

obituaries

William M. Monroe

NORFOLK—Funeral services for William M. Monroe, 74, of West High Street, Norfolk, were held Friday, July 28, 1978 at 10 a.m. at the Church of the Visitation, Norfolk with the Rev. George Lemieux officiating. Burial was in Visitation Cemetery, Norfolk.

Arrangements were with the Hammill Funeral Home, Winthrop.

Mr. Monroe died Tuesday (July 25, 1978) at the Potsdam Hospital where he had been a patient for three weeks. He had been in poor health since 1960.

Surviving are his wife, Beulah; two sons, Wayne E. of Potsdam, and Reginald A. of Raymondville; a daughter, Mrs. James (Betty) Whitmarsh of Russell; 13 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Monroe was born in Norfolk, May 30, 1904, the son of David and Mary Phelix Monroe. He attended local schools and was married to Beulah McGregor in Norfolk, May 29, 1935.

Mr. Monroe was a retired farmer in the Norfolk and Winthrop area.

He was a communicant of the Church of the Visitation, Norfolk.

Evelyn Miner

NORFOLK—Funeral services for Mrs. Evelyn Miner, 88, of the Highland Nursing Home, were held Tuesday, Aug. 1, 1978 at 10 a.m. at the Church of the Visitation, Norfolk.

Arrangements were with the Buck Funeral Home, Norfolk.

Mrs. Miner died Sunday (July 30, 1978) at the nursing home.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Edith Facteau of the Highland Nursing Home, and a niece, Mrs. Ruth Rayno.

Mrs. Miner was born in Redford, N.Y., May 29, 1890, the daughter of Alfred and Carolyn Sharland Farropt. She was married to Eugene Miner in January of 1904. Mr. Miner died in 1961.

Mrs. Miner was a member of the Church of the Visitation and the church's Altar and Rosary Society.

Three Suspects Plead Not Guilty

CANTON—Robert Michael Lipsky, 1 Lafayette St., Ogdensburg was remanded to county jail on \$5,000 bail after he pleaded not guilty to charges of robbery, first degree and grand larceny third degree during arraignments before Judge John Livingston last Thursday.

Anton John Alisankus, 528 Barre St., Ogdensburg, and Constance Marie Shannon, 514 Irvin St., Ogdensburg, pleaded not guilty to those same charges. Alisankus was remanded back to county jail, with bail set at \$5,000, while Ms. Shannon had her bail continued.

Lipsky was represented by attorney Stephen Easter, while Alisankus was represented by Frank Cappello, Ms. Shannon's attorney was Felix Terral.

The three have been charged with breaking into the home of a young Potsdam couple, holding them up at gunpoint, and leaving them tied up on the floor of their home. The couple and their 15-month-old child were not injured in the incident.

In other action, James B. Mahoney, Racquette Acres, Potsdam, pleaded not guilty to two counts of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, a felony. He was represented by Attorney Robert Sassone.

Canton ATC Expects 2,500 Students In Fall

CANTON—A six-day prescheduling program, initiated at Canton ATC this summer, has resulted in the completion of fall schedules by 928 first-year students.

According to William C. Foster, ATC registrar, "This was more than were previously prescheduled in a month-long session." Of the 928 students completing their schedules in preparation for the Aug. 27-29 orientation, 183 scheduled on Friday and Saturday the busiest days of the week.

It is anticipated that Canton ATC will have a total of 2,500 students beginning the fall semester, with 1,400 freshmen and 1,100 seniors enrolled.

To date, 1,010 freshmen students have prescheduled for the fall semester with 473 enrolling in the Business and Public Service division, 299 in Engineering Technology, 169 in Agriculture and Life Sciences and 69 in Arts and Science.

Freshmen will arrive for the fall semester at Canton ATC on Saturday, Aug. 26, with orientation from Aug. 27-29. Freshmen will register Aug. 28 and seniors, Aug. 29. Classes will begin Aug. 30.



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AMERICAN NURSING was the topic of this discussion between Mrs. Rosalie Hunter of Potsdam, an instructor of nursing at Canton ATC, and 10 European participants in State University College at Potsdam's American Studies Institute. Mrs. Hunter is at far left. Next to her (back to camera) is

Prof. Nancy Schneider of the Potsdam college's foreign language faculty, to whose Intermediate English Class Mrs. Hunter spoke. An objective of the American Studies Institute is to familiarize European educators with what America is "really like."

Madrid-Waddington Voters Will Decide On Six Propositions Aug. 9

MADRID — The Madrid-Waddington board of education decided Tuesday night to maintain an austerity budget plan for the coming school year and submit six propositions to the voters on Aug. 9.

The board also learned at its special meeting Tuesday night that the district's budget problems have been compounded by a loss of state aid. The district may be short nearly \$40,000 in state funding due to an unexpected decline in enrollment, Supervising Principal Maurice Cressey told the board members.

