

Beaumont Man Dies At 63

Born In Kresgeville Farmed Forty Years

Amandus Searfoss of Beaumont, a farmer in this section for over forty years, died Friday morning at his home. His death was the result of an operation he underwent in November.

Mr. Searfoss, born on June 29, 1879, at Kresgeville in Monroe County, was one of seven children. When he was seven years old he came to Stull, where he later worked in the lumberwoods.

He married Amy Southworth and they had four children, Mrs. Verna Dalley of Trucksville, Mrs. Emily MacDougall of Beaumont, Sylvia and Granville who are still at home.

Others surviving are five grandchildren, Cpl. Amandus Dalley, Chester, Beatrice Stewart and Richard Dalley.

Funeral services were held from the family home at Beaumont with Reverend Kenneth Elgena, pastor of Beaumont Union Church, in charge. Pallbearers were Harry Sweezy, Joseph Hoyt, Cragg Herdman, Harry Hilbert, Stanley Mosier and Charles Smith. Interment was in the Warden Cemetery.

DALLAS CHURCH NOTES

First Methodist Church, Rev. Austin L. Pryn, Minister. Mrs. Harold Rood, Organist-Director. The Church School at 10 A. M. Morning Worship at 11 A. M. This is to be the first Service in our Observance of the Week of Dedication. Rev. J. Rolland Crompton, District Superintendent of the Wilkes-Barre District will be the preacher.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:30 P. M.

Evening Worship at 7:30 P. M. This will be the second of our "Soldier Services". The families of men and women in the armed services are especially invited to this Service during which prayers will be made for these young people. The minister will preach on the subject, "If They Can, We Can."

The Official Board will meet at the Parsonage at 8 P. M. on Tuesday evening. In addition to the transaction of the regular business, there will be a program as a part of the Week of Dedication Observance. Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. the Mid-Week Service at the Church. Thursday at 4, the Chancel Chior, at 7 the Junior Chior and at 7:45 P. M. the Senior Chior rehearsals. Friday at 8 the Youth Rally.

WOMEN AND THE WAR

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Luther T. Hand To Be Buried This Morning

Luther T. Hand, 20-year-old son of the late James A. Hand, and Mrs. Mary E. Hand of Alderson, died Tuesday morning at his home after an illness of one week due to pneumonia. Born on September 18, 1922, he has lived in Alderson for five years.

Surviving are his mother, four brothers, Glenn R. Hand of Westerville, New York, James A. Hand of Forty Fort, Joseph M. Hand of Dallas, and Frederick A. Hand at home and one sister, Mrs. Robert Hughes of Forty Fort.

Funeral services will be held this morning at 10 in the Kniffen Funeral Home in Kingston, with Reverend David R. Morgan of Alderson Methodist Church officiating. Pallbearers will be his brothers, Glenn, James, Joseph and Frederick Hand. Burial will be in the Mt. Greenwood Cemetery.

Beaumont Union Church

Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Special service, 8:00 p. m. The male quartet of the Baptist Bible Seminary will be at the evening service.

Harvey's Lake

Mrs. Peter Kuchta and daughter, Judy, of Wilkes-Barre, spent Thursday and Friday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Garinger.

Sgt. and Mrs. Garvin Smith of Stroudsburg spent the week end with Amos Kitchen. Sgt. and Mrs. Smith were celebrating their first wedding anniversary. Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Iris Kitchen.

Mrs. Florence Conden entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Merle Conden and children of Dallas and Mrs. Basil Lord of Kingston.

Mrs. Raymond Garinger will open her home on Thursday evening, March 4, for a spiritual meeting to commemorate the Week of Dedication of our church. We hope every one in the community will be interested and try to attend.

Alderson Church and Sunday School have changed the order of their services for the remainder of the winter. A combined meeting will begin at 10:30 Sunday morning. We feel this arrangement will bring the young and old closer together. Every one is welcome.

Fourth Quarterly Conference of Alderson-Noxen Charge of the Methodist Church will hold a supper meeting at Noxen Monday evening, March 1 at 6 o'clock. All branches of the Church W. S. C. S., Sunday School and Young People's divisions will give yearly reports for the coming conference. All are invited. Rev. J. Rolland Crompton will have charge of the meeting.



