

Club And Social Activities In The Back Mountain Area

Purely Personal

Allen Mosier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Mosier, Kunkle Road, will leave tomorrow to resume his studies at Lafayette College.

Jean Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Davis, and Janice Bronson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bronson, Sweet Valley, resumed their studies at West Chester State Teachers' College last Sunday after spending the mid-year recess at home.

Bob VanHorn, member of the Junior Class, is spending the mid-year vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert VanHorn, Lake Street, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Crispell, Park Street, Dallas, have announced the birth of a baby boy at General Hospital on January 24.

Sally Ide, member of the Senior Class at Elmira College, is spending the mid-year vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ide, Huntsville.

Leighton R. Scott, member of the Freshman Class at Haverford College, will spend part of his mid-semester vacation with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Risley, Huntsville Road, Dallas.

Mrs. George Bittenbender is steadily improving after a critical illness at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Funke of Ashley. She is able to walk with crutches now.

Mrs. Oswald Griffiths, Demunds Road, Dallas, and her sister, Mrs. Clement Faust of Philadelphia spent last weekend in New York City and in Highland Park, N. J., where they were guests of their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ichter.

Mary Weir entertained a number of friends at dinner at her home, Goodleigh Farms, Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Isaacs, West Dallas, are spending some time in Dania, Florida.

Dorothy Shepherd sailed Sunday aboard the Monterey for Sydney, Australia, where she will visit friends and relatives.

Lee Ohlman, Dallas, member of the Sophomore Class, and Bob Shepherd, Trucksville, member of the Junior Class at Lafayette College, are spending their midyear vacations with their parents. They will resume their studies over the weekend.

David Goddard has resumed his studies at Lehigh University after spending the midyear recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Goddard, Goss Manor. He is a member of the Junior Class.

Mrs. Harold Shappelle To Address Auxiliary

Mrs. Harold Shappelle will be guest speaker at the meeting of the Shavertown Branch, Nesbitt Hospital Auxiliary, Friday, February 7, at 1:30 p. m. in the Library Annex. Mrs. Shappelle will tell of her experiences while attending the Workshop for hospital auxiliaries at Pennsylvania State University last summer. She is presently corresponding secretary for the State Hospital Auxiliaries, and is past president of the Nesbitt Hospital Auxiliary Board. She is also a member of the local Branch.

Mrs. Charles G. Perkins will preside. Hostesses will be: Myrtle Major and Mrs. Naomi Pauling, co-chairmen; Mrs. George Learn, Ruth E. Lamoreaux, Mrs. Charles Lewis, Mrs. George Liddicotte, Mrs. Austin Line, Mrs. Arthur B. Mayo, Mrs. D. P. Merolla, Mrs. Ruth McHenry, Mrs. Donald Miller, Mrs. Paul Mulcey, Mrs. C. S. Norris, Mrs. William Nunlist, Mrs. Charles Palmer, Mrs. H. E. Payne and Mrs. Charles Perkins.

A USE FOR THOSE CHRISTMAS CARDS

For those of you who have Christmas cards too lovely to discard, now that the holidays are over, Mrs. John J. Welker, Trucksville Gardens has sent a list of Philadelphia institutions that are anxious to have them. Pack them up and send them along to:

Stephen Smith Home for the Aged, 440 Gerard Ave., Attention Herbert C. Jackson.

Western Community House, 1613 South Street.

University Hospital, 2601 Lombard Street.

Council of Churches, 114 S. 3rd Street,

Attention William J. Hedrick.

Child Care Nurseries, 719 Jackson Street.

St. Basil's Orphanage, 1825 West Lindley Ave.

Child Study Center, 111 N. 49th Street, Attention Norman Nixon.

Episcopal Hospital, Front and Liberty Streets, Attention Zora Howell.

Mercy Hospital, 5000 Woodland Avenue, Attention Viola White.

U. S. O., 1330 S. Penn Square,

Wants magazines and reading matter, not cards.

Dallas Chorale Celebrates 10th Birthday In Song, Verse, And Jolly Pantomime



Present and former presidents of Senior and Junior Women's Clubs were invited guests at the Dallas Chorale's tenth birthday party Monday night at The Castle, and former members of the Chorale gathered to help celebrate.

Mrs. Norman Patton, looking backward, said that the original fourteen members had grown to twenty-one within a few weeks of organization, and that during the ten years, 151 women had sung with the group. Personnel changes from time to time, but there is always a hard kernel of singers left to carry on traditions of the Chorale.

Mrs. Fred Eck served as master of ceremonies. Paying tribute to the Chorale were: Mrs. Stefan Hellersperk, Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Harry Ohlman, Mrs. Edwin Roth, Mrs. Ralph Dixon, Mrs. William Purcell, Mrs. Charles W. Lee, Mrs. Alva Eggleston, Mary Weir, and Lettie Culver. It was during the presidency of Mrs. Culver that the former Glee Club was rejuvenated after a lapse of several years, and took the name of the Dallas Chorale. Mrs. Patton, it was recollected, offered to direct until someone else could be found to take the responsibility. The Chorale stopped looking immediately, and Mrs. Patton has been directing ever since. Mrs. William Baker Sr.'s services as accompanist came in for their share of praise.

Mrs. Lewis Reese worked out a clever rhymed version of the Chorale history, which was illustrated in song and living picture. Marge Brown illustrated an old-time favorite, "Kentucky Babe." The "Anniversary Waltz" was acted out by Amy Scott and Arline Rogers. "Peter Piper" was incinerated with great ceremony, its remains crumbled in an ashtray.