Cressey revealed last week that the \$40,000 shortfall may be covered without an increase in the austerity budget plan, but that could affect allocations for certain material, supplies, and staff.

Cressey said that he had not yet arrived at a definite figure for the austerity plan, but he expected to be able to present a proposal to the board well before the scheduled voting on the six propositions Aug. 9.

The propositions include transportation which board members felt was the most important. As Burt Beswick put it, "I feel we can not operate the school without it." If this proposition is selected, it will cost

taxpayers an estimated \$5,000.

If transportation is defeated, students of elementary age within two miles of the school would walk. High schoolers within three miles would walk, and rural students would be picked up at main stop points to which they would walk.

Athletics and co-curricular activities will also be considered in a proposition. It is estimated that these will cost the taxpayer the greatest amount, \$27,325. Loss of this item might also diminish enrollment with sports-minded students opting for school elsewhere.

Equipment at an estimated \$16,000 and library purchases at \$2,600 will also be considered. Another proposition would cover school supplies at approximately \$4,000. If this doesn't pass, students would be asked to supply their own or be assessed approximately \$10 to \$12.

Board members asked that an unusual item for austerity budgets be included in these propositions. Public use of school grounds and buildings will also be put to vote. As yet, the cost has not been estimated.

Vote is Aug. 9. These individual propositions will be voted on Wednesday, Aug. 9. Voters are reminded that Cressey and others will be available from 9-3 on Tuesday to answer questions at the high school.

If all six propositions were approved by the voters, the austerity budget, with the shortfall on state aid, could end up costing the taxpayers more than the original budget proposal.

send letters to each voter explaining the current issues. It was felt that a postage cost of \$26 was reasonable and the effort worthwhile.

Regarding the shortfall, Cressey explained that he estimated the school system's enrollment for 1977-78 using past experience, but by May the actual enrollment diminished by 68 and the district lost \$83,290 in aid as a result. A fund balance of \$39,500 and a promised \$6,000 in textbook aid reduces the shortfall to around \$38,000.

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Other Business Mackey Tyndall explained the results of the wrestling tournament in June. All trophies were donated by businesses and all proceeds (\$50) were presented to the President of the Board Dave Rourke for use in the sports program.

Public Record

Clarence T. Stevens, 72, Largo, Fla., was charged Saturday with driving while intoxicated.

Inex A. Waite, 18, was charged with petit larceny Saturday. Police said she was charged with taking two paperback books from the Big N department store.

A charge of passing a bad check, levied against Willie McCann, was dropped to disorderly conduct Saturday upon his arraignment before Acting Village Justice Patrick VerSchneider. McCann also made restitution on the \$66.25 check.

Paul R. Brothers, 22, South Colton, was charged Saturday with driving the wrong way on a one-way street.

Thomas M. Krower, Lynnfield, Mass., was charged Friday with driving while his ability was impaired. He was charged after being involved in an automobile accident in front of the Roxy Theater, Main Street. Police said his car hit an auto driven by Gloria A. Weller, 37, Route 4.

Elks Club Is Local Pledge Center For Jerry Lewis Telethon

The Potsdam Elks Club has been established as the local pledge center for the Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon for muscular dystrophy.

The telethon will be aired over WWNY television. Other pledge centers in the North Country will be: Gouverneur, the Masonic Lodge; Ogdensburg, Ogdensburg Volunteers; Alex Bay, Alexandria Teachers Association; Lowville, the Teenage Republicans; Massena, Massena Volunteers; Star Lake, Star Lake Volunteers; and Watertown, Watertown Volunteers.

Michael B. Austin, 19, West Stockholm, was charged Friday with unlicensed operation of a motorcycle. He also received a speeding ticket.

Richard A. Baritaud, Hannawa Falls, was charged early Friday with driving while his ability was impaired and with driving the wrong way on a one-way street.

Marilu L. Kenny, Lisbon, was charged Tuesday with issuing a bad check.

A youth not identified because of his age was charged last Tuesday with petit larceny after it was alleged that he took 75 cents that was left as payment for newspapers from the front of Robinson's Market, Market Street.

Watterson Lindsey was charged Tuesday with aggravated assault. He was arrested on a warrant issued by Acting Village Justice Patrick VerSchneider.

Erving M. Berry, a Potsdam native, was charged by village police Wednesday with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and with grand larceny. He is alleged to have stolen a car owned by Walter C. Lacks, Norwood, from a parking lot at Clarkson College on July 13. He had been held until Wednesday by police in Lancaster, Mass., and was brought back to Potsdam where he was officially charged.

Larry B. Bradish, 20, Route 4, was charged Thursday with driving while intoxicated.

Steven M. Lemay, 19, Helena, was ticketed Thursday for allegedly driving the wrong way on a one-way street.

Raymond F. DeRonde, 39, Winthrop, was charged Thursday with issuing a bad check in the amount of \$28.86 to the HIFI Shop in Potsdam on July 24.

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