

## Mrs. Hightower Buried Saturday

### Ardent Church Member Laid To Rest

Mrs. Cecelia Hightower, 76, was buried in the family plot in Forest Hill Cemetery, Scranton Saturday morning, following services conducted by Rev. William Williams at the Snowden Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hightower, West Center Street, Shavertown, had been failing in health for some time, but became acutely ill only a short time ago. She died Thursday afternoon, 1:05, at Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

She and her husband Benjamin were pioneers in founding of the small Episcopal mission which eventually led to formation of the Prince of Peace parish. Before marriage to Mr. Hightower, Mrs. Hightower had sung in the choir of Church of the Good Shepherd, Scranton. In the Prince of Peace she was active in the women's organizations.

A native of Scranton, Mrs. Hightower was the daughter of the late John and Maria Parsons. She had made her home in Shavertown for the past twenty-seven years. Her husband, who survives, is eighty-seven.

There are no children, but several nieces and nephews survive. Pallbearers were I. R. Elston, George Albright, Robert and Harold Darrow, Dr. Malcolm Borthwick and Marcus F. Ludt.

## Idetown

The Serving and Waiting Class met in the Church house on Thursday evening. Hostess were Mrs. Thomas Stacey and Mrs. R. Bruce Shaver. Mrs. Stacey led the Devotions. Mrs. Emory Hadsel presided. Present were Mrs. Jesse Boice, Mrs. Chloe Spencer, Mrs. Wesley Hilbert, Mrs. Ernest Fritz, Mrs. Fred Sutton, Mrs. Floyd Hoover, Mrs. John Race, Mrs. Corey Meade, Mrs. R. Bruce Shaver and Mrs. Thomas Stacey.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh and sons, Robert, Jr. and James, of Bound Brook, N. Y. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Welsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Williams recently spent the weekend in Reading. Ruth Ann returned home with the Williams after spending several weeks with the Robert Parks family of Richmond, Virginia.

Laura Lane of Philadelphia was the guest speaker at the morning service and Dr. W. Allen Dean of Alden, Pa. was guest speaker at the evening service on Sunday in the absence of Rev. Frank F. Abbott, who is on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Thomas of Wilkes-Barre, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Welsh returned to their home after a trip to Canada and the New England States.

Donald Williams of Philadelphia spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Williams.

Clark Smith and daughter, Peggy Jane, of Allentown spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Walter Smith. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith and Mrs. Smith took Clark and Peggy Jane home.

Mrs. Clifford Davis and daughters, Glenda and Gloria, spent several days with Rev. and Mrs. Harry Smith of Chenango Bridge, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hilbert of Easton, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Matthews and sons, Robert and Sammy, of Binghamton, N. Y., and Mrs. Lila Felt who flew from Washington, D.C. spent the weekend with Mrs. Wesley Hilbert.

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David Lahr, Lehigh Street, Trucksville, is a patient at the General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Achuff and Mr. and Mrs. George Shaver, Jr., Fernbrook, recently spent a few days in Atlantic City.

Skippy and Tommy Shaver, sons of Mr. and Mrs. George Shaver, Jr., Fernbrook, spent some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snyder, Lehman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, East Center Street, Shavertown, are the proud parents of a baby girl, Judy Ann, born on August 14 in the General Hospital. They also have a son, Bobby.

Miss Mary Koons, South Franklin Street, is spending some time with Mrs. William H. Conyngham at Hillside Cottage, Huntsville Road, Trucksville.

Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Fannon and son Danny, formerly of Wilkes-Barre and now living in Moonarchie, New Jersey, were weekend guests of Rev. and Mrs. Russell Edmondson, Maple Street, Shavertown. Rev. Fannon was guest preacher at the Sunday evening service of the Shavertown Bible Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clifford, Staub Road, Trucksville, and daughter Gwen Clifford of New York City, have returned from Lake George, Canada and a tour of the New England States.

Capt. Howard Young, Maple Street, Shavertown, is at Advanced Officers' Training School in Washington, D. C.

Rev. and Mrs. Russell Edmondson and sons, Warren and David, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Turner, Eatonville. Mr. and Mrs. Turner formerly lived on Main Highway, Trucksville.

Mrs. Mark Bush, Pioneer Avenue, Shavertown, is a patient at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Gensel have moved from Idetown Road, Lehman to Terrace Drive, Shavertown.

Rev. and Mrs. Russell Edmondson and sons were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoover, Idetown.

Marybeth Keast celebrated her tenth birthday with a party at her home, on Harris Hill Road, Trucksville. Those who helped her celebrate were: Joyce Ann Belles, Lynn Graham, Warren and David Edmondson, Freddie and Jimmy Keast and Billie Belles.

Miss Lois Reed of Fair Haven, Vt. has returned to her home after visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Reed, Orchard Street, Trucksville.

Mrs. Corey Rood, Lehigh Street, Trucksville is recuperating at her home after being a patient at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital.

