

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davis, Center Hill Road, entertained a number of friends at their home Saturday during the Library Auction.

To Present Family Album
There will be a Family Album and other skits presented in the Orange Community Hall Saturday

evening, July 25 at 8. This is being sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service. There will be fun and refreshments for all.

Montross Family Approves Plan To Give Its History To Library

by HELEN C. WILLIAMSON, Secretary

Back Mountain families, descendants of Samuel, Norton, John and Elijah Montross, originally branched from Reuben Montross, the early settler who lived along the Susquehanna River near Keelersburg, met Sunday, July 12, at Gordon Mather's Knob Hill, Trucksville.

Attendance was not as large as in many years. The thirty-eight who came this year enjoyed fine fellowship, each feeling a certain pride and gratitude for the completion of the authentic Family History and Genealogical Record.

The name had been hard to trace back to its origins in Scotland, Belgium, Holland, France, Canada and at last, North America, because of the various changes in spelling. It took the research of Drs. John W. and Eve Taylor, of Bethesda, Maryland, to culminate all efforts in the 1000-page, "Montross: A Family History."

Libraries all over the U.S.A. and Canada have purchased the book because of this widely scattered and numerous progenated Montross Family, who with others, have contributed in various ways to community, state and national growth. Montrosses present at the 52nd Reunion, one of four similar Montross Reunions meeting annually, discussed, in true Back Mountain spirit, making a gift of the book to Back Mountain Library. Many other familiar Back Mountain names and bits of early settlement history appear in the history. The minutes

bear a note to do this very soon, since we learned the library would be pleased to accept and would like to start, a section for family histories and genealogical records relative to the Back Mountain region.

Picnic dinners were enjoyed. Business session was presided over by Emma Himmler, president; Helen C. Williamson, secretary; and treasurer Carl Montross gave reports.

Standing votes of thanks were given to the Mathers for use of their lovely grove and to Mrs. Walter Kitchen, Idetown, for her gift of several lovely good cheer cards in stamped envelopes for the secretary to send to members of the family, ill or shut-in, unable to attend this reunion.

Recognition was given to several 1959 college graduates and to young people taking athletic and other honors in secondary schools and colleges.

We enjoyed ice cream purchased by Charlotte Mathers.

A new slate of officers was elected for two years; former officers desired to resign after two years of service. New officers are: president, Warren Montross, Noxen; vice president, Clark Montross, Tunkhannock; secretary, Alberta Montross Smith, Kingston; treasurer, Marlene Clark Hardisky, Centermoreland; historians, Floyd Montross, Noxen and Helen C. Williamson, Philadelphia.

At close of business meeting, we turned to pleasant discussion and

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