Main St Ext., near Webbs Crossing Road, Hornell. New members welcome. Call 607-698-4690 for info.

The Orpheus Chorale is a local chorale that performs concerts periodically. For more info, visit: orpheuschorale.org or call 607-324-5147.

Sanctuary Choir. Rehearsals 1st & 3rd Sabbath of Month – 12:30pm; Instrumentalists 4th Sabbath of Month– 9:00am. The Seventh Day Baptist Church – Alfred Station. New musicians welcome. Call 607-587-9176.

COFFEEHOUSES
Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers Coffee Houses TBA. Open Mic Night every Wednesday 7 to 10 p.m. For more info, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

CONCERTS/RECITALS
Davis Memorial Carillon Recitals, AU campus. There is currently no weekly recital.

Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series at Davis Memorial Carillon, AU campus. Free concerts on Tuesdays during the month of July. The Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series honors Dr. Ray Winthrop Wingate, a professor of music at Alfred University for 56 years.

Peggy Lynn & Dan Duggan, in an Alfred University David Miller Guest Artist Series performance, will share an evening of traditional folk music at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 29 in the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church.

‘Tribute to John Denver’ will be presented by Michelle Libertone and John Spicer at 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 12 in a multimedia event on the 30th anniversary of Denver’s passing, at the Nancy Howe Auditorium, David A. Howe Library, Wellsville. Come sing along with those classic John Denver songs! The free concert is sponsored by Allegany Arts Association.

Trio Alexander, in an Alfred University David Miller Guest Artist Series performance at 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 29 in Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center. Rochester based Trio Alexander champions the music for flute-violoncello trio performing classical, transcriptions, and improvisations on jazz and folk tunes.

Tianhan Chinese Orchestra will join the AU Choirs and Guzhen Ensemble in a concert at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 3 in the Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center. Experience the Music of China! Also with Daisy Wu and Luanne Crosby (tentative).

Alfred University Symphony Orchestra Concert at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 19 in Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center.



Theater & Dance

DANCE
International Folk Dancing Tuesday evenings from 8:30-10:30 p.m. We learn and do a variety of International Dances, many from the Balkans, Israel, Armenia, etc. Everyone is welcome, no partner or experience necessary! Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus.

Let’s Dance Club offers occasional dances. For details, contact president Carole Onoda at (607) 276-5475, vice-presidents John and Dee Cwynar at (607) 324-0373, secretaries Duffy and Barb Elsenheimer at (607) 295-7194, treasurers Charlie and Kathy Bill at (607) 295-7130, or band coordinators Doug and Melody Carrier at (607) 324-5821.

DRAMA GROUPS
Wee Playhouse meets monthly. Call Vice-President Martha Lash at 587-8675 for more info.

Alfred Community Theatre (ACT). Organized to revive summer theater in Alfred and help restore the 1890 Firemen’s Hall Theater. For more info, call Dave Snyder at 587-8110.

PERFORMANCES
Alfred University Devised Theatre Production, 7:30 p.m.

Thurs.-Fri.-Sat., Sept. 28-29-30 in CD Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. Students will devise an original performance work using techniques from Dada performance, Allan Kaprow’s Happenings, Post-Modern Devising Practices, under the guidance of NYC based Visiting Theatre Director Dara Milano. Tickets required.

Eurydice by Sarah Ruhl will be staged by Alfred University students at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday-Friday-Saturday, Nov. 15-18 in the C.D. Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. Directed by J. Stephen Crosby, the show is a retelling of Orpheus and Eurydice, focusing on her time in the Underworld after her untimely death and the surprise awaiting her. Lush with dark humor, lyrical beauty and wit, Eurydice transforms this Greek classic into a visceral, contemporary meditation on love worth grieving for. Tickets required.

Informal Dance Showing. 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 30 and Friday, Dec. 1. Presenting AU Dance Program’s faculty and student creative work and compositions from independent choreographers. Limited seating. Free admission. CD Smith III Theatre.



Art/Galleries

INSTRUCTION/GROUPS
Allegany Artisans. The Allegany Artisans, local artists and craftspeople working together to host an annual studio tour, held annually in October, invite artists to apply. Work is juried. Studio must be in Allegany County. 585-593-6345 or visit the website: www.alleganyartisans.com.

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Wellsville Art Association meets 7 pm on the last Friday of each month at Wellsville Community Center. For information on meetings or classes, call 585-593-3579.

Steuben Trust Gallery, Steuben Square, Hornell. On-going exhibits of Artist of the Month. M-F 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Sponsored by the Hornell Area Arts Council.

Southern Tier Fiberarts Guild, founded in 1983, meets at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main St., Wellsville, on the first Saturday of the month from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. except months of July and Sept. The group welcomes spinners (and wannabes), quilters, knitters, crocheters, embroiderers, weavers, dyers, basket makers, hookers (rug hookers, that is) and everyone with a creative mind and an interest in fibers. For more information, call Debbie MacCrea at 607-587-9270, Carol Wood at 607-587-9519 or T.C. Gary at 585-593-4799.

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Fosdick-Nelson Gallery at Alfred University. Fosdick-Nelson Gallery is located in Harder Hall, AU campus. Open 11-4 Mondays-Fridays. Info 871-2412.

Glenn H. Curtiss Museum 8419 Route 54, Hammondsport. Special exhibits, special events. Open daily 10-4. Admission. (607) 569-2160.

Hagadorn House Museum Operated by Almond Historical Society. Genealogical research available Friday afternoons.

Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery, Alfred State College Campus. Open during library hours, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Fridays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays and 3-9 p.m. Sundays. For more information, call the library at 607-587-4313.

Hornell Erie Depot Museum, 111 Loder St., Hornell is open Wed., Thurs., & Fri. from 6-8 pm, and Sat from 12:30-3pm.

Inamori Kyocera Museum of Fine Ceramics. The newly constructed museum focuses on fine ceramics used in technical and bio-medical applications. Located on the top floor of Binns-Merrill Hall, AU campus, Alfred. Open 10-4 Wed.-Fri. Free admission.



Alfred Ceramic Art Museum. Located on Northeast corner of Main and Pine Streets, AU campus, Alfred. Hours: Tues. thru Friday 10-5, Thurs. 10-7, Sat. and Sun. 10-4. \$7 Adults, \$5 Seniors, \$3 Local Residents. Free for Museum members, 17 and under, AU and A State faculty staff and students. For information call 607-871-2421; or visit the museum website: ceramicmuseum.alfred.edu

National Warplane Museum. nationalwarplanemuseum.org, 3489 Big Tree Ln, Genesee, NY 14454, (585) 243-2100.

Walter McConnell’s work exhibited in Bellevue, Washington

BELLEVUE, WA–Walter McConnell, professor of ceramics in the Alfred University School of Art and Design, has an installation of his work on exhibit at the Bellevue Arts Museum.

The installation, *Itinerant*

Edens: A Measure of Disorder, displays figures made from unfired clay, sealed in terrarium-like enclosures. It is modeled on McConnell’s recent project, *Of Fable and Facsimile*, which featured a sculptural, inter-generational portrait of the artist, his

father, and his nephew rendered in fresh clay.

McConnell and his assistants were on site for two weeks creating the component parts of the unfired clay installation. Among the assistants were students from Kate Roberts’ intermediate ce-

ramics class at the University of Washington. Roberts earned bachelor’s (2010) and master’s (2015) in fine arts degrees from Alfred University and is a lecturer in the School of Art, Art History and Design at the University of Washington.

Bellevue Art Museum Facebook post shows time-lapse video of installation.

The figures in the McConnell’s installation are digitally scanned and prototyped from live models, which are then cast and pulled from molds. *Itinerant Edens*, which opened Oct. 20 and runs through February

11, 2018, offers a look at intersections between analogue and digital processes in the service of art, illustrated through the device of the human figure. McConnell’s earthen forms -- sustained momentarily in their fictional landscapes -- appear fragile and ghostly, positing impermanence as the inevitable condition of natural systems. Indeed, due to the changing nature of the raw material, the works will slowly transform throughout the course of the exhibition.

McConnell earned a master of fine arts degree in ceramic art from Alfred University in 1986.

NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS

MELANIE MILLER

Alfred Box of Books Director

Another crochet class will take place at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 14. Learn how to crochet a granny square to participate in the county-wide “Libraries Unite Communities” afghan.

Libraries in Allegany County are collecting 6” x 6” granny squares in any color or pattern. We will be collecting all of the squares and creating an afghan, which will go on display at various Allegany County Libraries after the new year. The Allegany County Public Library Director’s Association will be raffling the afghan off to help us raise money for future county-wide library outreach projects.

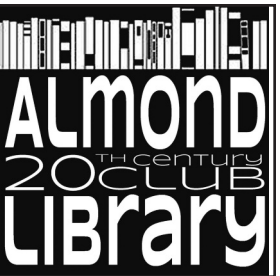
Mawia Elawad will be at the Box of Books on at 6 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 16 for our Cultural Awareness workshop. This workshop will focus on the Arabic language.

Reminder- We’re celebrating “No-Fine November” all month. If you have overdue items, simply bring in a donation for the local SPCA and have your fines forgiven. This only includes fines under \$5.00 and those belonging to the Alfred Box of Books Library. You can find a list of items being collected by the SPCA on our website, Facebook, or at the library.

The library will be closed Thursday, Nov. 23 and Friday, Nov. 24 for the Thanksgiving holiday.



What’s Happening at Almond Library By STACEY SPENDLOVE Almond Library Director



Hello to everyone! We are entering the busy Holiday season of the year and the smells, sights and sounds are becoming more festive all around us... and we feel the excitement here too at the Almond 20th Century Library!

Please come join us for some great upcoming THANKSGIVING themed programs:

Wednesday 11/8 @ 5:30 pm - Creating GRATEFUL journals

Wednesday 11/15 @ 5:30 pm - Painting Rocks of Gratitude


*(We hope to make this an ongoing class that you’ll all like, that way we can throughout the year and start a Facebook Group!!)

