

# Neighborhood Notes And News Of Local Church Doings

## Purely Personal

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Mrs. Charles Gates has returned to her home at Shrineview after spending a week at Harrisburg.

Joe MacVeigh of Center Hill road spent Tuesday in Easton on a business trip.

Staff Sergeant Alfred Davis of Aberdeen, Md., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Davis of Park street.

Mrs. H. H. Zeiser of Huntsville road is spending the week in Easton visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Attorney and Mrs. Leighton Scott.

Mrs. James Robinson of Idetown was a guest at the Vassar Club in New York City this week.

Mrs. William Baker of Lehman avenue was hostess to members of the Executive Committee of Dallas W. S. C. S. Tuesday afternoon. Present were Mrs. Laura Patterson, Mrs. J. C. Fleming, Mrs. Clarence LaBar, Mrs. Zel Garinger, Mrs. William Niemeyer, and Mrs. Austin Prynn.

Marty Walsh of Fernbrook left Monday for the Naval Hospital in Philadelphia where he will submit to an operation.

J. G. Hadsel and daughter, Jean, of Idetown, returned to Philadelphia to work on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers of Orchard Farm have announced the birth of a daughter, their second child, Friday, February 26.

Mrs. Ziba Howell of Center St., Shavertown, has been ill at her home. Marjorie Howell was dinner guest of Mrs. W. B. Risley Friday evening.

Mrs. R. B. Shaver of Idetown is improving and is expected home soon. Mrs. Dean Shaver is in Idetown for a few days but will return to New York the end of this week to be with her mother, Mrs. Shaver. Mr. R. B. Shaver is still in New York.

Mrs. James Casterline and children of Idetown, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clark Smith of Berwick. Clark Smith, formerly of Idetown, has received a position with Tom McCan Shoe Company in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. James Krieger and daughter, Peggy, of Idetown have been visiting Mrs. Krieger's sister, Mrs. Margaret Winder of Barney Street, Wilkes-Barre.

Russell Dodd, employed in Bridgeport, Conn., is spending a vacation at his home in Idetown.

Mrs. Bessie Williams of Idetown is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Ellsworth of Scranton. Mrs. Ellsworth is recovering from injuries received in a bus crash near Stroudsburg enroute to visit her husband who is employed in Phila. Mrs. Harold Donnelly and son Jack, and Nancy Williams visited Mrs. Ellsworth one day this week.

Mrs. Howard Boice of Idetown, has recovered from her recent illness. She entertained on Sunday Harry Boice of Tunkhannock, Albert and Mary Hoover of Fernbrook and Mrs. Helen Kriedler and daughter, Betty, of Hayes Corners.

Warren Rogers of Trenton, New Jersey, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers of Idetown.

Mrs. Russell Rogers of Idetown spent a day this week in Wilkes-Barre.

Edna Ruth, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Rogers of Idetown, is ill at her home.

Mrs. Stanley Eyet of Diamond Hollow spent a few days with her father, Willard Race. Mr. Race is recovering after a severe attack of Erysipelas.

Mrs. F. B. Reese of Luzerne and Mrs. Ralph Brown of Parrish Street visited relatives last week at Bloomsburg, Wellsboro and Lanser, Pennsylvania. While in Lanser they attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dahlgren of Lanser.

Miss Hilda Staub of Carverton road, Trucksville, spent the weekend in New York City.

Alice Gordon was guest of honor at a birthday party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gordon, East Center Street, Shavertown on Saturday.

Mrs. Esther Mauro of Huntsville entertained Sunday, Ellen and Beverly Platt, Ruth Culp, Margaret Tribler of Huntsville and Mary Miles of Edwardsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ide of Lehman had as guest for the weekend Mrs. Elmer Labauth of Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. George Lewis of Lehman entertained over the weekend her son, Jack Ruggles of the U. S. Navy.

Mrs. James Whitesell and son, Tommy, of Palmyra, N. J. are spending several weeks with the former's father, Mr. F. R. Searfoss while Mrs. Searfoss is visiting her son, Wilbur, and family in Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Anderson and family have purchased and moved into the White home opposite the grade school in Trucksville. Mr. and Mrs. William Donachi and family of Huntsville road have moved into the Wilson home formerly occupied by the Andersons on Franklin street.

Paul Shaver is confined to his home on Huntsville road with sinus infection.

Mrs. Leonard Harvey, formerly of Franklin street, moved home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Weintz of Meeker for the duration. Mr. Harvey is in the Coast Guard. Mr. and Mrs. Paul LaBar will move into the house formerly occupied by the Harveys.

