

Former Local Resident Dies At 85 In Scotia

Mrs. Gilbert Whitesell, 85, a former resident of Idetown, died Saturday at the home of her son Reed Whitesell in Scotia, N. Y. She was buried Wednesday morning at 11 from Oakdale Methodist Church, with interment in Oakdale Cemetery.

Born at Hunlocks Creek, she resided in Bloomsburg, Benton and Idetown. She was a member of Idetown Methodist Church and active in its societies before making her home with her son several years ago.

She is survived by her husband Gilbert, Scotia; children: Zora Whitesell, Danville; Drier Whitesell, Trucksville; Mrs. Chauncey Lamoreaux, Bridgeport, Washington; Ruth Whitesell, Schneckady; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Thomas Bonham, Otto and Freas Sorber, Ludwig Whitesell, Hobart Austin, and Lee Trumbower. Arrangements were by Bronson.

Earl Metcalf Dies At Broadway Home

Earl Metcalf, 48, died Monday morning at his home in Broadway. He had been ill for six months, submitting to brain surgery in May at University of Pennsylvania Hospital, but without benefit.

He was buried in Bloomingdale Cemetery Wednesday afternoon, following funeral services at the Bronson Funeral Home.

Prior to illness, he had been employed at the Hunlocks Creek plant of Luzerne Gas and Electric. He belonged to the Broadway Methodist Church.

A lifelong resident of that section, he was the son of the late William and Loretta Metcalf, of Harveyville.

Mr. Metcalf is survived by his widow, the former Minnie Holmes of Broadway; two daughters, Carol, a nurse at the Presbyterian Hospital, Newark; Janet, at home; a son, Lloyd, stationed with the US Navy at Norfolk; a brother, Jack, Harveyville; and two sisters, Mrs. Vera Franklin and Mrs. Edna Yeager, Baltimore.

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Mrs. Hattie Smith, Carverton Rd., Trucksville, has returned to her home after being a patient in the Nesbitt Hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Russell Edmondson, Maple Street, Shavertown, have as their guests, Rev. and Mrs. Robert McIntyre, Tallahassee, Fla. The McIntyres and their three children, traveled from Tallahassee with their house trailer, and are enroute to Buffalo where Rev. McIntyre is candidating for a church.

Howard Young, Maple Street, Shavertown, has been ill at his home.

PFC Edna Frantz, stationed at Fort Sheridan, Ill., is spending a 20-day leave with her mother, Mrs. Bessie Frantz, Trucksville.

George Shaver has returned to his home after being a patient in the Nesbitt Hospital, where he submitted to surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hanna, Sr., Summit Street, Shavertown, have returned home after spending the weekend visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Hanna, Jr., Philadelphia.

Dorothy and Marilyn Eck, children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eck, Lehigh Street, Shavertown, are ill at their home.

Mrs. Kathleen Palmer, Grove Street, Trucksville, is a patient in the Nesbitt Hospital.

Mrs. Nellie Berkheiser, Cliffside Avenue, Trucksville, is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Crews and Mrs. Margaret Dykman of Trucksville, will leave Saturday for Biloxie, Mississippi. Mrs. Dykman will visit her son, Capt Carl Dykman and family at the Air Force Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Pangborn, Keyport, N. J. returned to their home after spending a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bell and Mrs. Robert Steltz, Shaver Avenue.

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MEMORIAL HIGHWAY at Shavertown

Back Mountain Lions Entertain 4-H Girls

Back Mountain Lions entertained girls from 4-H Clubs of Sweet Valley and Bloomingdale Tuesday evening. The annual dinner was served by Kings Daughters, Church of Christ, in the church social hall. Donald E. Powell presided in the absence of Al Davis.

Mrs. Joseph Battison, leader of Sweet Valley 4-H, and Mrs. Lydia Seward, of Bloomingdale, spoke briefly, acknowledging the invitation for their clubs. Mrs. Battison led the girls in the 4-H pledge.

From Sweet Valley 4-H were Janice Bronson, June Wesley, Margaret Maransky, Patricia Masters, Marie Lukavitch, Jean and Mary Drapiewski, Leah, Betty Lou, Mary Carol Klamovich.

Bloomingdale, June Bilby, Joan Hartman, Gail Suttiff, Betty Ann Morgan, Joy Howell, and Gail Kleintob.

Mrs. Battison, starting her third year of 4-H leadership, has been instructing all summer in hospitality, with accent on serving of snacks. Tuesday mornings, 10:30 to 12, members have prepared and arranged snacks under her instruction, and at noon the girls have had a picnic lunch.

Rural Letter Carriers Entertained At Roast

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Kunkle, Sweet Valley, entertained members of Luzerne County Letters Carriers Association Saturday evening at a corn and wienie roast.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Juris and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Youngblood, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Dipple, Nescopek; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johnson, Harveys Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dodson and Bonnie Lou, Hunlocks Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Duff, Mountain Top; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Young, Drums; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mills, Freeland; Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Heller, Wapwallopen; Andrew Perbula, White Haven; Charles R. Reese, Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. George Bronson, and Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Wandel and daughter Flora Lee, Sweet Valley.

Lehman-Jackson-Ross PTA Hears Band Concert

Lehman - Jackson - Ross PTA held its first meeting of the season Monday night in the auditorium. Entertainment was furnished by the high school band under the direction of Bernard Gerrity. Discussion concerned the proposed fence for the small children's playground, with decision to go ahead with its erection.

Jonathan Valentine, president, announced committees. Boyd Dodson, vice president and program chairman, will be assisted by Lillian Burgess, Mrs. Judith Dawe, and Bernard Garrity. Ann Ray heads the By-Laws Committee.

Mrs. Betty Jane Bostic, new teacher of Home Economics, heads the hospitality committee. Assisting her this month were Mrs. Elbert Coombs, Mrs. Alice Elston, Mrs. Leaning Coolbaugh, Mrs. Roskos, and Mrs. Chester Barrall.

Mrs. Margaret Spencer is secretary, Joseph Ellsworth treasurer.

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Youth Fund Rally At Shavertown

There will be a Youth Fund Preparation Rally at Shavertown Methodist Church Monday evening at 8. Rev. Edgar Singer will be the speaker and there will be a film strip on Youth Fellowship.

The Youth Fellowship for the fall and winter season will include the Booth Festival at Lehman Methodist Church on October 20; District Rally at First Methodist Church, Wilkes-Barre on November 15, and Youth Choir Festival at Irem Temple, Wilkes-Barre.

Methodist Youth Fellowship of Shavertown Methodist Church will start its fall program on Sunday. All youth fifteen years of age or above are invited to join.

Beginners Enrollment Closes On Tuesday

Tuesday, September 22, is the last day when beginners may legally be enrolled at the kindergarten in Dallas Borough-Kingston Township jointure. With a present registration of ninety, a few more children can be accommodated. Classes are divided between morning and afternoon, two classes to each session. Bus students are taken in the morning classes. Each parent is responsible for his child's transportation. For students outside the jointure, the charge is \$90 per year. For those within its limits, kindergarten is free.

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