Thursday 11/16 @ Making Dreamcatchers

***The Library will be closed on Thursday, THANKSGIVING DAY, Nov. 23 and Friday, Nov. 24 for all to celebrate the Holidays with your family and friends.

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Alfred Art Walk, a collaborative monthly event of the art galleries of Alfred from 6-9 p.m. on the following dates: Dec. TBD, Feb. 2, March TBD, April 7, May 4, June TBD, July MostArts TBD with the following galleries participating: Alfred Ceramic Art Museum, Cohen Gallery at 55 North Main Street, Fosdick-Nelson Gallery in Harder Hall at AU, Gallery 2 Gifts of Distinction at 43 N. Main Street, Robert C. Turner Gallery in Harder Hall on AU campus, TSI/Hardland Snodgrass Gallery in Harder Hall, AU campus, Bret Llewellyn Gallery at Alfred State College. For more info, contact Caitlin Brown at Alfred Ceramic Art Museum, 607-871-2421.

National Warplane Museum. nationalwarplanemuseum.org, 3489 Big Tree Ln, Geneseo, NY 14454, (585) 243-2100.

Rockwell Museum, 111 Cedar St., Corning. Largest American Western Art collection on view in the eastern United States, with paintings, sculpture, Native American artifacts, and firearms. Info 607-937-5386.

Terra Cotta Museum, Main St., Alfred. Open on special occasions or by appointment. Contact Wayne Higby for further information.

World War II Museum, 201 Main Street, Eldred, Pennsylvania. Coming programs include: Saturday, Nov. 11--Veterans Day. Presentation honoring area veterans; Saturday, Dec. 16--Battle of the Bulge: director Steve Appleby will share the story of the local National Guard unit and its heroic stand during the largest land battle of the European War. For more information, visit: <http://eldredpawwiumuseum.com/> or call: 814-225-2220



Lectures/

Readings

AU Women's Studies Roundtable. Held on the first Friday monthly during academic year from 12:20-1:10 p.m. at Women's Leadership Center, Commons, Ford Street, AU campus.

AU Environmental Studies Speakers Series. Talks are 12:20 to 1:10 Fridays in Science Center Room 247. All are welcome; refreshments will be served.

Allegany County Bird Club. Meetings held at the First Congregational/Christian Temple Church, 289 N. Main Street, Wellsville, unless otherwise stated, at 7 p.m. on the first Friday of each month; speakers begin at 7:15 p.m. The club will NOT meet during the months of January and February 2018.

Baker's Bridge Historical Association. Meets 7:30 pm, third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. All programs free and open to the public. Oct. 16: "Growing Up In Alfred" with Jude Frechette; Nov. 13: "Hiram Burdick" with Laurie McFadden; Dec. 11: "Civil War Medicine" with Dr. Spencer Annabel with dish-to-pass dinner; Jan. 15: "Andover/Alfred Grand Army of the Republic" with Bill Greene; Feb. 19: "History of the MacCrea Family" with Scotty MacCrea; March 18: "Hazel Humphreys" with Jim Ninos; April 16: Bill Heaney (Topic to be determined); May: Field Trip. Website: www.bakersbridge.org. For more information, contact President Jim Ninos, 607-587-9018, jninos@gmail.com. For a tour of the building contact our Collections Manager, Laurie McFadden (607-382-7276, mcfadden@alfred.edu).

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus when classes are in session. Sept. 28: Erin Redmond, "Should I Stay or Should I Go? Migration and Betrayal in Cuba Film"; Oct. 5: David Marsh, "The past, present and future of litography: From Art to the Impossi-

bly Small"; Oct. 12: Nick Schlegel, "Hello, This is Edgar Wallace Speaking, The German Krimi (Crime Film)"; Oct. 19: Colleen Culley, "Dude Moves: Versions of Meaning in this pop Culture Body Language Stuff"; Oct. 26: Diana Maguire, "First Year Students' Business Practicum: Impacts of Early Experiential Learning"; Nov. 2: D. Chase Angier, "Immersed in Blue: Iceland"; Nov. 9: Amy Button, "Going First: The Implications of Being a First in Family Postsecondary Student"; Nov. 16: Robyn Goodman, "Liquid Journalism and loyal resistance: Global perspectives on training journalists for the good fight"; Nov. 23: Thanksgiving; Nov. 30: Dave Toot; Dec. 7: Bob Myers, "Nunavut of the North: Canada's High Arctic Trapped Between Two Worlds." Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available.

Maple City Garden Club. Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program TBA: For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

Nunda Historical Society. Questions: see www.nundahistory.org or call 585-476-2354 or 585-465-0971.



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BRIDGE
Helen Bailey Bridge Club. Games at 2 p.m. Wednesdays and at 7 p.m. Thursdays at the Hornell United Presbyterian Church, Main Street, Hornell. For further information, contact Pat LaCourse at 587-8570.

Str8 Eight Card Game Tournament at 8 pm (unless otherwise noted) on the 8s at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. Next Str8 Eight tournament Wednesday, Nov. 8 at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse. You get the idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: www.str8-eight.com

Special Events

Journey to Transformation: Friday night community prayer for host, community and Allegany County churches, and beyond, are being held from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.:

Biweekly Sunday night praise and worship and prayer time, with live music, are scheduled from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. to pray for prime county-wide concerns, with the most recent gathering on August 27 concentrating on prayer for schools, including teachers, students, parents and other involved

individuals. Ongoing area prayer gatherings during the week available from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. weekday mornings at Knights Creek Evangelical Methodist Church, 2987 County Road 9, Scio; 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. Wednesdays at the Belfast Free Methodist Church; and from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Saturdays at the Powerhouse Youth Center, 23 West Main Street, Fillmore. Further information available from Pastor Dan Kenyon, Wellsville Bible Church, at wbc@ne.twcbc.com or (585) 593-6471, or most area pastors.

Wed., Nov. 15, 7 pm: **"B & W That's Right! with Lightroom"** by Gordon Brown at the Arts Council for Wyoming County, 31 S. Main St. in Perry. This basic-to-intermediate program describes the much-neglected Adobe Camera Raw 8 (ACR8) program, and Lightroom 5/6, and shows how to get superior images easily from less-than-superior files, and even better images from good exposures. Sponsored by the Canyon Camera Club, this program is free and open to the public. Questions: Call Joan Schumaker (585-490-3302)

Support Groups

Adult Survivors of Sexual Abuse. Meets at various times. Call 716-593-6300 for info.

Al-Anon. 7pm Thursdays and Sundays at the United Presbyterian Church, 150 Main Street, Hornell. Use the side entrance

Alcoholics Anonymous. 7 pm Fridays at Union University Church Center in Alfred. Call 607-276-8588 for help or information.

Alzheimer's Support Group. Meets third Thursday of the month at noon in United Church, Belmont. Call Allegany County Office for the Aging at 716-268-9390 for info.

Cardiac Support Group. Meets second Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the St. James Mercy Hospital Cardiac Rehab (2nd floor). For info, call the Cardiac Rehab Unit at 324-8735.

Caregivers Support Group. For info, call the Allegany Office for the Aging, 716-268-9390 or toll-free 1-866-268-9390.

Diabetes Support Group. Meets fourth Thursday of the month from 6:30-8 p.m. in the Memorial Conference Room, ground floor just off the cafeteria at St. James Mercy Hospital. For more info, contact Bonnie at 607-324-8900.

Homeschool Support Group — Allegany-Steuben County LEAH (Loving Education at Home) meets at 7 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month at the Steere home in Almond. 276-6380.

LaLeche League. Mother-to-Mother Breastfeeding Support. Hornell group meets third Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at Christ Episcopal Church, corner of Main and Center Streets, Hornell. For more info, call 324-6266.

Etcetera

Creative Writers of the Southern Tier. Meets 1:30-4 p.m. second Saturday of each month March through November at site to be determined. For further information, call 585-593-0820 or 585-593-2324.

Guiding Eyes for the Blind. Puppy raisers needed. Classes 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 6:30 pm, Bldg 18 BOCES Wildwood in Hornell. 585-335-2628 for info. www.guidingeyes.org.

Allegany County SPCA. Volunteers or those wishing to contribute are asked to call 585-593-2200. Send contributions to PO Box 381, Wellsville, NY 14895.

Wellsville Lioness meets second Monday of the month upstairs at the Beef Haus.

Clinics--Blood Pressure Screening. No appointments needed. All ages welcome. Offered 11 a.m.-12 noon occasional Thursdays at Office for the Aging Nutrition Luncheon, Union University Church Center, Alfred.

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, Nov. 13

Orange Juice, Pineapple Cottage Cheese, Sloppy Joe on Wheat Bun, Brown Rice, Green Bean Casserole, Pears. Diabetic--Pears.

Tuesday, Nov. 14
Egg Salad Sandwich on Wheat Bread, Ham and Bean Soup, Carrots, Fresh Orange. Diabetic--Orange.

Wednesday, Nov. 15
Coleslaw, Firemen's BBQ Chicken, Baked Beans, Corn, Rye Bread, Butterscotch Squares. Diabetic--Fruit Cocktail.

Thursday, Nov. 16
"Thanksgiving Special." Cranberry Gelatin Salad, Roast Turkey w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Stuffing, Squash, Dinner Roll, Pumpkin Pie. Diabetic--Pumpkin Pie.

Friday, Nov. 17
Spinach Mandarin Salad, Meatloaf w/Gravy, Baked Potato w/Sour Cream, Mixed Vegetables, Banana Bread, Pineapple Upside Down Cake. Diabetic--Pudding.

For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. previous day.

ALFRED NUTRITION SITE
Union University Church Center, 12 noon
Call Debbie Pierson at 607-793-0118.
Monday—Exercises with Mary Lou Maxon 10:30-11:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. "Celebrating Chicken Soup for the Soul Day."
Wednesday—Exercises with Mary Lou Maxon at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "This is Geography Awareness Week"
Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon. "Happy Thanksgiving."

