

Local Girl Made State Chaplain

Brenda Hoke Elected At Tri-Hi-Y Assembly

Brenda Hoke, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Neal, Grandview Avenue, was recently elected Chaplain of the Pennsylvania State Tri-Hi-Y United Nations Assembly, which will meet in Harrisburg on March 15 and 16, 1957.

Miss Hoke, a junior at Dallas-Franklin-Monroe High School, is very active in YMCA work in the Back Mountain Area and was instrumental in forming the newly organized Dalpa Tri-Hi-Y Club.

Also attending the North East District Meeting in Scranton, at which the election took place, were Nancy Bean and Connie Smith, representing Lake-Noxen Tri-Hi-Y as official and alternate delegate, respectively. Barbara Cheney and Pat Whitaker were the delegates from the Dalpa Tri-Hi-Y Club of Dallas. Others attending were Janie Carey, Doris Whipp and Mr. Pat Spiegel, Back Mountain Branch 'Y' secretary.

Lake-Noxen and Dalpa Tri-Hi-Y Clubs will join with the group from Wyoming in representing the Dominion Republic at the Model Assembly.

Girls Forming New Hi-Y Club

Induction Monday Night At Library

During the past few weeks, a group of young women of the Dallas area have been meeting in members' homes to form the Dalpa Tri-Hi-Y Club, in which they can join together in work and fellowship and extend throughout the community, high standards of Christian character.

This dream will become a reality Monday evening, when twenty-eight girls take part in an induction ceremony.

Parents and friends are cordially invited to join with them at 8, at the Back Mountain Memorial Library Annex, when the officers of the Tunkhannock Tri-Hi-Y will induct the new club. Refreshments will be served.

Members of the Dalpa Tri-Hi-Y are: Jennie Conden, Elaine Kozemchak, Anne Dorrance, Sandra Baird, Judy Romanoski, Dorothy Kubasti, Mary Kubasti, Naomi Lech, Betty Harris, Pat Hilgert, Jeanne Cobleigh, Sylvia Trewern, Sallie Heslop, Barbara Turner, Ellouise Holmgren, Mae Kingsbury, Connie Keitch, Marion Dixon, Nancy Jane Kreischer, Nancy Tinkelpaugh, Pat Whitaker, Marie Stocker, Barbara Cheney, Brenda Hoke, Carol Soltisichick, Betty Lou Dymond, Janie Carey and Sharon John. Jessie Carey is counselor.

Marian Dixon, Hostess To Township Tri-Hi-Y

Marian Dixon, Elmcrest, was hostess to members of the Dalpa Tri-Hi-Y Monday night when plans were made to hold a dance January 1. Present were Ann Dorrance, Sharon Johns, Betty Harris, Glenda Hoke, Betty Lou Dymond, Pat Hilgert, Marie Stokes, Barbara Cheney, Jane Carey, Sylvia Trewern, Sally Hislop, Barbara Turner, Carol Soltisichick, Judy Romanowski, Sandy Baird, Pat Whitaker, Nancy Kreischer, Nancy Tinkelpaugh, May Kingsbury, Elaine Kozemchak, Connie Veitch, Mary Kubasti, Jean Cobleigh, Dorothy Kubasti, Naomi Lech, and the hostess.

Ruth Darbie To Speak At Shavertown Auxiliary Tea

Mrs. Ruth Darbie, Luzerne County Home Economist, will demonstrate Christmas favors and gift wrappings this afternoon at 1:30 at the Shavertown Nesbitt Auxiliary Christmas tea in the Library Annex.

Mrs. Charles Frick will read the Christmas story. Fifty cent gifts will be distributed by Santa Claus, and members will bring gifts for the hospital hospitality shop.