Mrs. James Huston entertained members of her bridge club at her home on Norton avenue Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk McCarty of Lehman had as guest this week their son, Loren, who is stationed in Maryland with the United States Navy.

George Ayre who is employed in Harrisburg spent the weekend with his family on Lehman avenue.

Mrs. Gerald Detmore of Lehman avenue has had as guest her sister, Mrs. Irene Crawford of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brace of Lake street had as guests recently, the latter's sister, Miss Marion Davies, R. N., former anaesthetist at Scranton Hospital enroute to the induction center, near Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Machell Hildebrand entertained at luncheon at her home on Lake street last Thursday. There were twelve guests.

Mrs. Ralph Frantz returned to her home at Huntsville, Friday, after spending ten days in Lancaster with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ella Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Culp of Huntsville entertained friends and neighbors at supper at their home last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Carl Gries and Mrs. Alfred Moore will entertain at the Gries home this evening for the benefit of the East Dallas Methodist Church.

Robert Prynn who is employed in Rochester, visited the Giles Wilsons and the Ted Wilsons at East Dallas on Sunday.

Mrs. William Lancio of Claude St., who submitted to an operation at General Hospital last week is recuperating nicely.

Mrs. Royal Love of Meehoopany spent several days this week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones of Claude street.

Mrs. Arthur Culver has been ill at her home on Machell avenue with gripe. Young Lee has been staying with his grandmother in Kingston during his mother's illness. Art Culver of Elizabeth, N. J., spent the week at home.

Mollie Durbin who submitted to an operation for appendicitis at Nesbitt Hospital returned to her home on Franklin street last Thursday. She is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Michael of Elizabeth street celebrated their 16th wedding anniversary with open house on Washington's Birthday.

Mrs. Blodwin Williams of Jackson spent last Monday with relatives in Nanticoke.

### Mrs. Harry Snyder Is Hostess At Bridge

Mrs. Harry Snyder of Claude St., entertained at a dessert luncheon and bridge honoring Mrs. Charles Jones yesterday. Pink and blue table decorations were used. Present were Mrs. Art Culver, Mrs. Daniel Sutch, Mrs. James Huston, Mrs. Kenneth Challenger, Mrs. L. L. Richardson, Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain, the guest of honor, and the hostess.

### Celebrates Birthday

David Hudak celebrated his 6th birthday anniversary with a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hudak of Overbrook avenue last Sunday. Present were Marianna Zimmerman, Mary Louise Ruzickak, Dorothy Stash, John Hudak, Albert Hudak, Mr. and Mrs. Hudak and David.

### Mrs. Frances Culp Is Hostess At Supper

Mrs. Frances Culp was hostess at a supper party at her home in Huntsville Sunday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elston, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nuss, Arthur Nuss, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Culp, and Mrs. Ralph Frantz. Arthur celebrated his birthday anniversary.

The Elstons and the Roberts arrived in a fine two-seated surrey.

### Entertains Club

Mrs. Charles Jones entertained members of her bridge club Tuesday evening. Present were Mrs. Harvey McCarty, Mrs. Carl Kuehn, Mrs. John Yaple, Mrs. Milford Shaver, Mrs. Betty Warhola, Mrs. Ross Lewin, Miss Gertrude Wilson and the hostess.

### Miss Anna Dugtar Marries Lloyd Storey

Miss Anna Dugtar of Nanticoke became the bride of Lloyd Storey of Centermoreland at the Noxen Tabernacle Saturday, February 27. Rev. Harry E. Rundell performed the ceremony.

Attendants were the bride's sister and William Storey, brother of the bridegroom. A reception for members of the immediate families was held at the Dugtar home in Nanticoke following the ceremony.

Joe Elicker of Somer's Point, N. J. spent Wednesday and Thursday of this week as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Risley, Huntsville road.

Mrs. John Honeywell is a patient at Nesbitt Hospital where she submitted to an appendicitis operation. Her condition is good.

Mrs. John Durbin has been ill at her home on Franklin street this week.

Staff Sergeant Robert F. Garris has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garris, East Center street, Shavertown. Staff Sergeant Garris has been transferred to the states after doing foreign service for the past year. He will report Sunday to Camp Edward, Mass.