BELMONT NUTRITION SITE
American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.
Call Eileen Kane at 585-808-1472
Tuesday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:30 a.m. "The Great Pecan Pie Debacle of 1978." Blood Pressure Clinic.
Thursday—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Dale Carnegie Biography."

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE
Fire Hall 12 noon
Call Carrie Simon at 585-808-5640
Monday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon.
Wednesday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon.

Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon. Tracy DuBois, Issues & Answers.

CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE
Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Barb Welch at 607-270-4070.

Tuesday—Exercises at 10 a.m. Craig Braack—"Causes of the Civil War" at 11:15 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Cards/Games at 1:00. Tracy DuBois, Issues & Answers.

Thursday—Exercises at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. "Mexican Cuisine." Cards at 1 p.m.

CUBA NUTRITION SITE
AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon
Call Judy Enders at 585 808-5201
Monday—10:30 Growing Stronger Exercises, Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "Fancy Rat and Mouse Day." *Call in reservations for Evening Meal.
Tuesday—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "How Butter is Made."
Wednesday—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Current Events." Blood Pressure Clinic.

Thursday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 9:30 a.m. Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. "Evening Meal." Tracy DuBois, Issues & Answers.

FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE
Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Maggie Smith at 585-737-5609
Monday—10:30 Growing Stronger Exercises, Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre.

Thursday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.
FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE
Community Center, 12 noon
Call Vivian Howell 585-973-2650
Tuesday—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m.

Thursday—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Crafts at 1 p.m.
WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE
YMCA, Riverwalk Plaza, 12 noon
Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.
Monday—Stretch at 9 a.m., Bingo at 10:30, Lunch at 12 noon, Euchre at 1 p.m.
Wednesday—Games at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Euchre at 1 p.m.
Thursday—Stretch at 9 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Canasta at 1 p.m. Blood Pressure Clinic.
Friday—Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Pinochle at 12:30, Euchre at 1:00 p.m.

WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE
Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Linda Haggerty at 585-296-3800.

Monday—Senior Center Library, Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "A Mexican Favorite."

Tuesday—Senior Center Library. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "November Word Scramble."

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Rank	School (No. 1 votes)	W-L	Points	Prev.
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2	Mount Union (4)	9-0	600	2
3	UW-Oshkosh	8-0	579	3
4	St. Thomas	8-1	531	4
5	Hardin-Simmons	8-1	508	5
6	St. John's	8-1	472	6
7	Delaware Valley	9-0	461	7
8	Linfield	7-1	440	8
9	North Central (Ill.)	8-1	404	9
10	Brookport	9-0	378	10
11	Illinois Wesleyan	8-1	377	11
12	Wittenberg	9-0	368	12
13	Wesley	8-1	327	13
14	Case Western Reserve	9-0	287	16
15	Washington and Jefferson	9-0	282	15
16	Frostburg State	8-1	265	14
17	Berry	9-0	213	17
18	Wartburg	9-0	202	18
19	Concordia-Moorhead	8-1	175	19
20	Springfield	9-0	139	22
21	Johns Hopkins	8-1	119	23
22	Wheaton (Ill.)	7-2	98	24
23	UW-Whitewater	6-3	64	--
24	UW-La Crosse	7-2	55	--
25	Trine	9-0	51	--

Dropped out: No. 20 UW-Platteville; No. 21 George Fox; No. 25 Salisbury.

D3 East Region *Fan Poll

Team	Record	Points
1. Delaware Val (2)	9-0	47
vs. #9 Widener		
2. Brockport (3)	9-0	46
at St. Lawrence		
3. Wesley	8-1	42
vs. Christopher Newport		
4. Frostburg State	8-1	35
at #6 Salisbury		
5. Springfield	9-0	29
vs. MIT		
6. Salisbury	7-2	22
vs. #4 Frostburg State		
7. Plymouth State	9-1	16
Open Date		
8. Husson	8-1	14
vs. Mount Ida		
9t. Framingham St	8-1	8
vs. Worcester State		
9t. Widener	7-2	8
at #1 Delaware Valley		

Dropping Out: Union

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Others receiving votes: Salisbury 21; UW-Platteville 19; Monmouth (Ill.) 17; Huntington 11; Franklin 7; Whitworth 6; Plymouth State 4; Framingham State 4; Millikin 4; DePauw 4; Franklin & Marshall 4; Centre 4; Albright 2; Chapman 2.

The D3football.com Top 25 is voted on by a panel of 25 coaches, Sports Information Directors and media members from across the country, and is published weekly.

Pigskin Picks

A weekly fall feature in which *Alfred Sun* readers attempt to pick the winners of ten small college (Division III) games and ten NFL games each week for 13 weeks during the football season.

Also featuring the D3football.com weekly Top 25, The D3 East Region Fan Poll, not to mention *Alfred Sun* sports columnist (and sports authority) Doug Lorow's weekly NFL "almost perfect" prognostications.

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Doug's NFL Picks

WEEK TEN THURSDAY	
Seattle.....	20. CARDINALS.....13
SUNDAY	
New Orleans.....	24. BILLS.....17
Green Bay.....	14. BEARS.....13
LIONS.....	30. Cleveland.....9
Pittsburgh.....	30. COLTS.....9
JACS.....	27. LA Chargers.....24
BUCS.....	24. NJ Jets.....23
REDSKINS.....	27. Minnesota.....20
TITANS.....	27. Cincinnati.....20
RAMS.....	21. Houston.....13
FALCONS.....	24. Dallas.....23
NINERS.....	13. NJ Giants.....12
New England.....	24. BRONCOS.....20
MONDAY	
PANTHERS.....	24. Miami.....20
(Byes: Ravens, Chiefs, Raiders, Eagles)	

Pigskin Picks Football Contest

Barb Welch wins Pigskin Picks Week 9

Barb Welch of Alfred Station edged Jay Lawrence of Fulton on the tiebreaker to take Week 9 Pigskin Picks honors. Both had just 4 misses. Both picked Detroit to win Monday night, Barb by a 24-17 score, Jay by 21-17. Lions won, 30-17.

Nelson Snyder of Alfred Station, Robert Grogan of Canisteo, Art McLaughlin of Alfred Station, Gary Moore of Geneseo and Doug Lorow of Webster each had 5 misses. Judy Marlatt of Almond had 6 misses, while Mack Mullen of Canisteo, Floyd Patrick Farley of Hornell, Bob Baker of Alfred and Chris Yarnal of Almond had 7 misses. Jim Moretti of Clermont, FL had 8 misses while Jason Rawady of Charlotte, NC had 11 misses.

It's easy to participate! Enter your guesses of winners of the 20 football games (found in the ads on these pages) and predict the score of the MNF

game as the tiebreaker in the form below. Enter today! The entry form below is due by **5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 17**. Send entries to: **Pigskin Picks, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802** or take to the ALFRED SUN mailbox on the porch of the home office located at 764 Route 244 in Tinkertown. Good luck!

2017 Results:

Week One: Robert Grogan
Week Two: Doug Lorow
Week Three: Robert Grogan
Week Four: Art McLaughlin
Week Five: Doug Lorow
Week Six: Gary Moore
Week Seven: Gary Moore
Week Eight: Mack Mullen
Week Nine: Barb Welch

Pigskin Picks Entry Form

College Picks Nov. 18 Games

1. _____
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Pigskin Picks Contest Rules

1. Entries must be postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday week of the games.
2. One entry per person on official entry form or facsimile of same.
3. Write team next to number corresponding with games in ads on this form.
4. The person who picks the most games correctly wins. Tiebreaker determined by 1) best point spread; 2) closest total points scored.
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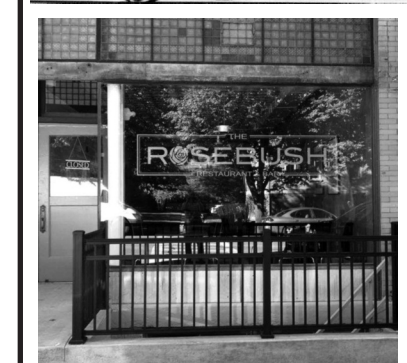
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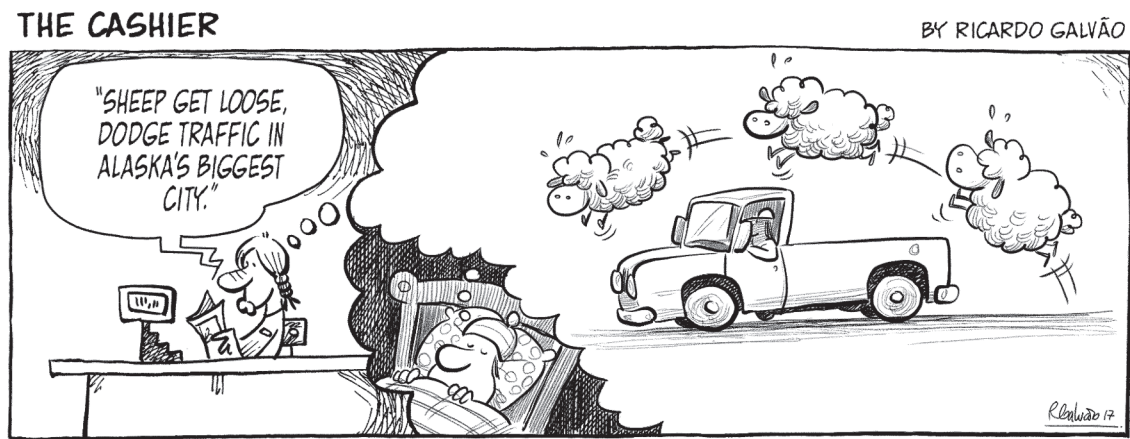
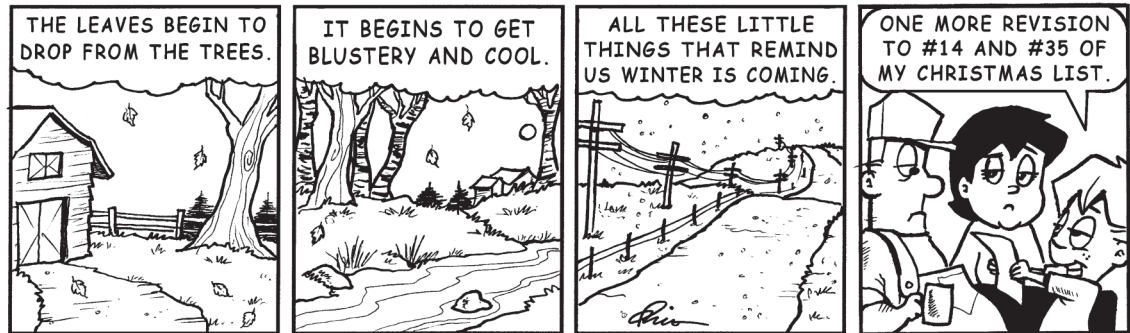
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23 Mixed metal
26 Barber's task
30 Fish eggs
31 Intent
32 Bobby of hockey fame
33 Pirate's sword
36 Nuts
38 Type squares
39 Started
40 Sports venue
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47 Curtail
49 Troubles
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51 Collection
52 Albacore, e.g.
53 Egyptian fertility goddess
54 With 55-Across, 365 days

