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Arena in a local amateur league of about 16 teams. They played at Philadelphia, Overlook, Valley Forge and played outside to practice. They played about 10 years but quit about eight years

Arthur and Mary Belle both figure-skated and through this met at the Hershey Sports Arena. Both are still active in sport activities as well as their family. Their favorite past time in the winter now is skiing because the whole family goes They ski locally as well as at Big Valley at Hamburg, Roundtop in York County, at Camelback near Stroudsburg and at Jack Frost in the Poconos. All of their family went ice skating and played ice hockey on their pond in the wintertime In fact, many of the young people of the Denver area skated there and had doggie roasts afterward.

Arthur and Mary Belle's children are Michele, Denise and the twins Stephanie and Stephen. Michele will be a senior this fall at East Cocalico High School. She is a commercial student. She helps her mother with the housework and works in the store. She will be helping with retarded children this summer at Camp Swatara. She was in the Denver 4-H sewing club two years and also takes sewing in school. She makes her own dresses with some help from her mother. She went to Europe last summer with her grandmother Graybill

Denise, 16, is taking the academic course at East Cocalico High School. She wants to be a physical education teacher. She has been very active in sports, especially tenns and field hockey and is a cheer leader at school. She too was in 4-H sewing two years and helps at the dairy store.

Stephanie and Stephen, 12, are in Cocalico Middle School. Both

help in the store, Stephanie even works at the cash register. She also helps with the work at home. She likes baseball, basketball and tennis. Stephen plays baseball at school and is on the Denver team. He gets up early and helps at the barn.

Arthur and Mary Belle's family go to their cabin in Tioga County every third weekend when they have off from work. The family fishes there and Arthur goes hunting from there for bear, deer and turkeys. Mary Belle did go hunting for small game before the children were born.

Arthur and Mary Belle go golfing every Wednesday afternoon. They did water ski with friends but recently are more active with sports the whole family enjoys together.

Triple G belongs to the Pennsylvania Farmers Association and the Holstein-Friesian Association of America. Arthur is Township Auditor and on the Planning Commission. He is also on the finance committee for the building of their new church, the Church Of The Brethren of Ephrata, near the Middle School. He and Mrs. Graybill serve on the chicken barbecue committee each year for their Sunday School class. Mrs. Graybill helped in the church nursery when their children were small. She belonged to the PTO when their children attended Reamstown Elementary School.

Mary Belle says "I like to work outside better than inside the house." However, she is an excellent housekeeper and cook. She and the children work in the vegetable garden, pick the vegetables and put them in the freezer She also buys asparagus to freeze. They go to her mother's home and pick cherries and apples. She makes jelly every year. Graybills butcher their own beef and put it in the freezer. They usually butcher an animal born to a first-calf Holstein heifer which was bred to an Angus.

Graybills have a well kept lawn. The children mow it and Mary Belle grows roses, ageratum, geraniums, petunias, marigolds, ivy and pansies.

Mary Belle likes to sew and has been making clothes for the children and herself. She took an evening sewing class at the school She also knits. She made an afghan, two ponchos, a bag, a sweater and a baby set of sacque, booties and cap She received a blue ribbon at the Jaycee Hobby Show in Denver for a grey and

red poncho and bag she knit for her daughter.

Mary Belle learned to make ceramics at Joan's Ceramics at Leola. She has given most of the pieces as gifts but has a compote and candlestick set, a pitcher and bowl set, and ash tray set and vase to match, a jack-o'-lantern, a yule log and Christmas trees. She is making a plate with the date of birth for each of her children.

Mary Belle says "I like to try new recipes" but gives us these family favorites:

Strawberry-Cream Squares

2 3-ounce packages strawberry

- flavored gelatin 2 cups boiling water 2 10-ounce packages frozen
- strawberries 13½-ounce can (1½ cups)
- crushed pineapple 2 large, fully ripe bananas, finely
- diced

1 cup dairy sour cream Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add berries, stirring occasionally till thawed. Add pineapple and banana. Pour half the mixture into an 8x8x2 inch pan. Chill till firm. Spoon sour cream over chilled gelatin, spreading in an even layer; pour remaining gelatin over. Chill

Cut in nine squares; serve on lettuce ruffles. Garnish with dollops of sour cream and whole strawberries split in half from top almost to bottom. Makes 9

Rhubarb Desser. ½ cup granulated sugar

½ cup chopped nuts 1 tablespoon butter, melted

1 teaspoon ground cinnamon 11/2 cups packed brown sugar ½ cup shortening

1 egg

firm.

2 cups all-purpose flour 1 teaspoon baking soda

½ teaspoon salt 1 cup dairy sour cream

1½ cups rhubarb, cut into ½ inch pieces

Mix granulated sugar, nuts, butter and cinnamon till crumbly; set aside. Cream together brown sugar, shortening, and egg. Thoroughly stir together flour, soda and salt; add to creamed mixture alternately with sour cream. Stir in rhubarb. Turn into greased and floured 13x9x2 inch baking pan. Sprinkle with reserved topping. Bake in 350 degree oven 45 to 50 minutes. Cut in square; serve warm or

This recipe is even better topped with ice cream

> XXXX Banana - Nut Bread

1-3 cup shortening

½ cup sugar

- 2 eggs 134 cups sifted enriched flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder ½ teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon soda
- 1 cup mashed ripe banana ½ cup broken California walnuts

Cream together shortening and sugar; add eggs and beat well. Sift together dry ingredients; add to creamed mixture alternately with banana, beating well after each addition. Stir in walnuts. Pour into a well greased 81/2x41/2x21/2 inch loaf pan. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) about 1 hour or till done. Remove from pan. Cool on rack.

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Company Stroganoff 2 pound round steak

1/4 cup flour

½ cup onions, chopped

6 tablespoons butter 11/2 teaspoons salt

1/8 teaspoon pepper

½ cup water 1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup

1 4-ounce can mushrooms, undrained

1 cup sour cream

Cut steak in thin strips; dredge in flour. Brown with onions in butter. Add seasonings and water. Cover and simmer gently until almost tender, about 1 hour, stirring occasionally. Add soup and mushrooms, stir to mix. Cook gently until beef is tender, about 30 minutes. At serving time heat mixture piping hot and stir in sour cream.

Serve over poppy seed noodles or any noodles. Yield: 10 servings.

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Broccoli Casserole

2 boxes frozen broccoli, cooked and drained

1 stick butter or margarine 1 can mushroom soup

1 can celery soup ½ small package herb dressing

(bread crumbs)

1 small onion chopped Salt and pepper

Mix all together. Bake at 350 degrees ½ to ¾ hour.

Cheese Dip

1 package cream cheese ½ teaspoon celery salt 1/4 teaspoon garlic salt

½ teaspoon paprika ½ teaspoon dried parsley

Add milk until consistency wanted.

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Ham Loaf 1 pound fresh pork

1 pound smoked ham ground together

1 cup bread crumbs (soak with 34 to 1 cup milk)

2 eggs

½ onion

Salt and pepper

Baste after 1 hour baking with the following sauce:

1/2 cup vinegar

1/4 cup water

1 cup brown sugar

1 teaspoon dry mustard

Bake at 300 to 350 degrees for 1½ hours.



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