CONTACT
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Service Men

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shaver of Main Street received a letter from their son, Willard Shaver, formerly on Guadalcanal, saying that he had received 6 Posts, letters from home and his first Christmas packages. His two cousins, Elwood and Howard Whitesell, are still with him and are both well.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Shultz of Kingston Township have received word that their son, Gerald, has arrived safely at his destination.

Seaman Velton Bean of U. S. Coast Guard Training Station, Groton, Conn., spent Sunday with his wife, the former Miss Jeanne Cease of Ceastown.

Charles C. Warden, son of S. Ray Warden of Shavertown, has entered mechanics' school at Amarillo Field, Texas.

James Borton, 17 years old senior at Dallas Township High School, enlisted February 12th as an aviation cadet in the U. S. Army. He is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Borton of Alderson to enlist his services to his country. The other son, John, enlisted in the Air Corps October 12, 1942, and is now stationed at Keesler Field, Mississippi.

William F. Besteder Succumbs At Hospital

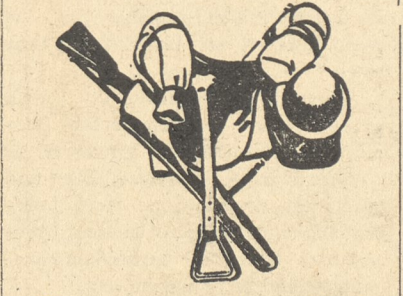
Funeral services for William F. Besteder, 70-year-old resident of Centermoreland, were held Tuesday afternoon in the Centermoreland Methodist Church with Reverend Thomas F. Kline officiating. Mr. Besteder died in the General Hospital Saturday morning.

Surviving are three children, Ralph W. of Harrisburg, Rena E., of Wilkes-Barre, Mrs. Richard Pryn of Middleton, Penna.; one sister, Mrs. Mary Harding of Yakima, Washington; one grandson, William J. Mann, Presque Isle, Maine; two half-brothers, George Hunter of Chinchilla and Arthur Hunt of Scranton, and two half-sisters, Mrs. Sadie Pembridge of Scranton and Mrs. E. Decker of Clarks Summit.

Burial was in the Marsh Cemetery, Centermoreland.

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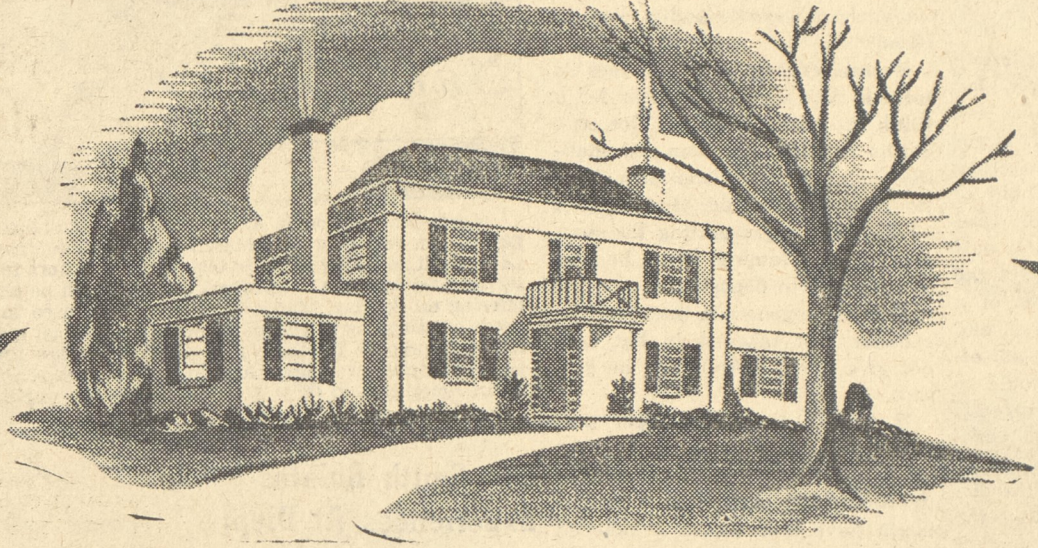
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