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19 Whatever number
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23 Curved line
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50 Years Ago, November 9, 1967

Apparently local voters were not too much in favor of “putting New York Stae into the 20th century” Tuesday as the vote on the proposed new constitution showed 610 opposed to its acceptance while only 72 favored it...

The Alfred Station area UNICEF collection gathered by the children Tuesday, Oct. 31, amounted to \$61.35 by preliminary count...

Old mining towns have interested Dr. Murray J. Rice since boyhood when he heard tales from his grandfather about his travels to Panama and his return by stage coach in the early 1860s. Dr. Rice has many interesting pictures to show, including adobe ruins of scheduled stops on the stage coach route. During recent western trips, Dr. Rice has added considerably to his collection of pictures of “Ghost Towns,” abandoned silver, copper and gold mining towns. Professor emeritus of chemistry at the College of Ceramics, Dr. Rice will share his experiences and pictures with the members of the Alfred University Faculty Women’s Club at Howell Hall, Monday, Nov. 12 at 8 p.m.

Alfredians—Mrs. Burton Crandall and Mrs. Herbert Saunders and two children drove to Plainfield, N.J., a week ago Monday, to the new Saunders home there. The Rev. Mr. Saunders will become pastor of the Plainfield Seventh Day Baptist Church. Mrs. Crandall returned home last night...Miss Frances Burdick of Rochester was the guest of Mrs. Reuben A. Armstrong several days this week...The Rev. David Clarke has been in Detroit and southern Wisconsin on S.D.B. General Conference business for the past week. While in Detroit he was guest of the William Turck family at Dearborn...Miss Louise Clare of Oneonta, spent the weekend with her family...

The children who collected funds for UNICEF wish to thank everyone who contributed. As of this time, the total is \$168.12...

4-H Club News—Last Saturday, 25 4-H girls demonstrated their ability to make an apple pie or cherry dessert. A winner from each contest will represent Allegany County in the district contest. Gwen Burzycki of Alfred won the cherry dessert contest. She made a cherry filled meringue shell. Two of the judges, Miss Palmer and Mr. Perry, are students in the Food Service department at the State College Vocational Division at Wellsville. Other contestants were: In the cherry dessert contest Theresea Earl (E); Allison Rawady (G); Connie McGraw (E); (E) excellent; (G) good.

It was just like the pass play they used to cook up when they were kids in sandlot football at Elmira. Mike Johnston sent Bill Knott out to the left. Mike dropped back and looked. He noticed Bill was in the clear and waved him on. Then he hit him on the 30-yard line in the open. Knott rambled across to complete the 65-yard touchdown execution and the Alfred Saxons completed the last quarter rally to beat Cortland State, 14-6. But there were some anxious moments for the home fans on the cold, blustery afternoon with Cortland leading 6-0

until the TD pass on the fourth play of the last quarter. Kicking specialist Pete Bower came off the bench to boot the point and place Alfred in front at 7-6...Now 5-1 on the season, the Saxons will close out at home next Saturday against Union. This game must be ranked as the classic in the ICAC for the top spot in upstate small college rankings on the line.

Alfred University will honor its sports information director, John W. Nelson, Jr., during the halftime ceremonies at the final football game of the seson here Saturday which pits the Alfred Saxons against Union College. President Leland Miles has designated Nov. 11 as Johnny Nelson Day on campus and will entertain special guests and trustees at the game and a buffet dinner...

The Alfred University basketball Saxons, have been working out now for four weeks and Coach Bob Baker says “We’ll get a good indication of how the season will go in the four pre-season scrimmages.” Nov. 13, the Saxons will meet a tough Mansfield State squad; on the 15th they will meet Houghton College, Fredonia State on Nov. 18 and the Alfred State College team Nov. 21...

25 Years Ago, November 5, 1992

The only man Alfred University knew as football coach for 37 years, Alexander J. Yunevich, will be honored by the school during the Saxons home game against Canisius College Saturday. The Alex Yunevich Memorial Bench will be dedicated to the memory of the late Saxons coach as part of Homecoming at AU. Yunevich’s widow Anne will be part of the ceremonies at Merrill Field. Yunevich became a coaching legend at the small Upstate New York school after he took over the Saxons in 1937, following a stellar collegiate career at Purdue University. The Clinton, IN. native was an All Big-10 fullback for the Boilermakers in the early 1930s. In 36 seasons at Alfred, Yunevich posted a 177-85-12 record. Yunevich led Alfred to six unbeaten seasons, including the 1971 Lambert Bowl championship, signifying the best small college team in the East. Among his many coaching awards was the Small College Coach of the Year in 1956 by the Washington Touchdown Club. Yunevich retired in 1976 and passed away last January at the age of 82 at his home in Venice, FL. He left behind a large legend in the small town of Alfred. “You hear the stories and they’re passed down from team to team,” said current Alfred coach Jim Moretti, the star quarterback of Yunevich’s 1971 Lambert Bowl champs. “Even the kids today all know of him and how much he means to Alfred football. He hasn’t coached since 1976,” said Moretti, “and he is still the most influential part of AU football today.” Yunevich was as uncomplicated as the farm town he came from in Indiana. His coaching philosophies could be measured in two words: defense and desire. “The philosophy he expounded, though you can’t put it into words, becomes a part of you,” said Bob Codispoti, a former player and later assistant coach with Yunevich. “He had a knack of working with any type of person, any type of kid who wanted to come down and play football,” said Codispoti, now the assistant principal and athletic director at nearby Hornell High School. “If you gave 100 percent, you were his type of person.” Yunevich was a dinosaur in the coaching ranks by the time he left in 1976. At a time when Alfred’s opponents boasted huge coaching staffs and recruiting budgets, Yunevich never changed. He once turned in a recruiting budget of \$55.20. Alfred’s playbook was microscopic. “It was so simple,” said Codispoti, “I remember one game we would go to the line of scrimmage and the other team would be saying, ‘Watch out for T-2 or T-6.’ They knew what was coming but Alex always preached execution. If you execute it right, it was going to be a successful play.” Yunevich often said, “It’s not that I want to win every game, it’s just that I hate to lose,” but he never was obsessed with winning. “I think the thing I remember most was probably his love of Alfred and what he was doing,” said Larry Keith, Editorial Projects Director at *Sports Illustrated*, who in 1974 profiled Yunevich. “He was a football coach that wanted to win, sure, but that was where he wanted to be. Alex is a person and Alfred a place that you’re not likely to forget.” “Everyone I ever spoke to liked the manner in which he did his job,” said Norm Schachter, an Alfred graduate who refereed Super Bowls I, V and X. “There are winners that people don’t care for, but Alex was a winner that everybody liked.” That ability to get along with “his

boys” is probably what enabled Yunevich to coach in five different decades. From the World War II vets, to the baby boomers, to the hippies, Yunevich had time for all of them if they wanted to play football. Alfred University paid the greatest compliment you could to a coach in 1941. When Yunevich left for World War II to become a Lieutenant Commander in the Navy, Alfred simply dropped football and waited for its coach to come back. Nearly 50 years later, it’s as though he never left. One of Yunevich’s former Purdue friends wasn’t surprised at Yunevich’s enduring popularity. “I felt Alex would be content anywhere,” said John Wooden, who had some success of his own as a basketball coach at UCLA. “Alex would make friends in the big city, on the farm, or in the factory. He was just happy and at peace with himself.”

Rachael C. Amato Baldo, of 145 West Union Ave., Bound Brook, NJ, formerly of Alfred Station, died Tuesday, November 3, 1992 at Somerset Medical Center in Somerville, NJ, following a short illness. Born in North Hornell, N.Y. Sept. 27, 1967, a daughter of Joseph A. and Mildred (Mig) Pierce Amato, she was a graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School Class of 1984 and Mansfield University, Mansfield, PA. She was employed as an elementary teacher at the Children’s Garden Pre-School in Morristown, NJ. She attended the Evangel Chapel Assembly of God in Bridgewater Township, N.J. She married Philip A. Baldo III on Sept. 2, 1989, in Alfred, New York. Surviving in addition to her husband, are her parents, Joseph and Mig Amato of Tampa, FL; one brother, Jay Amato of Norcross, GA.; and maternal grandparents, Richard and Bernice Jacox Pierce of Zephyrhills, FL....

