

Miss Betty Evans 'Sweetheart' Of County FFA Group

Miss Betty Evans of Ebensburg was crowned sweetheart of Cambria Chapter, Future Farmers of America, at the annual parents banquet last Thursday evening.

About 125 persons attended the affair in the Ebensburg-Cambria High School cafeteria, Ebensburg.

Miss Evans, a junior in home economics at the Ebensburg school, received the crown from Miss Patricia Cook, last year's queen.

Awards won during the State Farm Show in January in Harrisburg were presented to chapter members.

Fat Dunam and Edward Randall received medals and cash awards from the National Junior Vegetable Growers Assn. Robert Grata was awarded a gold medal in junior vegetable garden competition of the association. State project awards went to Robert Strouse and James Mullen.

Main attraction at the banquet was feats of magic by Dudley Winters, field representative of the Intra-State Milk Producers Cooperative. Alvin Buck, Cambria County assistant superintendent of county schools, spoke briefly.

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District 7 Official Outlines Kiwanis Program At Patton

Daniel L. Auchenbach, Johnson, lieutenant governor of Kiwanis, Division 7, was principal speaker at the meeting of the Northern Cambria Kiwanis Club last Thursday in the Commercial Hotel, Patton. His topic was "Kiwanis Objectives for 1951."

Before speaking, Mr. Auchenbach, in his official capacity, presented the club a "History of Kiwanis in Pennsylvania." He also presented a certificate of merit to immediate past President, Cletus Lehmer of Bakerton.

The Kiwanis official introduced his remarks by saying that the "object" of Kiwanis have been the same during the 30 years of its existence, but the goals and objectives change each year. He then presented the nine following objectives, amplifying and explaining each one:

They are (1) uphold the United Nations, (2) cultivate existing relations between the United States and Canada, (3) expose and combat communism, (4) promote economy, efficiency and integrity in government at all levels, (5) resist all trends toward socialization of any profession, business, industry or group of workers, (6) protect the public welfare by demanding legal rights and responsibilities for both management and labor, (7) foster safety, conservation of resources, and all constructive citizenship programs, (8) expand services to all youth, and seek to eliminate the causes of juvenile delinquency, and (9) strengthen our social structure through intensified services to home, church and school.

James W. Cogley, chairman of the program committee, announced that this Thursday's meeting to be held at Patton will be in the form of a ladies' night. The committee on entertainment consists of Mrs. Jesse W. Cogley, Mrs. Fred B. Buck and Mrs. Fred Hogan.

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Cambria Would Lose Assemblyman Under New Bill

Cambria County would lose one seat in the State House of Representatives under a new reapportionment bill introduced in the House at Harrisburg this week.

The bill would increase the number of members of the House from 206 to 210 and at the same time would change the number of representatives in eight counties.

The measure was introduced by Rep. Charles C. Smith (R-Philadelphia), Republican floor leader, who said it represented an "attempt to start the ball rolling" on the reapportionment problem.

Smith said his bill represents only his own thinking and so far has no support by any groups.

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18-Year-Old Draft Bill Passes Senate By 74-Vote Margin

The U. S. Senate by a 79-to-5 vote last Friday passed and sent to the house a bill providing for the draft of 18-year-olds now and universal military training later.

Under the bill, universal military training would, after the present emergency, affect all boys as they reach 18.

At present, the Senate bill specifies the draft of 18-year-olds cannot start until draft boards have gone completely through the eligible 18-through-25-year-olds.

And in drafting boys of 18 they must start with the ones nearest 18. Hearings indicate that few if any would be called at 18 during the coming year.

The bill also extends draft service from 21 to 24 months.

Universal military training was retained in the bill by a vote of 74 to 26. It was tacked on as an amendment to the other Senate bill. After the present emergency youths would be called up for four to six months of training and then would be required to serve in the reserve; an overall period of eight years. The program would be controlled by a civilian-dominated board.

The legislation would replace the Selective Service Act due to expire July 1. Other major provisions include:

A ceiling on military manpower is reimposed. The Senate set it at 4 million as against the million-man aim of the Defense Department by mid-1951.

The President would retain the power to increase the service of volunteers by one year. But only one such freeze is allowed.

Automatic deferment of boys of 18½ or less who join the national guard. Deferments of young husbands in the 18-through-25 group would be ended unless they are veterans or have dependents in addition to a wife.

Conscientious objectors, now draft exempt, could be drafted for work. Enlistment of 125,000 foreigners over the next five years. Present law limits this to 5,000 in two years. Unlimited enlistment of women.

Four hundred Cambria County families received assistance, \$200 telegraphic message, cleared through Cambria County Chapter, American Red Cross, in February, it was announced on Tuesday of this week.

The load handled by the home service department, was about 10 percent higher than in January and 25 percent more than last June, July and August, combined.

If the current campaign to raise \$107,946 is successful, the department will be given a budget of \$20,536 for the fiscal year, Red Cross officials said. To date \$52,044.99 has been reported. The department's budget will be spent on services to the armed forces and veterans as well as home services that include telegrams, financial and legal aid and salaries for the staff of five who operate in the county.

A 24-hour telegraph service is maintained by the county chapter through the use of a telegrapher that connects with Western Union. The machine is available daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and Saturdays from 9 a. m. to noon. During other hours a home case worker is on duty to send and receive messages.

The department has 25 volunteer social welfare aides in this county. They help servicemen get emergency leaves if there is serious illness in the family and help get medical aid to people in remote places.

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Homemakers' Day Scheduled May 2

Plans for Countywide Event Being Drawn Up

The annual observance of Cambria County Homemakers Day is to be held at the First Lutheran Church, Vine St., Johnstown, on Wednesday, May 2.

