

Sunday Rock - North & South

# Frost Can't Cool Politicians

By Mrs. Evelyn Riehl  
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The first frost has come and gone, leaving behind blackened vegetable and flower gardens. The early morning air has the well-remembered nip. Darkness once again cuts the evenings short. While all this has been happening—the loss of heat and light—the political world is beginning to generate lots of both.

In Colton's Town Hall last Saturday afternoon the Democrats held their annual caucus with Mrs. Grace Creighton of South Colton as chairman. Miss Ann O'Gorman acted as secretary.

As a result of their deliberations, the following candidates for Colton Town offices were nominated: Hugh Perkins, for the office of councilman; Dale Robar, justice of the peace and Harold Regan for highway superintendent. They nominated no one to oppose Republican George Swift for supervisor.

The business of Permanent Personal Registration continues in preparation for November election. Colton's Board of Elections has set these dates so that every one of us will be eligible to vote: Tuesday, Oct. 3, and Friday, Oct. 13 from 10 to 10 and two Saturdays; Oct. 7 and 17, from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.

With this generous amount of time at our disposal, we all should get the registration job done. Both election district headquarters will be staffed during these hours in South Colton at the Fish and Game Club and in Colton at the Town Hall.

Our very best wishes to Connie and North Bates, who are now making their home on the Bagdad Road following a wedding trip to New York.

Their wedding brought guests to Susan and Harold Cayey, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Peters of Kinderhook, N.Y. The Cayeys are North's grandparents.

Guests of Eileen and Claude Bates for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Carson Bates and family, all of Syracuse; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miller and family from Clockville, and Miss Millie Hepburn of Charlotte, N.C.

Eileen and Claude also entertained the wedding party at a pre-nuptial supper on Friday evening. Included was Miss Jane Kaesle of Saranac Lake, a former class mate of Mrs. Bates, who was the organist at the service.

Home for a 30-day leave is John Collins, son of Marge and Keith Collins of Hannawa Falls. John was a 1966 graduate of Colton-Pierreport.

My "off to college" list for this week includes both of the Beaudry sons, George, to Syracuse University as a freshman and David to Oswego State as a junior. Dan Decker returns to Indiana Institute of Technology where he will be a sophomore majoring in chemical engineering. Gary Garlough returns to his studies at the Colorado School of Mines. Spike Cole enters Sullivan County Community College; Ann Riehl, Cortland; Sharon Hammond joins the two other members of her family, Mother, Betty, and Donna, at Potsdam State.

Our birthday wishes to "Grandma" Thomas on Sept. 19. Town Historian, Lorena Reed, tells me she thinks Mrs. Thomas is our oldest resident. Although seriously ill, Mrs. Thomas still lives in her own home, having careful care from the members of her family.

Has anyone lost a blue-green all-metal punt in the Colton flow of the Raquette? It bears the registration number NY 1245 DB, and is now carefully tied to the dock at George Tyler's camp. George asked me to mention its whereabouts to aid in his search for its owner.

Incidentally, it is with some emotional yank that I now spell our beloved "Raquette" Raquette - some how I miss that "c". At any rate, one doesn't argue with New York State's decision, and I for one am glad they didn't decide on "Racket."

St. Lawrence County's two 4-H representatives in the State Fair at Syracuse came home having made a most respectable showing.

Alan O'Marah, a member of the Progressive Galilee Club showed his pony in three classes. His pony was judged State Champion in the conformation class; he was in the red, or good, group in Saddle Seat Equitation and in the

blue group in the Pleasure Pony Class.

Ann Riehl, a member of the Canton Trot-A-Lots, showed in four classes and was judged to be in the blue ribbon group in showmanship, Hunt Seat Pleasure, Conformation and Hunt Seat Equitation.

Margaret Decker, Town Clerk, has reported that the survey teams for the Water-Sewage District have completed their work and that final figures will soon be available to the State Department of Health for their final decision.

All this means that if the health department and the state comptroller OK the plans voters residing within the district will have an opportunity to vote for or against the bond issue to finance the project by spring.

What a big step forward such a system would be for our village.

Sunday, Sept. 10 was a big day for Mrs. Julia Cole, 84,

of Canton. She was the honored guest at a family reunion held in Colton's Hepburn Library Community room. Sixty-one members of the Cole-Williams family met, with Alta and Joe Williams of Hannawa Falls, Florence and Vern Cole of Colton and Vera and Frank Johnson of Canton acting as hosts and organizers.

The youngest guest was Brent Hooper, age 8 weeks, of Plattsburgh. Brent was one of Mrs. Coles five great-grand children present.

Five of Mrs. Coles seven living children were at the party and there were five different sets of four generations present. Some record! Her oldest son, Harry Cole, came from Tupper Lake.

The presence of Mrs. Edna Babel of Traverse City Mich., Mrs. Coles' sister, was only a part of the big surprise planned for Mrs. Cole. Twelve of her grand-children were present, their ages ranging from 11 to 35.

As far as the secret went,

Mrs. Cole was only a little "miffed" that the family hadn't let her in on the exciting plans.

Two sets of twins belong in the family group. Alta Cole Williams and Alva Cole of Norfolk; Vernon Cole and Vera Cole Johnson of Canton, with whom Mrs. Cole is living.

A double celebration was in order when a 19th anniversary cake was presented to Florence and Vernon Cole.