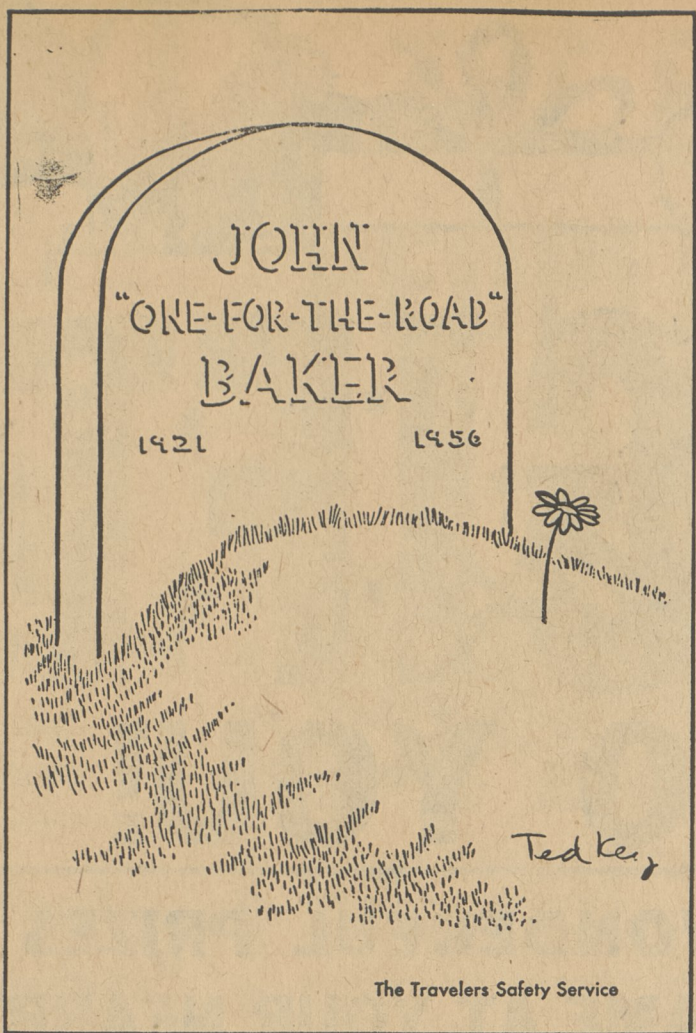
On the hostess committee are Mesdames Eugene Fiske, Florence Finney, J. C. Fleming, Elmer Frey, C. H. Frick, J. H. Gabel, Peter Gallagher, Z. E. Garinger, Frank Garris, Edward Gilroy, John Girvan, J. H. Godtfriing, Albert Groblewski, Raymond Greenwood, and Miss Lina Garinger.

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Fatal Fallacies

by Ted Key



Public Schools Close First Day Of Deer Season, Students Hunt

Public schools were closed on Monday for the first day of deer season. A thin crust of sleet and new-fallen snow made tracking easy. At exactly 7 a.m. the first shot was heard.

The first buck reported at the Dallas Post on Monday was bagged by Stephen DeBarry, Oak Hill, in the woods near the swamp in that area, where he got his buck last year.

Steve got it at 8 a.m. with a 30-30. He had just stopped to open his thermos of coffee when he sighted the eight point buck. By 9, it was dressed out and hanging behind the house. Estimated weight is 180 pounds, the largest he has ever killed.

This is Steve's fourth deer, two bucks and two does. Last year he had mittens and moccasins made from the hide of the first buck he had taken in this area. On each occasion, the kill was made at 8 a.m. Most of his twelve-year hunting experience has been near Thornhurst, before the DeBarry family moved to Oak Hill a year and a half ago.

Blair Haddle, 14, student at Dallas-Franklin-Monroe high school, reported the first deer for the school set. He got an eight point buck on his own property in Kunkle shortly before 9 a.m. and dragged the 180 pounder down a snowy lane and through a field, a distance of two miles, before phoning his mother from Jim Traver's place to come with the car. Blair had it hog-dressed before moving. His father, William Haddle, hunting in Wayne County, called up Monday night to report no luck, and heard about Blair's buck.

Two Lake-Noxen high school boys got bucks within half an hour of the

starting gun, but failed to make reports to the Post. They were Jack Buckley, 14, a seven point 175 pound buck, near Noxen; and Alex Wilson, 13, a buck on Sorber Mountain.