10 Years Ago, November 8, 2007

Republicans Gerald Snyder and Phil Curran were elected to the Alfred Town Board in Tuesday’s General Election. Snyder received 222 votes, Curran 215 votes, in outballoting Democrats Alan Dewey and Sara Arrasmith with 166 and 121 votes, respectively. Snyder and Curran will join Republican Jeanne Cartwright, who was unopposed and was elected Town Supervisor with 241 votes. Jamie Mansfield, running on both the Democratic and Republican Party lines, took the driver’s seat as Alfred’s elected superintendent of highways, getting 339 votes while Responsible Government candidate Timothy Koegel got 38...

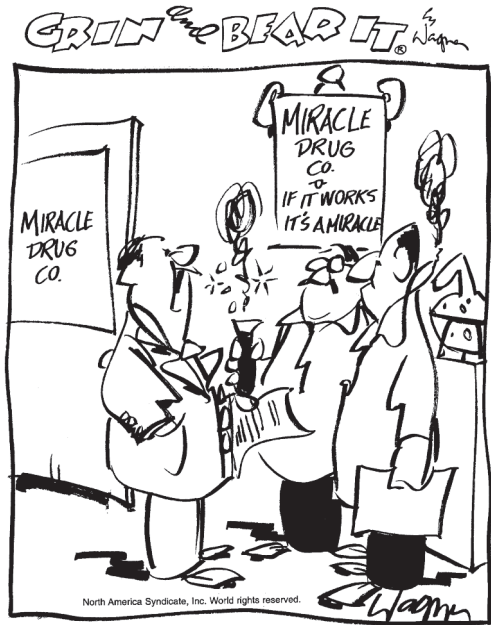
John N. Billings, 59, of Andover, died unexpectedly Tuesday, Oct. 30, 2007. Mr. Billings was born Dec. 5, 1947, in Wellsville, to John W. and Syble (Winchell) Billings. He was a 1967 graduate of Andover Central School. He served in the United States Marines in Vietnam from 1968-69, receiving a purple heart. On Sept. 5, 1970, he married Denise Collins in Wellsville, who survives. John worked for Frontier Telephone for 36 years from 1971 to present...

Rusty Leyden, musician from Rochester’s Joy Community Church, will be this month’s CoffeeHouse Man. He has been a “music minister” for many years, singing and playing his own songs. His styles range from ballads to rhythm and blues so ther eis omething for everyone! Please come and join us at the Almond Union of Churches on Saturday, Nov. 17 from 7-9 p.m...

Fire Monday morning, Oct. 29, destroyed Doris Simpson’s house at 12 High Street, Alfred. Alfred firefighters responded to the blaze at around 8 a.m. but it already was partially engulfed. The owner had recently taken up residence at Hornell Gardens. No one was injured in the blaze.

Former Alfred State College President Dr. John O. Hunter of Hornell was selected to deliver the keynote lecture at the 2007 International Forum on Technical and Vocational Education, Hexi District, Tianjin University in Tianjin, China. The event was sponsored by the Tianjin Municipal Education Commission of China Oct. 31-Nov. 4 at Golden Bridge Hotel at Tianjin Normal University...

50 Years Ago, Oct. 31, 1957--David Sherman Burdick of Alfred died yesterday at the age of 97. He was Alfred’s oldest living alumnus and had served the greatest number of years on the University’s Board of Trustees. Funeral services were scheduled at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon at the late home at 55 North Main Street. Burial will be in Alfred Rural Cemetery...Known as “Sherm” to all his friends, he was one of 12 students to graduate from Alfred University 75 years ago...



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AREA CHURCH NEWS

Guest preacher Veterans Day Sabbath

ALFRED STATION—It used be called Armistice Day; we refer to it as Veterans Day. On Nov. 11, 1918, in the 11th hour a cease fire took place between the Allies and the Axis, bringing the ending of World War I.

This Sabbath is Nov. 11. Your friends and neighbors at the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church, "Baptist with a Difference" during the 11 a.m. Sabbath Worship Hour will remember and pay tribute to those who served in order that we could be free, especially our freedom to publicly assemble for corporate Worship.

This Sabbath also brings a

guest preacher to the pulpit Brian (Baruch) Kvasnica, he joined JCBT in the summer of 2005 to assist in academic matters. Brian has a B.A. from Houghton College, a M.A. from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. As a youth he spent two years in the Philippines and graduated from high school in Papua New Guinea where his parents were Wycliffe personnel. He has lived in Jerusalem since 1995 and together with his wife Shoshanna have seven children. He loves to bring alive the context of the Bible, through teaching and guiding. During the summer he often has taught Bib-

lical Hebrew with the Biblical Language Center. He has led dozens of Biblical study-tour groups throughout Israel, Jordan, Greece, and Turkey.

Following the Sabbath Worship Hour is the monthly dish to pass fellowship meal. Come bring a dish to share and fellowship with your brother and sisters.

We look forward to seeing you this Sabbath, Nov. 11. The Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church Campus is located at 585 Route 244, Alfred Station. We want to Worship God with you and your family. If you need to talk, call Pastor Ken at 607-222-6023.

Alfred-Almond Bible Church serves as drop-off for Operation Christmas Child

ALMOND—Are you looking for a way to help a child in need? Samaritan's Purse gives us that chance through Operation Christmas Child. Every year they collect shoeboxes filled with toys, hygiene items, clothing, other necessities, and \$9 donation to help with shipping costs.

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Community members are welcome to participate. If you are interested in donating a shoebox please contact Alfred-Almond Bible Church

(phone 607-276-6700 or kshutt@aabible.org) for more information. You can also search "Operation Christmas Child" online for instructions on how to pack a box. There are some pre-printed boxes available at Alfred Almond Bible Church for those who do not have a box; they can be picked up weekdays from 9-3.

Filled boxes should be brought to AABC during national collection week on the following dates and times: Monday, Nov. 13, 4-7 p.m.; Tuesday, Nov. 14, 1-3 p.m.; Wednesday, Nov. 15, 10 a.m.-12 noon; Thursday, Nov. 16, 4-7 p.m.; Friday, Nov. 17, 1-3 p.m.; Saturday, Nov. 18, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.; Sunday Nov. 19, 1-5 p.m., and Monday, Nov. 20, 9-11 a.m.

Prayer for veterans, military, families set

ALLEGANY COUNTY -- Allegany County veterans, active military personnel, and their families will be the focus Sunday night, Nov. 12, as Allegany County Journey to Transformation churches and the public gather for prayer.

The praise and worship and prayer event, with live music, will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at Wellsville Bible Church, 2908 Andover Road (Route 417), part of twice-a-month and weekly multi-church prayer activities being held throughout the county, seeking intergenerational and multi-cultural communities transformation.

Michael Hennessy, director of the Allegany County Veterans Service Agency, also will be present during the evening-after Veterans Day gathering to provide information for veterans and their families about benefits

that may be available but often are overlooked by former military personnel and eligible family members.

Over 4,100 veterans, or more than one out of 10 of the adult population, are estimated to live in Allegany County, according to 2015 federal American Community Survey (ACS) census estimates.

Of the total, over 1,650 veterans served in the Vietnam War, nearly 1,000 to date in the two Gulf Wars, over 450 in the Korean Conflict, and more than 270 in World War II, with over 350, or nearly 8.5 percent, being females, according to the population survey.

The Census also estimates that over 1,350 veterans report some type of disability, over 56% of these being service-connected and nearly a quarter of those being a disability of 70 percent

or greater.

Some 330 veterans, or nearly eight percent, are estimated to have been in poverty during the 12 months prior to the estimate.

The twice-a-month Mission Genesee Valley praise and worship and prayer gatherings provide a communities emphasis on combating issues of addiction, abuse, racism, suicide, poverty, family dysfunction and more that pastors say are extremely serious issues throughout this area, the United States and the world.

Sessions in recent months have included specific prayer for schools, staff, students and caregivers; the prescription drug, opioids and heroin crisis; and families.

A rotating praise and worship and prayer gathering will be held Sunday, Nov. 26 at Wellsville Full Gospel Church, 2221 Hanover Hill Road, with a Thanksgiving service, hosted by the Wellsville Area Ministerial Association, on Sunday, Nov. 19 at Riverside Assembly of God, 3218 Riverside Drive (Route 19), Wellsville.

Ongoing Friday night community prayer for host, community and county churches and Christian service organizations, along with transformation within Allegany County and beyond, are scheduled from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.:

-- Nov. 10 at Powerhouse Youth Center, 23 West Main Street, Fillmore.

-- Nov. 17 at Knights Creek Evangelical Methodist Church, 2987 County Road 9, Scio.

No prayer session will be held the day after Thanksgiving.

Ongoing area prayer gatherings during the week, also open to the public, are available from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. weekday mornings at the Knights Creek church, 8 to 9 a.m. Wednesdays at the Belfast Free Methodist Church; and from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturdays at the Powerhouse Youth Center.

For further information, contact Pastor Dan Kenyon at 585-593-6471.

THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, November 9

Elijah P. Lovejoy was born on this day in 1802. A clergyman and prominent antislavery editor and one of the founders of the Illinois antislavery society, he was slain while trying to prevent the destruction of his newspaper's printing press. While confronting the mob who railed against him, he said:

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Alfred Area Church Directory

ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

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ALFRED ASSEMBLY OF CHRISTIANS--Remembrance of the Lord in the Breaking of Bread, Sundays at 9:30 a.m., Family Bible Hour at 11; Gothic Chapel, corner of Ford & Sayles, Alfred. Bible Study 8 p.m. Fridays in Almond. Call 276-6380 or e-mail lookup@frontier.net for more information.

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By BILL PULOS
Special to the Alfred Sun

ALFRED—Now in its 65th consecutive season, the Alfred University Rugby Club won its second New York State conference trophy on Saturday, Nov. 4 in Syracuse. Alfred won the New York Small College championship in dominating fashion by beating Paul Smith's college 58-19. By doing so, the club joins the Fall 1996 team as the only Alfred University teams to have won a New York State Rugby title.

Alfred competes in the National Small College Rugby Organization that governs nearly 400 college teams based on size of college enrollment. Alfred is a member of the Upstate New York N-SCRO conference (<http://www.upscrc.com/>). The conference has 14 teams across the state.