Joe Williams, well known retired Village of Potsdam employee, had guests from the Williams family also. Albert Williams of Saranac Lake Elizabeth Charbonneau and daughter of Lake Placid, Shirley and William Deane and their son Mitchell of Potsdam and Gloria and Robert Williams with their two children.

Keep an eye on the tomato plants, begin to round up the winter things, there'll be lots more doing—North and South of Sunday Rock.

# Forrests Father Albert Plante Feted Married 25 Years

By Mrs. Fern Conklin  
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Hopkinton-A public farewell party was given in the Hopkinton Town Hall Wednesday evening, Sept. 6, by the Holy Cross Altar and Rosary Society to honor the Rev. Albert

Plante, who leaves this parish Saturday to go to Moores. James Donovan gave the introductory speech and presented a purse of money to Father Plante from the parishioners. Speeches were given by Father Plante, Rev. Feldt by Father Plante, Rev. Feldt of Winthrop, and James Snell,

a student at Wadhams Hall, Lee Plumadore, the first child baptized by Father Plante in this parish was presented and had his picture taken with Father. Refreshments were served.

Rev. Plante has been in Holy Cross Parish nearly 10 years and will be greatly missed, not only by his parishioners, but also by his many friends of different faiths.

The wish of good luck and success in his new parish goes with Father Plante.

Mrs. Leroy Campbell entertained the Bridge Club on Thursday.

Prizes were won by Fern Conklin, high, Pauline Mattice, galloping, and Hazel Plumadore, low.

On Thursday evening Mrs. Gertrude Witherell entertained the Bridge Club. Prizes were won by Hazel Perry, high, Eloise Campbell, galloping, and the consolation prize went to Pauline Mattice.

Regular meeting of the Hopkinton-Fort Jackson Volunteer Fire Department was held Thursday evening.

## Peace Corps Test Slated

Potsdam area residents interested in putting their skills to use in developing nations around the world may take the Peace Corps Placement

Doris Coons, now Mrs. Elwood Henry of Madrid.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest are both employees of the Aluminum Co. of America, Massena, where he is a member of the 25-year club; Mrs. Forrest is a telephone operator.

They are the parents of two children: Martha who is a licensed practical nurse employed by the Potsdam Nursing Home, and Pfc. William Artemus Forrest, now serving with the 716th Military Police Battalion in Saigon.

test at 1:30 p.m. this Saturday at the Post Office in Ogdensburg, Watertown or Malone.

The Peace Corps uses the placement test to determine how an applicant can best be utilized overseas. The test measures general aptitude and the ability to learn a language, hot education or achievement.

The test, which takes about one and one half hours, requires no preparation and is non-competitive—an applicant can neither pass nor fail.

A Peace Corps application, available from local post office from the Peace Corps in Washington, D.C. 20565, should be filled out and presented to the tester before taking the test.

## Press Association To Hear Lindsay

New York City's Mayor John V. Lindsay and Commissioner John Burns of the New York State Office of Local Government will give a down-to-earth, grass-roots account of the functioning of community government at the mid-year convention of the New York Press Association, today through Sunday at Grosinger's, Grossinger.

Representing the Courier and Freeman at the convention will be Mr. and Mrs. George R. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Philip C. King, and Miss Betty Dann, Weekly newspapers from all parts of the state will be represented.

Mayor Lindsay, who will be making his first appearance before the group, will be luncheon speaker Saturday at the Catskill resort, while Commissioner Burns will address the banquet tomorrow.

The newspapermen will be able to learn about their own business too, at the "How to" lecture sessions to be held during the convention.

Speakers on the agenda include Victor Ketchum, advertising director of the News Printing Co., New Kensington, Pa.; H.J. Ward, president of Port Publishing Co., Salt Lake City, Utah; Warren E. Grieb, executive vice president of American Newspaper Representatives, New York City, and Dr. D. Earl Newson, author and advertising consultant and faculty member of the University of Maryland Journalism School.

During the convention's business sessions election of officers and directors for 1968 will be held, under the direction of President Edmund Hartung of the Smithtown Messenger.

## Youngs, Once of South Colton, To Note 60 Years of Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Young of 306 Franklin St., Ogdensburg will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Young are former residents of South Colton.

An open house is being planned from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 Sunday by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Young and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Henry at the home of the Henrys, 310 Elizabeth St., Ogdensburg.

It is hoped that friends and relatives will call during the

open house hours to extend congratulations.

## Help Wanted

Several Federal Agencies in the Upstate New York area have vacancies for sales store checkers, GS-2 and GS-3, at a starting salary of \$3,925 and \$4,269 respectively.

Generally applicants for these positions must have had six months of experience in checkout duties involving operation of cash registers or bookkeeping machines. There are some provisions for substituting graduation from a four year high school for the required experience.

Interested? If so, pick up a copy of Announcement NS 7-53 issued by the Interagency Board of U.S. Civil Service Examiners, 301 Erie Boulevard West, Syracuse, 13202, available at most of the larger Post Offices. If you are unable to get your copy write to the Interagency Board at the above address, or call the Federal Job Information Center at Syracuse, area code 315. 473-5660 or 473-5661. Office hours at the center are Monday through Friday: 8:30 to 5.



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The Madri Caucus was h ball with De vior Lloyd I ated to heat ticket. Other were Virgini clerk; Gabrie republican. dorsed by the Floyd Fisher peace; Char road supervi and Stanley assessors.

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Mrs. Alice N.J., spent t at the home Mr. and M on Main St.

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Mr. and M rs visited their daughter, Sp Larry Lane a