Warren Reed, Dallas, got his buck, three point, 135 pounds, Monday morning in Loyalville, dragging it a mile to his car.

Harry J. Evans, 16, son of Mrs. Florence Sordoni Evans, got a big buck with eight points on the family property adjoining Hayfield Farm, Monday at 3:30. Harry, over six feet-two, and broad in proportion, is a student at Lehman-Jackson-Ross. This is his second deer.

Richard Prynne, Carverton, killed a 5 point 175 pound buck at Sugar Hollow at 9:30.

Sherwood Denmon got one at Beaumont.

Alfred Bronson and son Dean, of Sweet Valley, hunting at North Lake, shot a ten point buck at 8 a.m. just as an Edwardsville hunter from another direction drew a bead on the prize. They slid it down over the rocky ledges on a plank chute, and dragged it through the fields for two hours before reaching the car. This is Dean's second hunting season, and Alfred's first kill. Last year a sleeping deer rocketed up

almost in front of their faces in about the same location, and was gone before the Bronsons could train a gun.

Russell Bigus, Overbrook Avenue, hunting at Dutch Mountain with his brother Michael, Donald Magill, Clem Harris and Al Levandoski, bagged a six point buck, 175 pounds, at 7:45, his third deer in as many seasons.

Edgar Hughes, Jr., instructor at Dallas-Franklin-Monroe, bagged a four pointer with a huge rack, dressed weight 148 pounds, at Lovelton, while hunting with Harveys Lake Chief Hughes' brother, John Hughes, of Larksville, Monday at 1 p.m.

Thomas Goddard, 16, shot his deer at 9 a.m. Monday, having the day off with the rest of the students from Dallas-Franklin-Monroe school. Tom isn't so sure that it is a good idea to kill a deer so early in the morning. He found the rest of the day rather long waiting around for his father and the rest of the party to finish the day's hunting.

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Trucksville Post Office Changes Hours For Convenience Of Patrons

In order to further accommodate patrons, Richard J. Griffith, postmaster, announced this week that effective immediately Trucksville Post Office will remain open during the noon hour from 12:00 m. to 1:00 p.m. instead of being closed as heretofore. This is a permanent change, and means that the hours during which the office will be open for window service will close at noon on Saturdays as usual, except for the Saturdays falling on December 15th, and December 22nd, when the office will remain open until 5:30 p.m.

Patrons are urged to take the following steps to aid the Post Office Department in providing the best possible service during the Christmas rush:

1. Separate letters and cards into two bundles labeled "Local" (Trucksville) and "Out of Town." Each patron is being provided with labels for this purpose, and additional labels are available at the post office. Mail sacks will be placed in the lobby for the convenience of patrons who wish to deposit bundles of mail.

2. MAIL EARLY. It is important to mail letters and cards early, as well as packages. Mail for distant states should be mailed well in advance of December 10, and greeting cards for local delivery not later than December 15, in order to assure delivery before Christmas. It is permissible to mark parcels that are mailed early "Do not open until Christmas."

Patrons are also reminded of the recent ruling making it permissible to enclose written matter in fourth class packages, when properly endorsed to that effect and upon payment of proper postage. Another recent ruling permits the sealing of fourth class packages, without en-

dorsement concerning opening for postal inspection.

Five New Members Join Dal King Jr. Tri-Hi-Y

Joyce Oliver, Beth Weiss, Donna Weeden, Susan Lavry and Phyllis Pope were accepted as new members of the Dal King Jr. Tri-Hi-Y at the recent meeting held at the Y.M.C.A. building in Shavertown.

At the meeting plans were made to collect toys outgrown by local children and distribute them to the needy. Anyone having toys in good condition, will please call Joyce Oliver, Dallas, Donna LaBarr, Shavertown or Marilyn Lipfert, Trucksville. Report on the recent bake sale showed a profit of twenty dollars to be used for community service.

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