To get to the championship game, Alfred played its season in the West division of the Upstate NSCRO. For perhaps the 1st time in its history, Alfred was blessed with the best weather and best field conditions on its Jericho Hill home field in memory. As Alfred plays both spring and fall games in all weather conditions on Jericho Hill, unpredictably unseasonable warm temperatures and a solid field condition helped the club develop consistency and confidence right from the beginning of their season.

Alfred has been building toward this moment since a turnaround that began in 2009 with the return of Coach Bill Pulos to the club for three years (6 consecutive seasons). Following Pulos' second retirement from coaching in 2012, Anthony (Tony) Aquilina come on to the Alfred scene as AU Assistant Athletic Director

and coached the club for another three years (6 consecutive seasons). From there, the reins were turned over to player-coaches Javon Nunes and for the last several seasons to team captain Rick Krouse. Pulos credits Alfred's current success largely as a result of the teaching and coaching of Coach Aquilina and Coach Krouse' implementation of Aquilina's training and teaching. So much so that Coach Pulos returned to the Alfred club for the 3rd time this season in a new role as consultant and motivator.

The coaching regimen has real results. For the record, on September 9th Alfred won at Canisius College 32-0, on September 16th Alfred beat Niagara University at home 33-5, on September 24th Alfred beat Ithaca College at home for the 1st time this season 41-31, on October 7th Alfred beat the University of Rochester at home 41-0, on October 14th Alfred won at St. John Fisher College 56-17 and on October 21st Alfred won at Hobart 41-0.

Then Alfred faced Ithaca for the second time at home on October 28th in the play-off for the West Division crown. Again, as the game wore on against their traditional rival, Alfred dominated every facet of play and won convincingly 37-15. It is believed this is the 1st time an Alfred team has beaten an Ithaca team twice in one season, in any sport. With the division win over Ithaca, Alfred advanced to the championship game in Syracuse on November 4th.

And a championship day it was. Alfred Rugby alumni sponsored a tour bus from Rochester's Star Travel and Tours to take the club from Alfred to Syracuse. For the

first time in Alfred's 65 season history, the club members did not have to organize their own transport to the game venue and it made a difference.

Paul Smith's came ready to play as well having beaten the number 1 seed SUNY- Plattsburg for their division crown. Paul Smith's has no football team and its rugby team is included as a varsity sport at that institution with varsity funding and bus transport to every away game. Their team had arrived in Syracuse and was able to rest overnight in Syracuse hotel lodging. They came out ready to play the championship and were looking to avenge their loss to Alfred from the same time last year.

When Alfred rolled off their bus, they were also ready to play. Never before had an Alfred team been undefeated this late into the season and the players were determined to win the game.

Right from the start, the game was fast, hard-hitting and punishing. Paul Smith's has a very strong organization and were extremely tough, pinning Alfred deep in its own zone early in the 1st half. Alfred fought hard and the 1st half ended as a virtual toss-up with Alfred on top 17-12.

Alfred's hard-hitting attack and ferocious defense came alive in the 2nd half. Gradually the Alfred men gained ground on the other side, inch by inch. As the minutes wore on in the 2nd half, the scrum push began winning almost every time a play started. The game was won in the trenches. Alfred's big boys up front fought their hearts out and kept grinding. The fans could hear the grunts from the field and the sound of the contact.

Alfred's Nathan Auernhamer was

named Man of the Match, for the 2nd consecutive year. Nathan epitomizes the Alfred style of play with brains, brawn, guts and blood. His teammate Jeff (Meatball) Wood was not far behind in the voting. He played like Alfred's version of Dick Butkus and Jim Brown.

Captain Rick Krouse is Alfred's team MVP for several seasons running. He has been the heart and soul and glue of the organization, always inspiring the club and never giving up. The club would not have been in contention for the championship without him.

Alfred's running backs played off the phenomenal leadership of their team captain by tackling and fighting hard. The backs sustained bumps, bruises, cuts and maybe a break. They ran the ball real hard, including running in for several scores. Connor Glasser was at his kicking best by repeatedly hitting pay dirt with points-after.

The Alfred team enjoyed the sweetest taste of their hardest fought victory by bringing home the state championship to Alfred University, the first time in 21 years and the second in its history. The team enjoyed a beautiful bus ride home, courtesy of its alumni backers.

Now comes the toughest part yet; to take it to the next level, to increase their intensity and turn up their competitive ferocity and march toward their legacy. Next up for Alfred is the 1st playoff round for the National Small College Rugby championship to be held next April. By virtue of its undefeated record, Alfred will take on Vassar College on Saturday, November 12, 2017 on the beautiful confines of its Jericho Hill field.

‘Day of Giving’ set for Nov. 28

ALFRED—Thanks to the amazing generosity and response from Pioneers everywhere last year, Alfred State's inaugural Day of Giving was a tremendous success.

This year, however, the college is looking to go even bigger and have a greater impact by raising \$120,000 from more than 500 donors during its Day of Giving, set for Nov. 28.

Trish Haggerty, director of Annual Giving, said, “Every day, our donors help write a new story for one of our students, whether it's providing a much-needed scholarship, helping send one of our nursing majors to Haiti to care for underprivileged children, or ensuring that our students work with the latest technology. We're excited to raise the bar higher this year in an effort to have a greater impact and help write even more great stories for our students.”

In helping to reach its goals, Alfred State is making it as easy as possible for people to give and be a part of this great event. Any gift made to Alfred State between now and Nov. 28 will be counted

toward the Day of Giving.

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Those looking to be a part of the action that day are encouraged to visit give.alfredstate.edu/DOG17, like facebook.com/AlfredStateAlumni, follow twitter.com/AlfredStateAlum, and share the Day of Giving toolkit content. The toolkit, found on alfredstate.edu/make-a-gift, will enable supporters to download social media cover images, as well as a profile badge showing they gave.

Additionally, give.alfredstate.edu/DOG17 will feature real-time updates and allow visitors to track what groups are having the biggest impact. Visitors to the site will also be able to be a part of unlocking challenges, matching gifts being awarded, and will see live videos that day.

Furthermore, Alfred State will be hosting a number of exciting on-campus events on Nov. 28 for Day of Giving to engage and educate students about the importance of giving back.

For more information on Alfred State's Day of Giving, contact the Office of Institutional Advancement at 607-587-3930 or at ia@alfredstate.edu

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ALFRED UNIVERSITY SPORTS ROUND-UP

Saxons fall to undefeated Brockport, 35-25

The Alfred University football team (6-3, 4-2 Empire 8) fell to #10 Brockport, 35-25, on the road Saturday on Bob Boozer Field in Brockport.

Senior Maleke Fuentes (Olean) surpassed 2,000 career-rushing yards in the game and currently stands with 2,032

yards. He is only 367 yards short of making his way into the top-10 rushers in AU history, behind Max Freeman '96 with 2,399 yards rushing from 1993-1996.

AU fell behind early as the Golden Eagles, who had outscored its last three opponents 126-7, took a 14-0 lead.

Four minutes into the second quarter, however, junior quarterback Bryce Morrison (Kennedy/Randolph) hit junior wideout Jayden Gavidia (Homer) on a cross-route and Gavidia turned the play into a 57-yard gain. One play later, Morrison found Fuentes on a screen pass for

AU's first touchdown of the afternoon. Senior Trevor Monk (Liverpool) knocked the extra point through, bringing the Saxons within seven. The score was the first touchdown Brockport had allowed since October 14.

Brockport's next possession was halted by the steadfast Saxon defense in three plays. The Golden Eagles botched the snap on the ensuing punt, giving AU the ball at the Brockport 18-yard line. The offense managed to get down to the three-yard line, but settled for three points on a 20-yard field goal by Monk.

The Golden Eagles took possession again, only to have their drive terminated by an interception by senior linebacker A.J. LiCata (Lake View/Frontier) at the Alfred 31-yard line. The pick marks LiCata's second interception in as many games. However, the Saxons were forced to punt with 28 second left in the half. Brockport looked to make a move towards the end zone before the break, but penalties squandered their chance and the score remained 14-10 at half-time.

AU forced a turnover on downs to open the second half after Brockport drove down to the AU red zone. However, the first play of the Saxon drive turned into points the other way when Jake O'Connell intercepted the ball and returned it for a touchdown, giving the Golden Eagles a 21-10 lead. Brockport added another score only minutes later to bring the game to 28-10.

The Saxons battled back on their next drive, covering 73 yards in 3:37 to close the gap 28-17. Morrison found junior tight end Michal Urban (Ridgewood/Kiski Prep) for a seven-yard touchdown. The score was Urban's first of his career.

The Golden Eagles looked to strike back on their next possession, but a sack by junior Ty Timmerman (Corning East) stopped the drive in its tracks.

On AU's next possession, the Saxons marched down the field and brought the game within a field goal, 28-25, when first-year Aaron Griffin (East Elmhurst/Holy Cross) stormed into the end zone from two yards out.

On Brockport's next possession, they took to the air, but LiCata ripped down his second interception of the day. However, AU was unable to capitalize on the favorable field position.

The Saxons' final opportunity came with 3:42 left in the game after forcing a punt and starting the drive on their own 48-yard line. AU's chance was thwarted on the first play when Morrison was picked for the second time in the game. Brockport cashed it in for a 35-25.

AU posted 263 yards of offense while Brockport gained 304 yards. The Saxon rush game was held to only 33 net yards on the ground by the Golden Eagles' defense, which ranks first in the nation.

Morrison threw for 230 yards on 17-of-25 passing and two touchdowns. Fuentes led the team with 35 yards rushing. Joe Germinerio paced Brockport in the air with 208 yards and two touchdowns. Christian Hollister and Justin Morrison led the ground-attack with 65 and 56 yards, respectively. Hollister and Germinerio found the end zone on while rushing the ball.