Plans for the event were mapped at a meeting of eight homemakers clubs in Ebensburg last week. The theme of the occasion will be "Our Responsibilities Toward Children and Youth."

Mrs. Ernest Shoshan of Patton R. D. will preside over the morning session. Mrs. A. J. Burford, Wilmore, will have charge of the evening meeting. Mrs. G. J. Anderson of St. Benedict will be the toastmistress for the luncheon at noon. Music will be directed by Mrs. H. E. Ferrier of Salix.

An achievement parade will be held in which articles made during the winter months will be displayed. St. Benedict, Crescon, Wilmore and Beaver Valley homemakers clubs will present gifts.

"What is Extension?" will be the theme of an address by H. C. McWilliams, county farm agent. Other speakers will be announced later.

Colored Oleo Bill In House Hopper

Effort Made to Repeal Half-Century-Old Ban

Harrisburg (PNS)—There will be no "right" in the proposed yellow margarine legislation in Pennsylvania, as far as the Pennsylvania Women's Committee for Yellow Margarine is concerned.

This was revealed this week by Judge Leta McBride, Pittsburgh jurist, who is chairman of the committee. Of the record, legislative leaders predict that the bill now is as dead as a non-breathing duck.

Condemned Judge McBride: "Newspapers are crying 'right' where there is no right. We are not a militant committee. We have come into being only to express the views of women of Pennsylvania about a terribly unfair and discriminatory law."

She asserted that the only issue involved was one of civil rights. Judge McBride has had no comment to offer on a bill now in the hopper presented by an Allegheny County amateur calling for the repeal of the 50-year-old ban on pre-colored yellow margarine.

The introduction of this measure places Pennsylvania fifth of the 14 states which ban colored margarine to have a repeal bill pending in the Legislature. It is already legal in 34 other states.

—Be severe with yourself, but gentle with other folks.

22 Colver Scouts To Be Advanced

Twenty-Two Boy Scouts of Troop 264, Colver, were advanced at a board of review last Thursday evening in the Colver Grade School. The event was conducted by the troop committee, led by Basil Cameron, organization and extension chairman of the Central Cambria District.

The following boys were advanced:

Star scout, Ronald Widdowson; first class, Samuel Fulton and Jack Hill; Roy Jones, William Gates, Larry Gioveschini and Wm. McHenry; tenderfoot, Robert Barlocchi, Jerry Valeri, Thomas Vieri, William Johnson, Ronald Griffith, Duane Plummer, Denny Gioveschini, Robert Francis, Don Cramer, James Kushner, Tim Szfranski, Robert Jones, George Sprinkle and Richard Sprinkle.

Charles Buterbaugh, scoutmaster, announced that the awards were presented at a court of honor last evening in the school.

Hastings Airman Gets Commission

A resident of Hastings, Elmer P. Kolesmar, has received his commission as a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force at the Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas.

L. Kolesmar, a son of Mrs. Ann Kolesmar, recently completed a six-month training course in the Officer Candidate School at the Texas airbase. He has been granted a 15-day leave.

The Hastings airman entered the armed forces Aug. 20, 1949, and was stationed at Keeler Air Force Base in Mississippi before being transferred to Lackland. During World War II he served four years in the U. S. Merchant Marine. He is a graduate of the Hastings High School.

2 Injured When Bridge Collapses

One area man was hospitalized and his companion was injured last Saturday afternoon when a weight of their truck.

John Baron of Barnesboro was admitted to the Miners' Hospital, Spangler, at 1:30 p. m., last Saturday for treatment of a fracture of the left arm. His condition is listed as good. His companion, John Babayk, also of Barnesboro, received treatment at the hospital but was discharged.

The men told hospital authorities they were hauling shale along a rural road near Cherry Tree, when a bridge gave way beneath their truck.

The Press-Courier covers the North Cambria field.

Garmentown Home Destroyed By Fire

The home and belongings of Mr. and Mrs. George Keith of Susquehanna Twp., near Garmentown, were totally destroyed by fire last Friday noon. The couple and their seven children were left homeless.

Fire broke out in a bedroom of the four-room, one-story home at about 11:30 a. m. The interior of the house was ablaze before Barnesboro firemen could arrive. Loss was placed at \$2,000. Only a few articles were saved from the building. No one was injured.

The family is being cared for by relatives with assistance of the Red Cross.

Veteran Barnesboro Miner Given TV Set

John Gill, 70, of Barnesboro, has been honored by the board of directors of Barnes & Tucker Coal Company, Barnesboro.

He was presented a television set and a movie camera as tokens of the board's appreciation of his long service as master mechanic.

Richard "Indy" Hunter Jr., general manager of the firm, made the presentation at a company safety meeting last Wednesday in the St. Thomas Parish House, Barnesboro.

Mr. Gill has been associated with the concern for 50 years and has never been involved in a lost-time accident.

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Derailed Car Ties Up Rail Traffic

Traffic on one west-bound track of the Pennsylvania Railroad, near the east end of the Collins Tunnel, was tied up for about 2½ hours early Sunday evening.

Cause of the tie-up was a derailed car on a west-bound freight coming from Altoona. Trainmen said the derailment occurred when a coupling gave way between two cars, throwing on the emergency brake. The sudden braking caused one car near the end to partially derail.

The incident occurred about 6:20 p. m. and rail traffic was moving again at 8:50 p. m.

Historical Society Will Reorganize This Saturday

The Cambria County Historical Society will reorganize at a meeting to be held this Saturday at 11 a. m. in Courtroom No. 2 at the Courthouse in Ebensburg.

Officers and directors for the organization will be elected at the meeting.

All interested persons are urged to attend this meeting and to bring anyone along who is interested in local history. By supporting the organization it can be returned to the position it should occupy in the affairs of Cambria County communities.

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The next meeting of the unit will be held next Thursday evening, Mar. 22.

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