

Famed Holstein Herd To Be Sold

Shoemaker Brothers To Quit Business

One of the outstanding Holstein herds of the country will be broken up with the dispersal sale and farm auction at the famous Shoemaker Brothers Sunny Side Farm at West Wyoming on October 20.

For nearly a century the Shoemaker family has operated Sunny Side Farm. Ira R. Shoemaker, the father, was in the cattle business for fifty years and in the dairy business at Sunny Side Farm.

His sons John R. H. Shoemaker, James D. H. Shoemaker and the late George H. Shoemaker, who died last February, carried on and improved the work of their father. For the past thirty-seven years they have been breeding Holsteins for better type, size and production with sire from famous herds such as Dunloggin and Lauzmont Farms.

The herd has consistently been among the leaders for production in Luzerne County Cow Testing Association.

All cattle and farm equipment will be sold. Howard Sands is the auctioneer and Ralph Sands will read pedigrees.

Ostensibly to settle an estate one of the main factors for the sale is inability of the owners to obtain skilled farm help.

Book Club To Hear Mrs. Emma Beinert

Mrs. Emma Beinert, Wide-Awake Book Shop, Wilkes-Barre, will be guest speaker at Wednesday afternoon's Book Club meeting in the Library Annex. Mrs. Beinert will bring with her a display of new books for children, biographies, books on art and travel, books for men, fiction, and mysteries. Program is in charge of Mrs. James Langdon.

Arranging for the tea are Mesdames James Lacy, V. L. Lacy, James Langdon, Joseph Scherer, D. T. Scott, Robert M. Scott, Willard Seymour, Ray Shiber, D. A. Shindell, Robert Slaff, H. W. Smith, and Miss Miriam Lathrop, Librarian.

Mount Zion Methodist Church Celebrates Centennial



The church with only 208 members, which has recently raised a \$10,000 improvement fund. It has in its membership one of the 26 members of the National Methodist Survey Committee, G. Wesley Lewis, who will serve on the North-Eastern Jurisdictional Conference in 1952.

Senior Girl Scouts Elect Officers

Dallas Senior Girl Scouts elected officers for the year at their Monday night meeting in the Library Annex. Lorraine Owen will serve as President; Jessie Carey, vice president; Peggy Ann Maza, secretary; Gladys Wilson, treasurer.

Seniors are planning a Harvest Dance. There was discussion of plans for a meeting room for Brownies. Refreshments were served.

Nesbitt Auxiliary Meets At Lake Catalpa

Shavertown Branch, Nesbitt Hospital Auxiliary, met at the home of Mrs. Abram Nesbitt, 2nd, Lake Catalpa, Friday night at 8. Four new members, Mrs. Mark Bush, Mrs. I. L. Elston, Mrs. Edwin Gilroy, and Mrs. Malcolm Borthwick, were welcomed. Attendance was 72.

It was announced that Mrs. Elizabeth Conrad would read "The High Hills Calling" Friday at 2 at Shavertown Methodist Church, and that the next regular meeting would take place in the Library Annex November 2.

Card Of Thanks

The family of Mrs. Sarah Baird wishes to express grateful acknowledgement and appreciation to neighbors and friends for their kindness, sympathy, and understanding during the illness and death of their mother.

Week Long Program Of Events Marks Mt. Zion's Centennial

Mount Zion Methodist Church, which is celebrating its hundredth anniversary this week, will have as speaker at the Union service Sunday morning at 10:30 Rev. Roswell W. Lyon, District Superintendent, and for the final Union service Monday evening at 7:30, Bishop Fred P. Corson.

Orange and Carverton will join with Mount Zion for both services. Tonight is Youth Night, with speaker and program under direction of MYF.

Tomorrow is Home-Coming Day, with a ham supper at 5, to which members and friends of the church are invited. Speaker of the evening is Dr. Ralph Decker, Wyoming Seminary. Anniversary week started Tuesday at noon with a turkey dinner for the Ministerial Association. Speaker was Rev. Roswell Lyons who spoke on his recent trip abroad.

Purity Personal

Mrs. Marian Harvey is a patient at Doctors' Hospital, Philadelphia where she submitted to an operation on Tuesday. Her mother, Mrs. George Weintz of Meeker is with her.

Mrs. Henry Peterson, Norton avenue celebrated her birthday anniversary Wednesday and Hank is celebrating his today.

Miss Stella Ellsworth and Dr. Adelaide Ellsworth Weston have closed their summer home at 62 Shaver avenue and returned to Jamestown, N. Y. for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Club of Trucksville Methodist Church will hold its annual Halloween party at the Fire Hall tonight. Howard Ide is in charge.

John Stevenson, former custodian at Shavertown Grade School is seriously ill at his home on Terrace street. Mrs. Stevenson is slowly recovering from a broken hip.

Mrs. James Bonham and Mrs. Harry Hirlinger of Kitchen Creek are spending a few days with the latter's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rood of Lehman avenue.

Mrs. Margaret Dilg has returned to her home in Shavertown after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. John Mack of Jersey City, N. J.

Sgt. Jack Godfring who has been spending a thirty-day furlough


Area PTA Conference Attracts Fifty-Four

Back Mountain PTA Conference, held on Saturday at Dallas-Franklin Township School, attracted fifty-four PTA heads and members of committees from twelve districts. Represented were Trucksville, Shavertown, Dallas Township, Dallas Borough, Beaumont, Mauch Chunk, Sugar Loaf, Forty Fort, and Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. W. E. McQuilkin, chairman, presided.

Mrs. Ira C. Gross, State chairman of program, spoke on necessity for simplicity of planning, and programs in which many members can take part as a means of promoting and sustaining interest.

Mrs. Louise Colwell reported on instruction received at the conference at Slippery Rock last summer. Lunch was served by the cafeteria staff.



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