Junior Cole Reed (Gratz, PA/Upper Dauphin Area) was the leading tackler for AU with 16 total tackles (9 solo; 7 assisted). Junior Eric Graham and Timmerman had nine (six solo; three assisted) and eight (five solo; three assisted). Timmerman led the team with one sack. Austin Dean led the Golden Eagles with nine tackles including 3.5 for a loss and two sacks.

It will be Senior Day on Saturday when the Saxons host Empire 8 foe Hartwick, which dropped a 24-20 game to Buffalo State in Oneonta Saturday.

ALFRED STATE ATHLETICS

Women's soccer ACAA champs

Women's Soccer: 12-4, ACAA Champions

The women's soccer team won the ACAA Championship this weekend with a pair of shutout victories. They defeated Valley Forge 6-0 and then downed SUNY Canton 2-0 in the finals.

Michayla Salatel (Geneseo) scored the game winner in both games over the weekend. She scored the lone goal of the 1st half vs. Valley Forge before the offense exploded for five goals in the 2nd. Brooke Geibel (Arkport) added to the lead before Dannielle O'Buckley (Jamaica/Ansbach) and Sarah Finzer (Walworth/Wayne) both scored twice to put the game out of reach. Allison Danielak (Brockport) played the first 70:37 to earn the victory while Kathryn Parsons (York) played the final 19:23.

In the finals vs. Canton, the Pioneers got on the board 21:40 into the game when Salatel drilled a shot into the back of the net from five yards out. Julia Yanarella (Wappinger Falls/Roy Ketcham) was credited with the assist. The game remained 1-0 until the final moments of the 1st half when Geibel netted her 3rd goal of the season after getting a pass from Melissa Mineti (Livonia). The Pioneers held a 8 to 1 shot advantage in the 1st half. Neither team could net a goal in the 2nd half as Alfred State held a 10 to 5 shot advantage. Danielak made all four her saves in the 2nd half to preserve the victory, the shutout and the championship.

Chloe Cox (Tucson, AZ) was named the ACAA Tournament MVP while Yanarella, Jocelyn Brittingham (Hornell), and Kylie Newman (Waverly-Nursing) were named to the All-Tournament team.

Earlier in the week, the Pioneers closed out the regular season with a hard fought 1-0 loss to cross count rival Houghton. Danielak made six saves in the contest.

Men 4th, Women 5th at ECACs

The cross country team wrapped up the 2017 season with a strong showing at the ECAC Championships at the Hudson Valley Sports Dome in Milton. The men finished 4th out of 12 teams that scored while the women were 5th.

Jacob Hanss (East Rochester) finished 2nd overall on the 8k course with a time of 27:17.6. He was just 9.6 seconds behind the overall winner Ryan Haun from St. Joseph's (Long Island). Shawn Rutledge (Watkins Glen) finished 14th (28:26.3) and Eric Hulbert (Mexico) was 16th (28:30.6). NYU won the competition with 39 points followed by Hobart (107), Vassar (110) and Alfred State (115). St. Joseph's, Hood, USMMA, Farmingdale State, Mount Saint Mary, and Baruch rounded out the top 10.

Olivia Leonti (Port Byron) was the top female finisher for the blue & gold. She finished 18th overall crossing the finish line of the 6k course in 27:23.3. Katherine Frascella (Franklinville) was 25th in 28:07.1 and Cassidy McCourt (Buffalo/Emerson) was 30th in 28:45.6. Vassar won the women's title with a score of 24. St. Joseph's was 2nd (54), Farmingdale was 3rd (77), Mount Saint Mary was 4th (102), and Alfred State 5th (135).

Football: 1-8

Husson scored four touchdowns in each of the first two quarters as they defeated Alfred State 63-0 on Saturday.

Willerm Greffin (Brooklyn/South Shore) was the top Pioneer on offense finishing with four catches for 25 yards. Dashown Wilson (Bronx/Dewitt Clinton) led the defense with eight tackles while Austin Parker (Port Byron), Owen Davis (Lansing), and Justin Espinal (Beacon) all had seven tackles.

Swimming: Men 0-2, Women 2-0

The women's swimming team picked up their second consecutive victory, 194-83, on Saturday vs. Buffalo State. The men's team won five events on the day but were defeated 172-125 by the Bengals.

Kathryn Lewis (Sanborn/Niagara Wheatfield) was a triple individual event winner to lead the women's team. She won the 1,000 free in 11:58.15, the 100 free in 58.69, and the 500 free in 5:44.63. Lauren Earley (Waterford/Shenendehowa) won twice. She took the top spot in the 100 back in 1:11.12 and in the 200 back in 2:30.67. She also finished 2nd in the 500 free (5:51.27).

Kaileigh Lehman (Lowville/Beaver River-Vet Tech) won the 100 breast in 1:17.80 and was 2nd in the 200 breast (2:54.75). Elizabeth Jurs (Elba-Agricultural Technology) won the 200 fly in 2:54.76 while Hannah Snayczuk (Machias/Pioneer) was 2nd in 3:10.18. Snayczuk in turn won the 100 fly in 1:14.89 while Jurs was 2nd (1:15.96). Rachel Caltagirone (Buffalo/Tonawanda) won the 50 free in 27.45.

The 200 medley relay team of Earley, Lehman, Sarah Stevens (Wellsville), and Caltagirone also won in 2:03.03 while the 400 free relay team of Lehman, Stevens, Elizabeth Drake (Lansing), and Lewis won in 4:03.30.

Ethan Dale (Lock Haven, PA) was a triple winner to lead the men's team. He won the 100 breast in 1:04.93, the 200 breast in 2:25.17, and the 200 IM in 2:10.98. Ethan Tatro (Lockport) won the 100 free in 52.46 and was 2nd in the 50 free (23.23). Tim Olin (Perry) won the 200 back 2:30.67 and was 2nd in the 100 back (59.23). Bryce Cutler (Newton, NJ) was 2nd in the 200 fly (2:19.39) and Nick Beach (Canandaigua) was 2nd in the 1m diving competition (244.60) and 2nd in the 3m (236.30).

Volleyball: 12-17, ACAA Runner-Up

The volleyball team wrapped up the 2017 season with a runner-up finish at the ACAA Championship Tournament. The team defeated #1 seed Finlandia 3-0 but fell 3-0 to #2 SUNY Canton in the finals.

After winning the first set vs. Finlandia the Pioneers won a wild second set to take control of the match. In the second, the Lions led 7-2 and 11-5 before Alfred State rallied back to take a 14-12 lead. Finlandia led 20-16 and 23-19 before another rally by the blue and gold. The game went back and forth the rest of the set until finally the Pioneers got two blocks by Shannon Dwyer (Cutchogue/Mattituck). In the final set, the Pioneers jumped out to an early lead and never looked back.

Bryanna Godfrey (Tioga) led the team with 19 kills and 12 digs while Kiara Perkins (Couderport, PA) finished with nine kills, 10 digs, and three aces. Sarah Raichlin (Binghamton/Chenango Valley) passed out 37 assists, Madison Webster (Corning) had 10 digs, and Dwyer collected four of the team 10 blocks on the day.

In the finals the Kangaroos used a strong attack, precise passing, and solid defense to hold the lead throughout the match. They hit .322 (38 kills, nine errors, 90 attempts), served eight aces, and collected 34 digs. Godfrey led the Pioneers with 10 kills and six assists. Perkins collected eight kills, Raichlin passed out 18 assists, and Webster led the way with 17 digs. Godfrey and Webster were named to the all-tournament team.

Earlier in the week, the Pioneers defeated Hilbert 3-1 as they celebrated Senior Night and raised funds for the Allegany County Cancer Services. Godfrey led the team with 19 kills and 12 digs to eclipse the 1,000 mark for her career in each category. Perkins finished with 20 kills, Raichlin passed out 44 assists, and Webster led the team with 27 assists.

Wrestling:

Four Pioneers earned top five finishes as the wrestling team opened at the Brockport Open.

George Van Valen (Ithaca) led the way with a perfect 4-0 day. He won the title in the 184 lb. weight class with a pin of Armando Arce (Jamestown CC), a tech fall (18-0) over Thaddus Jeffries (Brockport), a major decision (11-2) over Jacquan Mcpherson (Lackawanna), and tech fall (18-1) over Travis Race (Brockport).

Brandyn Whitacre (Jamestown) finished 2nd at 197 lbs. He won 15-10 over Dillon Knoll (Brockport), pinned Carson Kinney (Lackawanna), pinned J.R. Miller, and pinned Samuel Slick (Buffalo Wrestling Club). In his final match he fell to Triston Engle (Brockport). Jeffrey Gress (Lyndonville) and Casey Connor (Barnstable, MA) each earned 5th place finishes. Gress was 5th at 133 lbs. after finishing the day 3-2. He pinned Jake Lehr (Cornell Unattached), won 16-0 over Kitan Salk (RPI), and defeated Patrick Lehman. Connor was 2-2 on the day and earned 5th at 141 with a pair of pins of Ryan Dimarco (Buffalo Wrestling Club).



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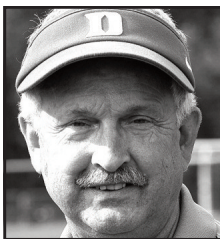
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The Dugout

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HITS AND MISSES:

There won't be an NCAA trip this season for the Alfred Saxons (6-3) football program as they fell to the undefeated College at Brockport, 35-25 in E8 action on Saturday past. The Golden Eagles continue to roll along and they have now matched the feat that Alfred did last year. For the first time in history, the Saxons had an undefeated league slate. Well, it is now back-to-back as Brockport has accomplished that as well. Their lone game left is against St. Lawrence from the Liberty League. The Saxons, meanwhile, should beat Hartwick this Saturday to complete a regular season mark of (7-3) and gain an ECAC Bowl berth.