Modelling the various versions of garb worn by the Chorale during the ten years were Margaret Purcell in a choir robe; Betty Hanna, black skirt, white blouse, red bow tie; Mary Bennalack, floor length grey skirt and white blouse; Hilda Nelson, floor length green gown; and Wilma

Williams in the rose colored gown used for spring concerts. Shirley Goode coyly modelled the maternity version of the green gown.

Shirley Mahle directed (with knife and fork) a hilarious version of the Chorale's theme song, "She Went Wading in the Water", four members in dated bathing suits taking part. They were: Amy Scott, Billie Elston, Adelpha Mahler, and Gert Schneider.

Mrs. Ted Ruff, music chairman of the Senior Woman's Club, offered a toast to Maude Baker, accompanist; Mrs. Elston of the Junior Club a toast to Betty Patton. Each toast was accompanied by a gift.

The three-tiered birthday cake which formed the centerpiece for the head table was baked and decorated by Billie Elston. Place favors were lapel pins showing musical notes.

Jane Davis played records of former Chorale performances.

A committee which had been scouring the Back Mountain for the past month, sprung a surprise on the diners. Squeals of "That's ME" greeted pictures projected on a screen, showing baby poses of members of the Chorale, some of them very bare, tummy down on a bearskin rug. Showing the pictures were Helen Kishbaugh, Dot Nichols, and Margaret Purcell.

The dinner, which began with The Lord's Prayer sung in unison, ended on a religious note, with the assemblage joining in a hymn traditional in the Back Mountain, "Bread of Heaven." Letter Culver gave the invocation.

Present in addition to those already named, were Mesdames Fred Templin, James B. Huston, Sr., Ross M. Williams, Joseph Goode, William H. Krimmel, Carl Fluegel, Evelyn M.

Seely, Hilda Grifed, Byron Mitchell, Martha Muncie, Glennis Price, Marjorie Downing, Delores Hagel, Leonard Harvey, William Sarley, Reginald Bestwick, Lawrence S. Jones, Howard Garris, Robert Holland, Joseph Katyl, Jr., George Kostenbauder, John McGoe, Joseph M. Perry, Ruth Patton, Robert Stair, Carl Dymond, T. M. B. Hicks, Misses Helen McCord, Patricia Reynolds, Nancy Elston. —Photo by Kozemchak

Edward B. Stringham 2nd To Speak At Scranton

Edward B. Stringham 2nd, West Dallas, manager of Wilkes-Barre branch office of Connecticut General Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., will be speaker at the dinner meeting of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter Society for Advancement of Management at Hotel Jermyn, Scranton, Monday night at 7 o'clock.

He will discuss "Evaluating Employee Benefits." Mr. Stringham has been with the company for the past twenty-five years.

Mrs. Jack Barnes Is Head Of Brownie Scouts

Brownie Mothers met at the home of Mrs. Jack Barnes Tuesday evening and discussed different activities and elected the following officers: Mrs. Jack Barnes, leader; Mrs. Otto Schenck, chairman; Mrs. H. W. Rood, telephone chairman; Dolly Dierolf, transportation chairman; Mrs. Edgar Hughes and Mrs. D. A. Jones, cookie sale; Mrs. Arthur K. Gensel, publicity.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Otto Schenck, New Goss Manor, March 4, at 8 o'clock.

Dallas Senior Women's Club Plans Annual Valentine Dance

Mrs. Robert Dyer and Mrs. John E. Williams, co-chairmen of the annual Valentine Dance sponsored by the Dallas Senior Woman's Club, have named the following members of the decorating committee: Mrs. Floyd Slocum, chairman; Mrs. William Cooper, Mrs. Sam Shaskin, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. Vern Groff, Mrs. Ornan Lamb, Mrs. Ralph Dixon, Mrs. Fred Eck, Mrs. Ben Edwards, Mrs. Kenneth Reed, Mrs. Carl Henderson and Mrs. Paul Monahan. They are planning interesting surprises for the guests.

The affair will be held at the Irem Country Club on Saturday, February 15 from 9 until 1 a.m. Lee Vincent's orchestra will provide music. Proceeds will be used for charity.

Lake-Noxen Tri-Hi-Y, YMCA Sponsor Dance

Tri-Hi Y Club of Lake-Noxen High School, in conjunction with the Back Mountain YMCA, will hold a Friendship Dance featuring "All Stars" in the gymnasium of the school on Wednesday evening, February 12, from 8 to 11.

Following committees were selected: Publicity, chairman, Pat Bialogowicz; Linda Grey, Pat Newell, Joan Newell, Barbara Smith, Tickets, Betty Honeywell, chairman; Pat Kline, Bonnie Kalbak, Florence Laffin, Sandra Loomis, Decorations, Barbara Kennebul, chairman; Joan Newell, Janet Allan, Jane DelKanic, Mary Ann Sevanski, Verma Smith, Food, Pat Kline, chairman; Nancy Carbohn, Diane Greg, Bonnie Kalbak.

Susan Baker Is Six

Susan Baker, Shavertown, entertained fifteen little girls recently at her sixth birthday party. Susan is daughter of Mrs. George Baker, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Ludt, also of Shavertown.

Dallas Boy Receives M.S. Degree At State

William K. Waters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Waters of Huntsville Road, was among the graduates who received a Master of Science Degree at the mid-term Commencement at Pennsylvania State University on Sunday.

A graduate in the Class of 1949 at Dallas Borough School, Mr. Waters attended State University where he received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Agriculture after spending two years in the Air Force.

While studying for his Master's Degree in Agricultural Economics, he served as a part time instructor in the School of Agriculture.

He will now become a full time instructor of Farm Management. He and Mrs. Waters live on the Penn State campus with their young son, Thomas. Mrs. Waters before marriage was Carol Thompson of Pittsburgh.

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