

### ASC Ballots Due Dec. 1

Chairman Claude Bardo of the Lewis County ASC Committee reminded farmers today that ballots have been mailed to all eligible voters in the county. Those who are farmers or rural landowners and did not receive their ballots by November 29, should get in touch with the County ASC office. Five hundred and thirty farmers voted in last year's ASC election. Chairman Bardo said that it is

important for all farmers and rural landowners to vote in this year's ASC election. The elected men will represent them on the community committee in their area. Three committeemen and two alternates will be elected for one-year terms in each community. The person receiving the most votes in each community will be committee chairman. Candidates who are second and third in numbers of votes will be de-

clared vice chairman and regular member respectively. Chairman Bardo is also reminding farmers that they have until Friday, December 1, to vote in the ASC election. If their ballot is postmarked December 1 or returned to the ASC office by December 1, it will be counted.

The voted ballots will be counted at a public meeting on Monday, December 4, at 10:30 a.m. at the ASC office, Lowville.

### Croghan Area News Briefs

MRS. HAROLD DELAPORTE, Correspondent  
CROGHAN - Dr. and Mrs. Richard Strife, Harrisburg, Va., both members of the staff of Madison College, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Strife, Mrs. Robert T. (Irene) Kelly observed her 88th birthday at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow

Strife, with whom she resides. Mr. and Mrs. William Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schneider, Croghan, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Schneider, Lowville, attended the wedding of their grandson and nephew, Gary Schneider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Branton Schneider, Lowville, who was married to Sharon Smart, Plattsburgh, held Saturday, Nov. 18, at St. Peter's Church, Plattsburgh, at 12 noon. A reception was held at Brothers Five, Reekmantown.

Miss Helen Phillips has returned to her home in Brooklyn after spending the past week here as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Craig Martin.

Dr. Edward K. Lehman of Washington, D.C., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lehman. He was accompanied home by a friend, Mr. David Harshberger, Jr., from Pennsylvania. Winners of the prizes given away at the Christmas Bazaar sponsored by the Home-School Association held recently in Saint Stephen's Church Hall are Mrs. Augustus Tabolt, crewel embroidered picture of St. Stephen's Church in a frame; Mrs. Ralph Martley, two floral crewel embroidered framed pictures; David McDonald, Adams, large white Bible; Mrs. Dolores Ashline, a large white Bible; Mrs. Jim (Mary) Kerfien, \$25 bond; Jerome Peters, Afghan; Bernard Martin, waffle iron; Mrs. Beatrice Kloster, ladies watch; Kathleen Schack, Cartage, set of stainless steel bowls; Niles Strife, French perfume; Mrs. Albert Blatz, Eveready flashlight; Mrs. Luane Strife, Watertown, hair cutting set; David Meister, Cartage, baseball glove; Ira Zehr, pair of Town and Country re-cap snow tires.

A family dinner was held at the home of Mrs. Merlin Thomas on Thanksgiving Day. Among those present were Mrs. James D. (Alice) Zehr, 84, mother of Mrs. Thomas, and Mrs. Mabel Thomas Wigan, Cartage, who observed her 88th birthday Thanksgiving Day.

Father Robert Moore of North Haven, L.L., spent the past week here visiting his brother, Father Anthony Moore, O.F.M., at St. Stephen's Friary.

Cynthia Farney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Farney, San Diego, Calif., a sophomore at David Lipscomb College, Nashville, Tenn., arrived by plane at Syracuse Airport on Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. Julia Farney, Croghan, and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Farney, Watertown. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Farney, San Diego, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard DeLaPorte and family of Massena spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. DeLaPorte's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold DeLaPorte.

Jay Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Martin, George Street, has been a patient at Lewis County General Hospital where he underwent surgery during the past week for the removal of an infected toenail.

Mrs. Carl Frost, Black River, spent the Thanksgiving holidays as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wisner and her nephew, Arthur Kohler. Mrs. Wisner is the former Mabel Kohler.

The Croghan Fire Department was called to a fire at the home of Floyd Branagan on the Swiss

Road, Croghan, which completely destroyed their home at 3:30 a.m. on Wednesday.

Robert Purcell, Sr., who has been a patient at Lewis County General Hospital, returned to his home on the Croghan - Indian River Road Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Spencer and family of Raymondville were last weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. Gerald Spencer.

Due to winter weather conditions the barrels which have been placed in Croghan and Beaver Falls for the depositing of clean glass bottles will be picked up this weekend to be put in storage until next April or May. The public is asked not to leave bottles in these areas after the barrels have been removed.

To date, approximately 40 barrels of cleaned glass bottles and

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### Mrs. Carter Dies At 95

Mrs. Emma M. Miller Carter, 95, widow of Francis T. Carter, former resident of Lowville and Pine Grove, died Nov. 22 in Bender's Adult Home, Glenfield, where she had resided five years.

The funeral was Nov. 25 at the Virkler Funeral Home, Rev. Willard Newman, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Lowville, officiating. Burial will be in West Lowville Cemetery.

Mrs. Carter is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Helen Lauber, Pine Grove, Glenfield R.D.; a son, Howard L., address unknown;

six grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and seven great-great-grandchildren.

She was born at Waterville, daughter of Asa Howard and Mary Jane Wedge Miller, and lived for some time at Elba. She had lived in the Lowville vicinity 40 years.

She was married to Francis Taylor Carter Nov. 4, 1898, at New Woodstock in the Baptist Church parsonage. Mr. Carter died Feb. 2, 1955.

Mrs. Carter was a member of the Lowville Baptist Church.

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