Carl N. Bruns, better known to his friends here as "Bud" came down from New Haven, Conn., during the rationing vacation last week to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Dennis Enright of Fernbrook. "Bud" spent last winter here and attended the Borough School.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hudak of Overbrook avenue had as weekend guest their daughter, Marie, of Newark, N. J. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Wysik of Shavertown and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kasterko of Wilkes-Barre visited at the Hudak home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Splitt and Mrs. Velton Bean of Casetown were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Warner and family of Dallas on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elton Brace, Elaine, Arlene and Evelyn Brace of Hunlock Creek and Miss Marlene Cense of Casetown were recent guests of Mrs. Bean.

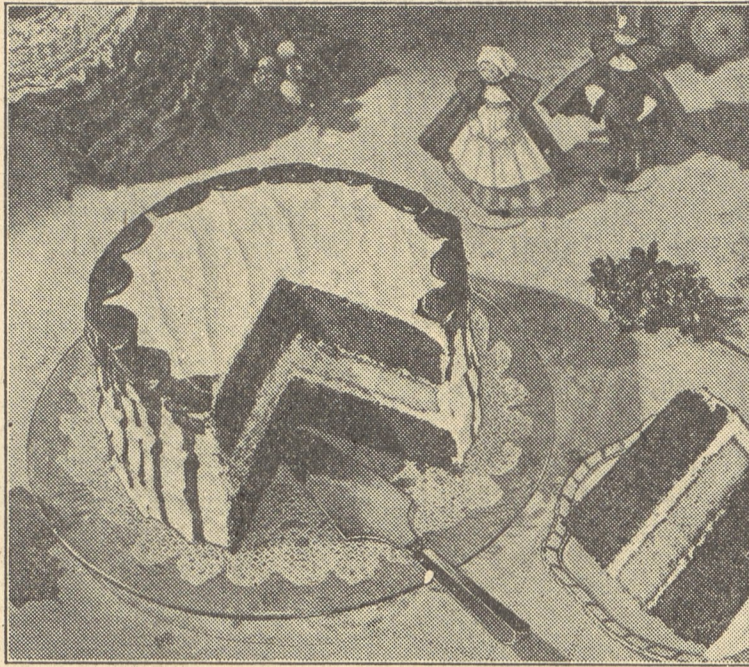
Mrs. Roy Tyson of Alderson spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Willard Race.

Adolph Swelgyn of Jackson left last Sunday afternoon for Baltimore. Bert Cumberland of Newark, N. J., spent a few days with relatives in Jackson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Major of Lehman announce the birth of a son, Thomas Bryce, in the General Hospital, on February 22nd. Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Lanyon of Shavertown announce the birth of a baby daughter, Carol Elizabeth, on the same day, February 22nd in the General Hospital.

Machell Hildebrand who is employed at Bethlehem Steel Works will spend this weekend with his wife at their home on Lake street.

## Festive Shadow Layer Cake Easy—Quick—Thrifty



If you're extra busy, you'll be delighted with this new Shadow Layer Cake recipe. It's easy to make, quick to bake, thrifty—and the result is as pleasing to see as it is delicious to eat.

And remember that chocolate is a food as well as a confection, so this marvelous looking cake is energy-giving and fatigue-resisting too—because it's made with Semi-Sweet Chocolate and other nutritious ingredients.

**Shadow Layer Chocolate Cake**  
**Chocolate Mixture:**  
 1½ 7 oz. packages semi-sweet chocolate, melted  
 ¼ tsp. salt  
 3 lbs. boiling water  
 2 tbs. shortening  
 Melt chocolate over hot water. Add salt, water and shortening all at one time and stir just enough to blend thoroughly. Set aside to cool, then make the following batter:  
 3 cups sifted cake flour  
 4½ tps. baking powder  
 ½ tsp. salt  
 ¼ cup shortening  
 ¼ cup sugar  
 ½ cup strained honey  
 1½ tps. vanilla  
 2 eggs, whole  
 1 cup milk  
 Mix and sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cream shortening, add sugar gradually, then honey. Add vanilla, whole eggs and yolks, one at a

time, beating well after each addition. Add flour mixture alternately with milk.  
 Grease and wax-paper line three 9" layer pans. Pour 2¼ cups of this white batter into one pan. Add cooled chocolate mixture to remaining batter. Stir until thoroughly blended and pour into remaining two pans.  
 Bake at 375° F. Time: 25-30 min. Yield: 3-9" layers.  
**Frosting:** Sugarless Shadow Frosting.