## Organized Play Program Over For The Summer

Back Mountain Town and Country YMCA will bring its playground project to a close this week, with Dallas youngsters having final exercises on the Dallas Borough school grounds today and children in Kunkle tomorrow. Lehman playground closed on Monday, Orange Thursday. Apparatus will still be available for use of children during the remainder of vacation, but organized activity is over.

## See Local Boys Race At Bone

### Clyde Campbell Crowds Les Hoover And Boltz

Clyde Campbell, youthful Harveys Lake chauffer is setting a blistering pace at Bone Stadium, thrilling Friday night patrons at the Pittston raceway. Hard riding Campbell with 198 points, is crowding "Gentleman" Les Hoover, Harveys Lake and "Hurrying" Hank Boltz, Nanticoke, 217 and 220 points respectively, and battling for the lead in the season's point standing competition. Ed Spencer, Nanticoke, now serving Uncle Sam, is still out in front with 247 points. Either or both Boltz and Hoover should pass Spencer's total Friday night.

Other leaders in the point standing most of whom will be in action tonight are: Wild Will Fey, Wilkes-Barre 202; Bill Jenkins, Nanticoke 172; Bill "Flip" Bennett, Scranton 153; Joe Petrokonis, Nanticoke 129; Ray Elston, Harveys Lake 104; Frank Thoma, Wilkes-Barre 104; Bob Compton, Wilkes-Barre 104; Jack Snyder, Wilkes-Barre 101; Jesse Rule, Nuangola 100.

Dave Dixon, Dallas 99; Bill Trimble, Wilkes-Barre 95; Gunner Hayes, Exeter 89; Jim Baker, Nanticoke 87; Bob Markowski, Nanticoke 85; Larry Sando, Nanticoke 78; Charlie Fetterman, Wilkes-Barre 72; Ed Whitman, Wilkes-Barre 66; Hal Lord, Pottsville 62; Cy Spencer, Nanticoke 62; Charlie Praetorius, Stroudsburg 58.

Dana Campbell, Harveys Lake 57; Dale Croop, Berwick 49; Butch Price, Nanticoke 45; Tom Bell, Exeter 41; Mike Thorek, Swoyersville 41; Blackie Balliet, Mifflinville 30; Gene Hassler, Stroudsburg 27 points, and others expected to swell the field to 37 cars.

First race Friday, 8:30.

## Two Cars Total Wreck At Lake

### Nobody Injured In Either Crash

Harveys Lake had two accidents last week, neither of them involving residents or Back Mountain people. Both happened late at night, both apparently the result of going too fast over unfamiliar territory.

A car crossing the Lehigh Valley tracks at the sharp S curve near the picnic grounds turned over three times Thursday night at 12. The family of three, from New Jersey, were uninjured. The car was a total wreck.

Three boys from Forty Fort and Kingston failed to make the U turn at Herman Kern's place Friday night at 1 A.M. Their car plunged down the embankment and was held from being completely submerged by a clump of willows. The boys were not injured, but the car was wrecked, according to Chief Edgar Hughes, who answered both calls.

Hoover's Garage, Idetown, sent its wrecker for both cars.

Peninsula literally means "almost an island."

## Beaumont

There is no baseball game scheduled for August 24.

The Ray Grentons motored to Marietta, Georgia, last week to accompany their son, John home for his furlough. John is in the Air Corps and is stationed at Marietta.

Mrs. William Rifenberry was hostess to a group of friends at a

"Stanley Party" Wednesday night.

The Frank Bittenbenders have returned to New Jersey after vacationing with the Charles Hilberts. The Hilberts also entertained Mrs. Emma Hon of Tunkhannock and Mrs. Gene Hilbert, Beaumont.

Paul Nulton, II, of Long Island, came home August 11 to celebrate Paul III's fifth birthday.

The Alden Dietz family spent the weekend at Budd Lake, New

Jersey with the Sam Richards.

Mrs. Leona Brace, Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Clayton Taylor, and Tona Taylor were at the Brace Reunion at Harveys Lake on August 17.

The G.I.F. Party sponsored by Crispell Farm Service will be at Beaumont High School on Monday, August 25 at 8 p.m.

