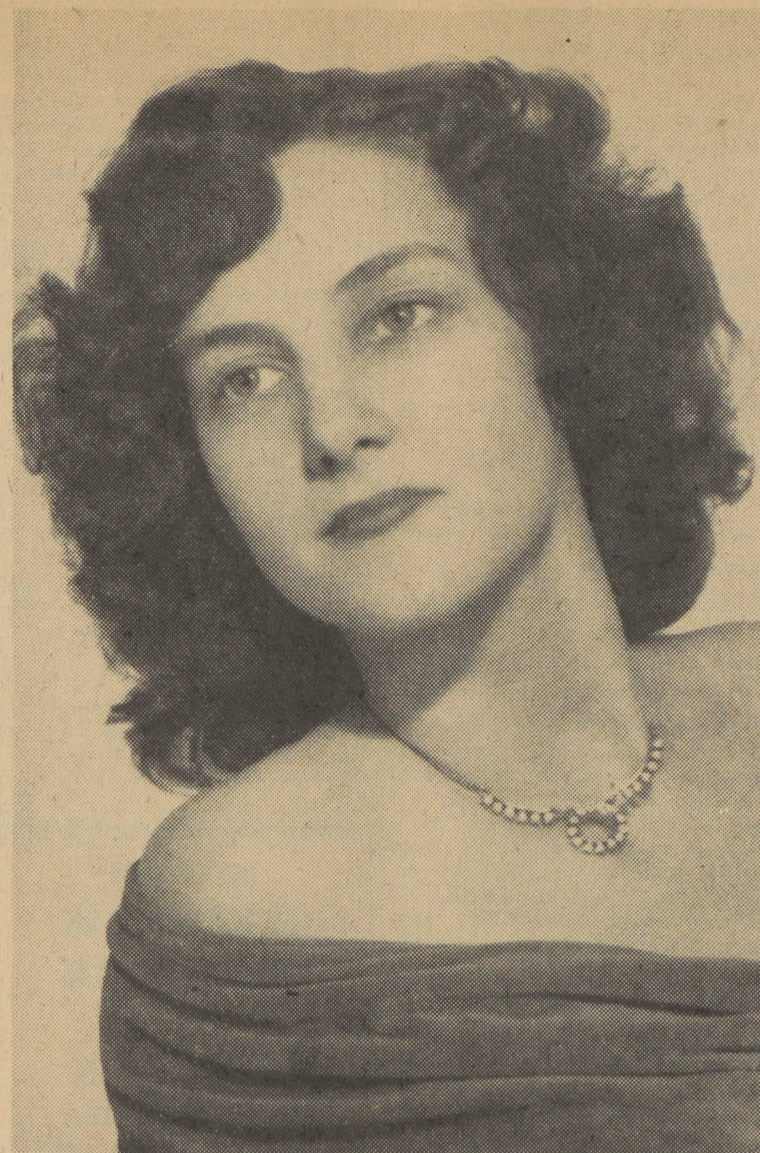


Women Of Rotary Meet At Irem Country Club

Reports on Shut-Ins given at the meeting of Rotary women at Irem Temple Country Club shows seventeen chairs and two walkers now available. A chair was recently given by the Harveys Lake Lions' Club and a plaque placed on one honoring the Harveys Lake Women's Service Club.

Present at the meeting were Mesdames Harry Smith, Paul Mulcey, Paul Gross, Hanford Eokman, George Metz, Charles W. Lee, Robert Bodycomb, Harold Titman, David Jenkins, Ramon Hedden, James Beseker, Joseph Sekera, Francis Ambrose, Norwood Brader, Nesbitt Garinger, L. F. Kingsley, Lester Jordan, Robert Hale, Dan Robinhold, A. C. Garedele and Edward Keller.

Betrothed



MISS SHIRLEY JOAN BRITT

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Shirley Joan Britt, daughter of Edwin Britt, Hunlock Creek R. D. to Burl F. Updyke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Updyke of Sweet Valley.

Miss Britt is a member of the Senior Class at Lehman-Jackson High School. Mr. Updyke was graduated from Lehman - Jackson High School and completed a two year course at Wilkes College. He is associated with his father in the strawberry raising business at Sweet Valley.

The wedding will take place in June.

Because the earth's atmosphere bends the moon's rays, the moon is not actually where it appears to be when looked at from the ground.

Complete Plans For Sportsmen's Dinner

Malcolm Nelson, Harveys Lake, chairman of the annual dinner of Harveys Lake Camp 374 United Sportsmen, entertained the committee at his home Wednesday evening. Plans were completed for the dinner, which will be held at Herman Kern's on the date of the regular monthly meeting, February 25.

Committeemen present were: John Kreef, Harold Gebley, and Carlton Kocher.

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slush, and the lowering sky. What comes down out of the sky during the January thaw runs off by itself. It doesn't have to be shovelled.

And the overworked furnace draws a long sigh of relief. For days on end it has been running top speed, but now it is shutting itself off between bursts of energy, a distinct saving on the fuel bill.

If the family cat disappears late in the evening, ignoring its warm bed in the basement, there is not the suspicion that by morning its tail will be frozen solid, so that a light blow with a small stick could easily knock it off.

Probably, with disappearance of the snow, there will be good hunting. Let the cat forage for himself.

It is once more possible to walk down the street—with an umbrella—with the winter coat flapping loosely open instead of huddled up around the ears.

But it doesn't smell like spring, no matter how mild the weather, or how green the grass that is emerging from the grey and nondescript mass that once was a feathery blanket of purest white.

It smells exactly like a day in the middle of winter, a wet soggy-ness that dampens the ambition.

A bit of sunshine would be heartening, but sunshine does not keep company with the January thaw. Comes the sun, comes the

freeze, and the trusting grass roots wish they were under the snow again.