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 2 egg whites, unbeaten  
 1 cup light corn syrup  
 ¼ tsp. salt  
 1½ tps. vanilla  
 15 marshmallows, quartered  
 Combine egg whites, syrup, and salt in top part of double boiler and mix thoroughly. Place over rapidly boiling water and beat constantly with rotary egg beater (preferably electric) until mixture will hold a peak (5 to 7 minutes).  
 Remove from heat, add vanilla and marshmallows and continue beating until cool and thick enough to spread. Frost cake, putting white layer in the middle.  
 Then melt ¼-7 oz. package Semi-Sweet Chocolate and add 2 tbs. shortening. Drip chocolate from a teaspoon around outer edge and let it run down sides.  
 Yield: Frosting for tops and sides of 3-9" layers.

## Friends Help Idetown Scouts Celebrate Birthday At Party

Eight years old! Yes, that's just how old the Idetown Girl Scout Troop 30 is. They celebrated their eighth birthday at a party Saturday evening in the Church house in an atmosphere of first, solemnity and later, gaiety.

During the first part of the evening there was Investiture Ceremony with Mrs. Stanley Davies of Dallas presenting the badges and awards. Helen Welsh received a five-year pin and as the oldest Scout in the group presented the birthday cake to the troop. Second Class badges were received by Elsie Jean Ide and Lorraine and Evalyn Keller. Prizes were given to three girls who tied for earning most badges during the year. They were Irma Calkins, Ethel Ide and Lorraine Keller.

The girls entertained their guests with music and demonstrations of the things they have learned during the past year. Then refreshments were served by the committeewomen. Some of the guests, members of the Lehman Girl Scout Troop and their leader, hiked to Idetown and back to attend the party.

Those present were: Priscilla Abbott, Mary Adams, Polly Lou and Priscilla Cooper, Mildred and Dorothy Wentzel, Betty Lewis, Edith Sutton, Mrs. Claude Agnew, Doris Ide, Mrs. Harry Ide, Mrs. David Ide, Mrs. Stanley Davies, Mrs. Wilbert Hoover, Mrs. John Nulton, Mrs. Marian Calkins, Mrs. Steven Calkins, Mrs. Corey Meade, Dorothy Meade, Reverend Frank K. Abbott, Florence Hausch, Mrs. Raymond Garinger, Mrs. Francis Garinger, Mrs. Raymond Warner, Hilda Warner, Mrs. Ralph Welsh, Elizabeth Sorber, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rossman, Mrs. Bruce Williams, Nancy Williams, Mrs. Earl Lamoreaux, Bess Cooke, Doris Dymond, Eula Dymond, Doris Rossman, Marion Heck, Barbara Williams, Ann Husted, Doris Ann Spencer, Ethel and Jean Ide, Helen Welsh, Lorraine and Evalyn Keller, Irma Calkins, Betty Warner, Hazle Garinger, Elsie Jean Ide and Marilyn Williams.

The troop held their weekly meeting Monday night after school in the church house, when they formed new patrols. The intermediate patrol presented a pantomime.

## Woman's Club Votes To Meet Evenings

Executive Board of Dallas Woman's Club have announced that the next meeting of the club will be Wednesday, March 16, at 8 o'clock in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Dallas. Vote taken at the last club meeting chose evening in preference to afternoon as the meeting time for the future. Al Bryden will entertain at the meeting with movies of the Pearl Harbor attack.

The Board met at the home of Mrs. Carl Dick, Overbrook avenue, Tuesday afternoon. Present were: Mrs. Howard Woolbert, Mrs. Rodney Derr, Mrs. Donald Nelson, Mrs. Charles Wheaton Lee, Mrs. George Stolarick, Mrs. Clarence Adams, Mrs. Robert Breslin and Mrs. Fred Eck.

## Hear Talk On Canning

Mrs. John Rebennack entertained a number of neighbors at her home in Meeker Wednesday afternoon to hear Miss E. Nitzkowski talk on canning. March 24, Miss Nitzkowski will talk at the Rebennack home on clothing. Every one is invited to come.

Present Wednesday were Mrs. Russell Steele, Mrs. Ruth Rogers, Mrs. Charles VanBuskirk, Mrs. Walter Wolfe, Mrs. James Davenport, Miss Maude Wolfe, Miss Letha Wolfe, Miss Nitzkowski and the hostess.

## To Hold Dime Dance

A Dime Dance will be held by the Junior Class of Dallas Township High School in the High School Auditorium on Tuesday evening, March 9th from 7:30 to 10:30.

## Mr. and Mrs. Peter Oberst Are Hosts at Dinner for Son, Paul

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Oberst of Fernbrook road entertained at a family dinner Sunday honoring their son, Technical Sgt. Paul, who is home from Ecuador, S. A., on furlough.