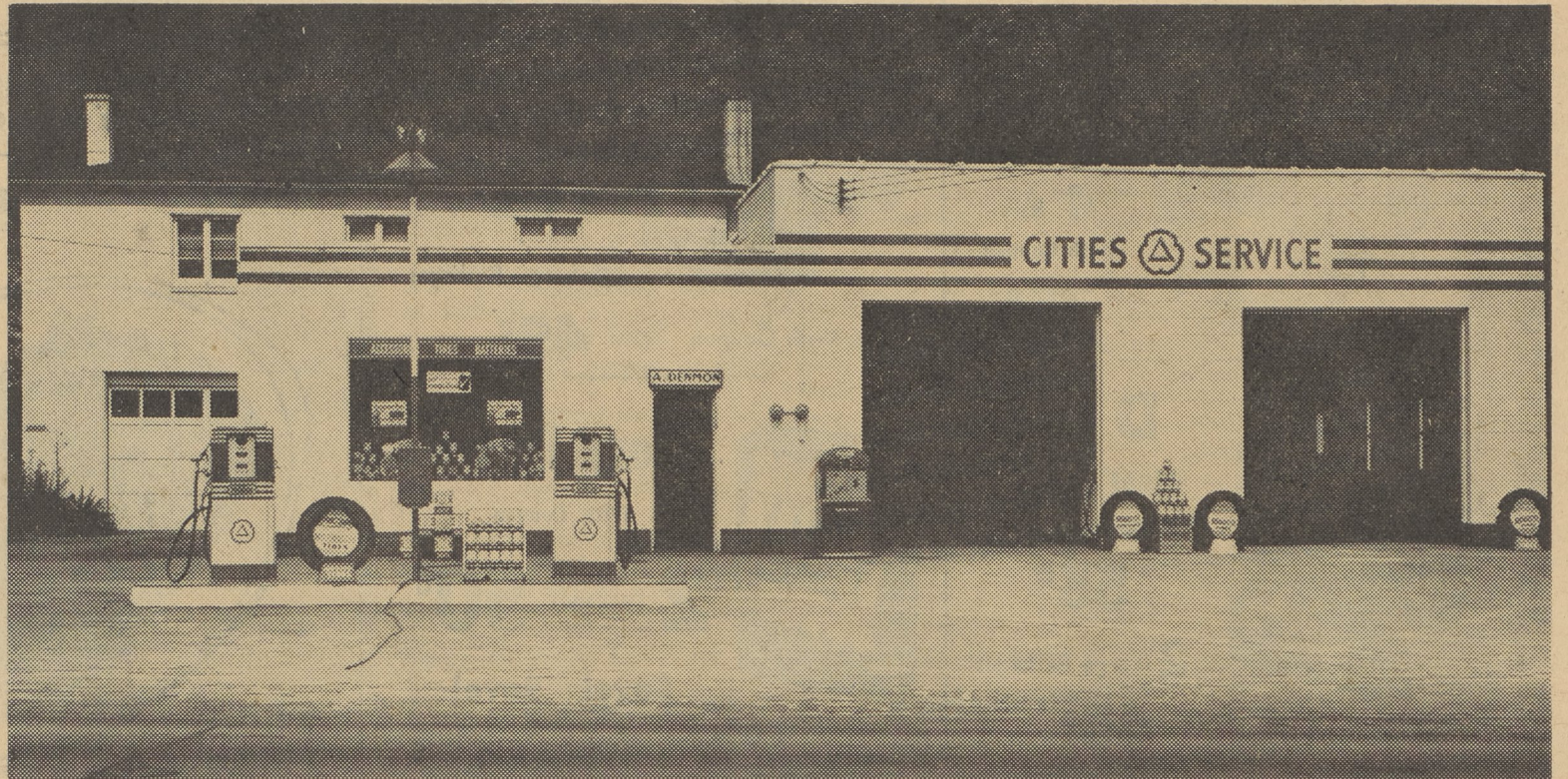
The Elmer Dymond family motored to Rockville, Md., to attend

the wedding of their son, Robert, to Blanche Robertson at the Montrose Church of God on Saturday.

A group of friends surprised the Willard Wetzels with a covered dish farewell party Saturday evening. The Wetzels have left to live in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Ruth Mowry is with the Raymond Denmans after spending six weeks with her son, Henry, at Montrose.

## New Cities Service Station Ready For Grand Opening



Grand opening of Cities Service Station, Trucksville, is scheduled for Friday, Saturday and Sunday of this week. The station is already doing business, but the free gifts prizes, coupon books and rosebuds to be distributed today and for the two following days will make it official.

There are door prizes, too, with special gifts of Pyrex and Revere

copper ware for the holders of the lucky fourteen tickets.

Cities Service purchased the gas station from William Purcell July 1, and since that date has been making extensive improvements, with a large addition and complete redecoration, black-top parking area, and facilities for all service except major garage repairs.

Andy Denmon has already taken

over proprietorship, operating with the assistance of his son Warren. Andy will probably abandon his job at the Fort Durkee Hotel, Joe Palooka Room, as soon as receipts warrant his spending his entire time at the station.

A quick profile of Andy shows him born at Beaumont and educated at Beaumont High School. His parents are Daniel and Roxie Wilsey

Denmon. His wife is the former Charlotte Monk, daughter of Mrs. Earl Monk, Dallas. There are two boys, Warren and Andy Jr.

The family home is in Trucksville, Main Highway, in the vicinity of Harters Dairy.

Mrs. Denmon is employed in secretarial work by the Valley Oil Company.

Andy likes to hunt and fish.

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