In other NYS games this past weekend in Division III action, it was: Hobart smashing St. Lawrence, RPI ripping hapless Rochester (UR), Ithaca halting the Union run, Cortland nipped Utica, Buffalo State eased by Hartwick, Middlebury overwhelmed Hamilton, Morrisville stunned SJ Fisher and Husson drilled Alfred State, 63-0. Ouch.

Nationally at the D3 level it was #1 Mary Hardin-Baylor smoking Louisiana College, 51-20 as Mount Union was drubbing Muskegon, 59-7 to wrap up the OAC league title. Defending champ MH-B has a "nifty" 25-losses ... total, since 2000 with their worst season at (8-2) in 2001. Yikes. Imagine the Purple Raiders have a very similar slate.

The Dukes of James Madison University continue to run roughshod over opponents as they won, 38-3 against the Rams from Rhode Island. The defending FCS champs are well on their way to an undefeated campaign and it appears that the "Cage Man" from A-A was right about this team being better in 2017 than they even were in 2016!

In high school sectional football play it was the Hornell Red Raiders barely getting by Livonia in "B" play to remain undefeated (10-0) with a 22-20 championship victory. The Bulldogs finished up at (8-2) with their only losses against Hornell.

In high school sectional football action at Alfred University on Saturday past it was Clyde-Savannah beating Alexander in "D" and Cal-Mum/Byron-Bergen easing by East Rochester/Gananda in "C" play. The now merged Cal-Mum program had some historic sectional runs under the tutelage of "Coach Mac" back in the day!

"Congrats" are in order to the Alfred State College women's soccer team, under the direction of Coach Anne Holmok (A-A), as they won the ACAA championship over the weekend in Valley Forge. The Pioneers drilled the host squad, 6-0 and then topped SUNY Canton, 2-0 in the title game! Alfred State finished up at (12-4) on the season, outscoring their opponents 50-10 and recorded nine shutouts. Brooke Geibel of Arkport had one of the goals in the finale as Jocelyn Brittingham of Hornell was named to the All-Tournament team. Great season for Coach Holmok and her program!

The Alfred University women's soccer squad fell to Hartwick in the E8 semi-finals, their first-ever league playoff appearance, as Hartwick and Stevens were named co-champs. Stevens gets the automatic NCAA bid via a shootout as they were champs in 2015-16 as well. The Saxons complete an overall solid (7-9-3) campaign with Interim Coach, Craig Yanni at the helm and former A-A/ASC soccer player, Mitchell Porter on staff.

The SUNY Geneseo women's soccer team (16-1-2) won the SUNYAC championship as they beat Oneonta and Plattsburgh to grab the title. The Knights controlled the championship game on Saturday to win, 4-0. Could've easily been a 6-0 win if not for two excellent saves by the Plattsburgh GK, Nichole Gibson of Arkport. Coach Wiley's team should be hosting the NCAA's this weekend in a four-team "pod."

Stephen Baker and Kelli Norton took in the Thursday nite NFL game in New Jersey as the Buffalo Bills fell to the Jets, 34-21.

Former Alfred University WR, Bill Schuster (#129) was an of-

Fitness center to be updated at AU

ALFRED—Due to the generosity of multiple donors, Alfred University will move forward with a plan to update the Gibbs Fitness Center and add a varsity weight room, athletic training rehabilitation center and classroom, increasing workout space by more than 2,400-square-feet in the McLane Center.

The facility has been funded by Board of Trustee member Charlie Joyce and Sherry Walton '80, '88 MS, and Mena '73 and Rick Hansinger '75. The process will begin in December and plans to conclude during the summer of 2018. The Gibbs Fitness Center will remain open throughout the spring semester.

The current Gibbs Fitness Center will be renovated with new functional training machines, new free weights and Olympic platforms. A 1,200-square-foot expansion into the former squash courts will expand the amount of cardio equipment, including adding personal viewing screens and new equipment like virtual reality bikes and rowing machines.

Above the cardio room will be a second level that will include a classroom and rehabilitation room, providing state-of-the-art equipment and opportunities for

hands-on experience for Athletic Training and Health Fitness Management majors. The updates will benefit the entire AU community with a 6,500-square-foot health and wellness space.

"The expansion of the Gibbs Fitness Center is part of a concerted effort by Alfred University to improve its health and wellness facilities, which benefit both the campus and local communities," AU President Mark Zupan said, noting that the fitness center currently averages more than 20,000 visits per year. "Alfred University's Fitness Center will rival that of any of our peer institutions in size and scope, enhancing our student recruiting and retention efforts."

"Over the course of my five years here at AU I am extremely proud of our efforts to create more opportunities for our entire campus community in the areas of fitness, health and wellness," Director of Athletics Paul Vecchio said. "The expansion of our fitness center footprint will no doubt further these opportunities for everyone in our AU community to live healthier lives while enjoying state-of-the-art amenities."

A varsity weight room will also be added, serving more than 400 student-athletes with 12

Olympic platforms and a 450-square-foot turf space, allowing for functional training such as sled pushes and tire flipping amongst other opportunities.

"The new fitness center and varsity weight room will be a game changer for Alfred University athletics," Head Men's Basketball Coach Russ Phillips added. "The design and setup is state-of-the-art and will rival any Division III facility."

Along with the improvements, a student-athlete rehabilitation center will be added including one space for rehabilitation activities and one for a practical experience classroom, amounting to over 1,200-square-feet.

"This facility will have a strong impact on both the athletic programs as well as the Division of Health and Human Performance," Assistant Athletic Director and Head Athletic Trainer Jessica Hurlbut stated. "It will be an immense help for all student-athletes in regard to additional rehabilitation features."

"I commend our Athletic Director, Paul Vecchio and our president, Mark Zupan in recognizing and addressing this need," Head Football Coach Bob Rankl continued. "This will truly benefit the student-athletes."

THE DUGOUT CONTINUED...

ficial on the Kansas City - Dallas NFL game on Sunday past.

Another "crazy" week in the NFL as two teams put up 51-points, Julio Jones drops a TD pass in the endzone for Atlanta and Blair Walsh misses three FG's in a Seattle loss. Oh yes, I had the Falcons and Seahawks for Pigskin Picks selections. Ouch. Hope many others did as well!

In big-time college football, would go with a "Final Four" ... as of now, of Alabama - Georgia - Clemson - Oklahoma. This, one week after an epic Penn State and Ohio State game, as they both lost this past weekend. Yikes. Baker Mayfield of the Sooners amasses 598-yards in the air in their win over Oklahoma State. The Buckeyes lose to Iowa ... much to the chagrin of Chud, the Sayre's, the Ross family.

Stephanie Lobdell Landsman had a tough time at the recent Marine Corp Marathon as stepped in a pothole at roughly the 10K mark and fell down face first. The A-A graduate ended up in the hospital with stitches in her head and hand ... both nasty looking, and with a slight concussion. Egads.

Stephen Baker ran his first "official" marathon on Sunday past in the famed NYC event and finished with a time of 4:26.

John Baker (A-A) sent me a text last Friday telling me he was in NYC and on his way to Ghana. Of course he was!

Spotted a bunch of NYS vanity plates of late: RHONDA59 ... help me, GOLFBETS ... Our Man losing to Scummer, JEANBS ... Jean Beas and VEGAS-NUT ... the Raiders !!



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It is almost time for college basketball to start as the UConn women and Duke men (obviously) are the pre-season #1-ranked programs. UConn has four returning starters, three of which are All-Americans, four top frosh recruits and two solid transfers. Gosh, hand them the NCAA championship trophy right now. The Blue Devils will play in the annual Champions Classic with Michigan State, Kentucky and Kansas on 11/14. All four ranked in the top five pre-season AP poll! Right now, would take the Spartans of Michigan State as NCAA champs.

In the NBA, the Celtics are on a roll after dropping their first two games of the year and losing

All-Star, Gordon Hayward. Coach Brad Stevens, in my opinion and biased as a Boston fan, the best in the league. And the Detroit Pistons, first in their division in the early going! WNY coaches Stan Van Gundy and Bob W. Beyer (AU) at the controls.

With the just-completed World Series in MLB and the free agent period to start soon, LA pitcher and free agent Yu Darvish picked a "great time" to have two horrendous starts in the Fall Classic.

Haven't had a chance to "chat" with Dodger fans and A-A Hall of Famers, Derck Frechette and Floyd Farley since the loss by LA to Houston as they have been strangely silent.

Gosh ... "so good" having to change the clocks back this past weekend.

Tiger Woods is returning to competitive golf in his Hero World Challenge tournament at the end of the month in a loaded field.

Justin Rose grabbed another trophy over the weekend as he took first-place in the Turkish Airlines Open, one week after a win in a WGC golf event. Savo's buddy, Joost Luiten was in the T16 slot.

It was off to Geneseo on Saturday past to see the women's soccer game and the great win by the Knights! Former player, Meg "Pam" Verdino was supposed to go with me, as 3L's college roommate forgot she had an appointment. Randy Beale of Penfield begged out as it was "too cold" for him. Did hook-up with former parents and players there, plus Coach Bachl who was on staff when Lauren played at Geneseo. Mike Novak, his daughter Emily and I had lunch after at the Village Tavern. Did have a chance to chat with Coach Wiley afterwards as well as Liam Welsh, who is the Associate AD at Geneseo ... for now. Fun day, solid game for the Knights and a team that will land numerous SUNYAC accolades.

Might head to the NCAA cross country meet in Buffalo, which is a Northeast qualifier, with former Alfred State College coaching legend, Gary "Doc" Moore (A-A) on Friday ... or it'll be off to Geneseo again if the Knights host the soccer games.

Finally this week ... it is Veterans Day on Saturday and a big "Thank You" to all who have served !! Alfred-Almond graduates which includes classmates and my Uncle Butch, plus a nod to the SEAL in NYC. Thank You All for your service !!

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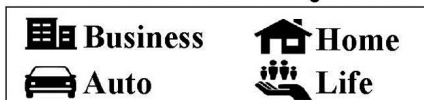
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