Guests were: Mrs. Bernard McNelis, and children, Billy, Alice, Nancy, Mary and Bernie, Jr., of Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Oberst and Carl, Jr., and Barbara of Plains;

Mr. and Mrs. Ty Carr of Jersey City; and children, Joan, Jean, and Mary Lou of Jersey City; Miss Alice Oberst of Philadelphia; Mrs. James Oberst and Jimmie, of Kingston; Joe Oberst and Mrs. Jean Hutchinson of Muncy Valley; Mr. and Mrs. H. Garey, of Kingston; Mrs. Mary Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Rex, Thomas Amos, Bety Rose of Luzerne.

## Mrs. John Hildebrand, Hostess To W. S. C. S.

Mrs. John Hildebrand was hostess to members of Meeker W. S. C. S. at her home last Wednesday. Mrs. Viola Hoover assisted her. Present were Mesdames Mae King, Edith King, Dorothy Steele, Ruth Rogers, Edna Karschner, Elva Drabick, Marie F. Wolfe, Cassie Decker, Alberta Foss, Florence Davenport, Edith Weintz, Minnie Rebennack, Edna Rebennack, Mattie Sites, Pauline Slocum; Misses Maude Wolfe and Letha Wolfe; Dale Hoover, Margo Davenport, Edward King, Judith Steele, Russell Steele Jr.; Rev. and Mrs. Walter Forred and the hostesses.

## Drop In Party

A drop-in party was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Giella at Vernon on Thursday night. Present were Nellie Dailey, Gladys Dailey, Tillie Gudman, Mrs. Marie Wright, Mrs. Anna Rogers, Mrs. Francis Rogers, Mrs. Helen Eggleston, Mrs. Lillian Turner, Mrs. Edith Turner, Mrs. Mary Weida, Mrs. Cleo Faux and the hostess.

## War Stamp And Bond Booth Has Good Week

Approximately \$45 was taken in by members of Dallas Woman's Club at the War Stamp and Bond booth in Dallas Postoffice last Friday and the same amount by women of the Nesbitt Hospital Auxiliary on Saturday morning. Booths are in charge of Mrs. Thomas Robinson and Mrs. H. A. Shappelle.

Enthusiastic response is being received in the schools of the Back Mountain area, too, all of whom are helping sell stamps and bonds among students.

## Nine New Members Join Durbin S. S. Class

Nine new members were taken into the Durbin Sunday School Class at their meeting at the home of Mrs. Lester Evans, Goss Manor on Friday evening. They were Mrs. Kenneth Challenger, Mrs. Clyde Gruver, Mrs. Leslie Warhola, Mrs. William Sarley, Mrs. Willard Johns, Mrs. E. C. Weichel, Mrs. William Lancio, Mrs. Philip Cheney and Mrs. James Gansel. Others present were: Mrs. Lois Lewis, Mrs. Jessie Gruver, Mrs. Margaret Bryden, Mrs. Helen Llewellyn, Mrs. Sarah Williams, Mrs. Bertha Williams, Mrs. Betty Challenger, Mrs. Gertrude Bodycomb, Mrs. Ruth Lewin, Mrs. Dorothy Sutch, Mrs. Dorothy Huston, Mrs. Helen Chamberlain, Mrs. Marian White, Mrs. Jean Richards, Mrs. Toabey Wildamfield, Mrs. Neal Weichel, Mrs. Betty John, Mrs. Hortense Shaver, Mrs. Grace Richardson, Mrs. Beth Jones, Mrs. Martha Elston, Mrs. Betty Warhola, Mrs. Sylvia Kuhner, Mrs. Emma Stookey, Mrs. Catherine Evans.

## Herbert Culp Passes Aviation Pilot Tests

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Culp of Huntsville have received word that their son, Herbert, who has been stationed at the Cadet Center, San Antonio, Texas, has successfully passed all tests and has been recommended for training as an aviation pilot. The news was conveyed in a personal letter written by Major General G. C. Grant in which he emphasized the fact that tests for pilots were extremely rigid and congratulated Mr. and Mrs. Culp on Herbert's success.

Herbert who enlisted January 16, is a graduate of Lehman High School where he was a member of the football and wrestling teams.

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MONDAY AND TUESDAY  
**"They All Kissed The Bride"**  
 Joan Crawford - Melvin Douglas  
 CARTOON AND COMEDY

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY  
 ● DOUBLE FEATURE ●  
**"Wild Cat"**  
 Richard Arlen  
**Shepherd of the Ozarks**  
 The Weaver Brothers and Elviry