Folks are always reporting pansies and unseasonable tulip and crocus shoots. The papers are full of them this week.

There's a season for everything, and a perky pansy in the midst of a decaying January snowbank is as out of place as a strawberry in December. The thing to do with that pansy plant is to throw a lot of mulch over it and forget it. Pansies aren't due until May.

And any premature crocus bulb that sends up a green grin in January is going to be a very sad crocus indeed.

It is hard to remember, in the face of the universal panting for spring, that there are two mean months before we can relax, two

months when the blizzard will howl and the winds will screech and the cat will dive for the basement when somebody offers him the freedom of the whirling white outdoors.

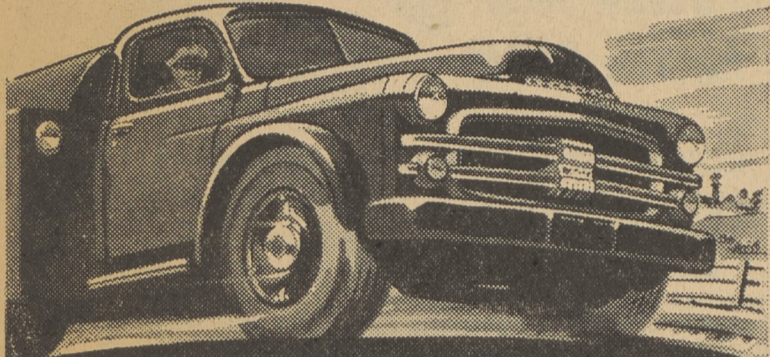
Two more months, in spite of the woolly bears and their over-optimistic predictions.

Two months. And then another month of mingled sunshine, rain and onion snows, before we can say, "It's here."

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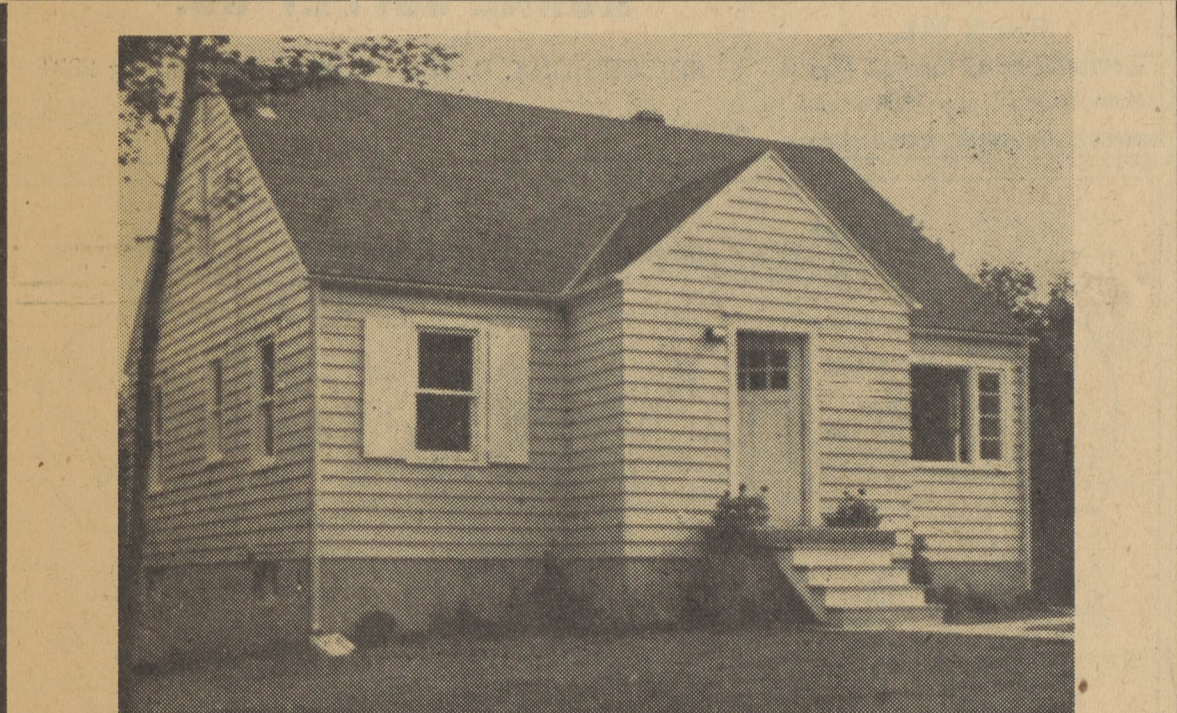
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Back Mountain YMCA Annual Meeting Jan 16.

Lewis LeGrand, chairman of Back Mountain YMCA, announces the annual meeting for next Wednesday night at 7:30, in the Shavertown headquarters on Center Street.

Lehman - Jackson Tri-Hi-Y, under direction of Mrs. Margaret Porter, sponsor, will put on a formal induction ceremony as part of the program.

Orange Co-Ed group will present a skit under direction of Mrs. George Dymond, sponsor.

Harveys Lake YMBSA Club, under Mrs. Richard Sorchik, will have charge of opening and closing exercises.

Lake-Noxen Tri-Hi-Y will have charge of specialties in singing and dancing.

Executive secretary Tug Wyant will give a round-up of the year's accomplishments.

Dallas PTA To Hear Talk On Guidance

Dallas Borough PTA will hear Miss Marietta Babcock, chief social worker for the Children's Service Center in Wilkes-Barre, speak on child guidance, Monday at 8. There will be time after the talk for free discussion and question and answer period.

Leslie Barstow will conduct the business meeting. Victor Cross is program chairman.

Mrs. David Roberts has asked fourth grade mothers to serve refreshments. Mrs. H. Michael Strub and Mrs. Warren Brown will be hostesses.

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