

### Raymond Carlin Dies Suddenly

#### Prominent In Fruit Growing Business

Raymond Carlin, 73, East Dallas, dropped dead Saturday night at 9, in the kitchen of his home while listening to the radio. His wife had spoken to him not five minutes before, then returned to the kitchen to find that he had succumbed to a heart attack.

Twelve years ago Mr. Carlin fell out of an apple tree and injured muscles around his heart. Realizing that the heart was weakened, he took precautions to do no heavy lifting or place undue strain upon it, but continued with his regular work in the fruit orchards. The Thursday before his death he had driven to Fernbrook on business, and had repaired a chicken coop without feeling any ill effects. His death was completely unexpected.

He was born at Auburn, Susquehanna County, son of Asa and Rhoda Black Carlin, one of a family of ten children. His father, a Civil War veteran, was confined in Andersonville Prison, later exchanged for a Confederate prisoner.

Mr. Carlin attended school in Springville at a time when students from outlying districts boarded during the school year with families in the larger centers.

Upon marriage with Carrie Comstock, Wilkes-Barre, he moved there and established a contracting and building business. Thirty-eight years ago he purchased acreage in East Dallas and planted fruit orchards on property formerly owned by Frank Moore. Since that time he has been a prominent figure in the apple business.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Myra, at home; two sons, Paul Binghamton; and Ray-

### Orchardist Dies At Sweet Valley

#### Frank Edwards Has Heart Seizure

With the unexpected death on Saturday of Frank Edwards, 81, Sweet Valley, another well known octogenarian has passed from the Jack Mountain scene.

Mr. Edwards had been sorting apples in his apple house and had mounted his truck to make a delivery when he was stricken with a heart attack and died instantly. For the two weeks previous he had complained of occasional slight pain, but had not been incapacitated. He had never been ill, though earlier activities had been somewhat curtailed of late by advancing age.

Born in Lake Township, son of Albert and Sara Ann Edwards, he moved to Wilkes-Barre where he owned and operated a grocery store on Carey avenue. In 1906 he and his wife, the former Isabelle Long, purchased a three-acre farm in Sweet Valley, and went into the apple business, supplying local and Valley customers.

His father was a Civil War veteran, his grandfather a Revolutionary veteran. The original family homestead was in Litchfield, Connecticut.

He attended Wyoming Seminary and Wilkes-Barre Business College upon graduation from Lake Township schools.

Mr. Edwards' wife died three years ago, shortly after the couple had celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lee Bittenbender, Plymouth; and Keziah, R. N. at home; a granddaughter, Mrs. Coray Miller, Wyoming; a great granddaughter, Sally Lee, and a sister, Mrs. Nancy Jymond, Burbank, Cal.

Funeral services were held at Sweet Valley on Wednesday at 2, with Rev. E. J. Waterstripe, Rev. Ira Button officiating. Burial was in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Bearers were: Aubrey and Ken-

mond, Snowshoe; eleven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Grace Eggbert, Washington, N. J.

The funeral, conducted by Rev. Arthur Andrews, East Dallas Methodist Church, was held at the home on Monday at 2, with burial in Hanover Green Cemetery.

Bearers were William, Harry, and Robert Nicholson; Wilson Rymann, Raymond Elston, and Harold LaBar.

### Christmas Party For Library Book Club

Back Mountain Library Book Club will hold its Christmas meeting Wednesday at the library at 2 P.M. The program chairman, Mrs. Carl Hedden, has arranged a Christmas program, and Christmas tea will be served by the hostess committee, Mrs. Walter Elston, chairman.

The Christmas tree, donated by Mrs. W. F. Newberry, was trimmed by Mrs. Herbert Smith, Jr. and Mrs. Stephen Davis. The sturdy standard was purchased from the contingent fund, and is rugged enough for years of service. Lights in the base replace the customary tree lights.

Hostesses are: Mesdames A. G. Rutherford, Roger Owen, F. W. Reinfort, J. H. Reeves, Edward Ribotski, Daniel Richards, L. L. Richardson, Stanley Rinehmer, Al Rinker, Anita Rinus, Howard Risley, Charles J. Roberts, Lewis Rogers, Daniel Robinhold, James Robinson, and Harold Rood.

### Serving At Fort Bragg

Earl Beahm, Jr. Noxen, has enlisted in the U. S. Army for three years and is now stationed at 2nd Field Hospital, Fort Bragg, N. C. He would appreciate cards and letters from his friends.

William Williams, Stanley Hontz, Carl Rood Otis Allen, and Daniel Davenport.

### Jacob Johnson Dies At Idetown Nov. 21

(Contributed) Jacob Johnson passed away at his home at Idetown November 21, 1950.

He was born at Idetown, Lehman Township, October 23, 1872, the son of Peter D. and Amanda Johnson.

He had resided in Idetown his entire life.

He was survived by the following children: Arthur, Berkshire, N. Y.; Raymond, Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Ira Pifer, Idetown; Laura, at home; and one grandson, Donald.

The funeral was held at the funeral home, 81 Main street, Dallas, on Saturday, November 25, 1950. Rev. Frank K. Abbott, Idetown Methodist Church, officiated.

Bearers were William Casterline, Howard Brice, Fred Sutton, Elmer Hoover, and Nelson Rogers. Interment was in Idetown Cemetery.

### Benefit For Noxen Fire Department

Ladies Auxiliary, Noxen Volunteer Fire Department, will help defray cost of a recently purchased fire truck by staging an all-out Christmas celebration on Thursday.

Lunch will be served at noon in the Fire Hall, followed by a children's party at which Santa Claus will appear bearing gifts. At 5:30, service will start on a ham dinner. Small parcel post packages will be on sale throughout the afternoon and evening.

### Girl Scouts Make Headway On Badge

Girl Scout Troop 54, with seven weeks of ceramics instruction and two weeks to go after Christmas, will have fully earned its ceramics badge by the end of January. A number of interesting items have been turned out, including decorative plaques to hang on the wall, ashtrays moulded by the rolled tube process, and small animals. Members of the group who are

interested have been going for an extra period to Mrs. W. E. McQuilkin's home on Franklin street Saturday mornings for further work. Mrs. McQuilkin, leader, has been using the Girl Scout Headquarters Kiln, lent to her for the winning of this badge.

Not content with teaching ceram-

ics to the girls, Mrs. McQuilkin has also been working with five Boy Scouts for the past five Saturday mornings for further work. Two more sessions will finish this course, and Leslie Bars-tow, Donald Roeska, Donald Rein-furt, Bill Reeves and Don McQuil-kin will be able to use their trophies for Christmas presents.

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