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**SWEET VALLEY**

**Young Hunter Kills Eight Point Buck:** Congratulations to Guy Zerfoss, III, who bagged an eight point buck within an hour after the hunting season opened. Guy, better known as "Toby," is an eighth grade student at Lake-Lehman High School. He is son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy R. Zerfoss, Jr., Chase Road, Trucksville, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Guy R. Zerfoss, Sr., of Mooretown. In the same hunting party with Toby was his uncle, Ralph Eckrote, Foltztown, who also shot an eight point buck. Guy Zerfoss, Sr., bagged a doe a few days before Christmas. Their hunting was all done in the Mooretown area.

Michael, Nazareth, spent Christmas visiting friends and relatives in the Back Mountain. They are former residents.

On December 19, the Good News Club held a Christmas party. Bible stories were read, games played and gifts of candy distributed to the children. An average of twenty children attend these meetings held each Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long, Mrs. Clayton Edwards conducts the meetings, assisted by Gloria Long.

Barbara and Phyllis Ross, daughters of Mrs. Edith Ross, Broadway Corners, entertained at a Christmas party at their home on December 27. Games were played and refreshments served to Bill Williams, John Darby, Rennie Davenport, Jane Olinitz, Gus Shriner, Helen Dugan, Karen Young, Karla Penny Rav, Alana Mater, Linda Gosart, Bob Grey, Cub Masters, Bob Gross, Bruce Spencer, Tom Evans, Richard Mekeel, Ronnie Culver, Sharon Farver, Johnny Davis.

Bess Klinetob had a lovely Christmas with her nephew and family. Rev. and Mrs. Hugh B. Klinetob, Hugh, Jr., and Elaine, Nanticoke. They also visited friends and relatives in Wilkes-Barre.

Donald Case, Pearl River, N. Y. was guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Case, over Christmas. Also visiting at the Case home on Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. William Bradbury, Luzerne, and Mr. and Mrs. George Koons, with their daughters Diane, Linda and Madeline, Shickshinny. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown entertained the Case family at dinner on Christmas Day.

Corey Smith, father of Mrs. Russell Lamoreaux, will return to his winter residence at Panama City, Fla., today.

Mrs. Joseph T. Battison and Mrs. Cletus Holcomb, Jr., attended the Christmas party of the officers and choir of Eastern Star held at Irem Temple Country Club.

The condition of Mrs. Ann Hoover, a patient at General Hospital, remains the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hunter entertained at a family dinner on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hunter, Brett and Beth Ann, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cornell, Jane, Gail, Harold, Jr., and Carol, Pikes Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Culver,

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Witkoski, Forrest Hills, were Christmas guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Pall, Mrs. Dorothy Flynn, another of the Witkoski's daughters called from Yorktown, Va., to wish the season's greetings to the family. They also talked with their little granddaughter, Valerie Ann Flynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dribelbis, Pikes Creek, were the guests of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dribelbis, Saugerties, N. Y., over the Christmas weekend.

Mrs. Jean Andrews, North Lake, has returned after a three week vacation spent visiting her nephew and family. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Evans, Augusta, Ga., and another nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Evans, Wilmington, Del. During the holidays Mrs. Andrews entertained a group of friends at a Christmas party in her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hunter entertained at a family dinner on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hunter, Brett and Beth Ann, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cornell, Jane, Gail, Harold, Jr., and Carol, Pikes Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Culver,

Mrs. Marie Baker and daughter, Linda, Lake Silkworth, had a Christmas dinner guests, Mrs. Baker's mother and brothers of Nanticoke. Later in the day they visited Mr. and Mrs. John Stichak of Alden. Mrs. Stichak is a sister of Mrs. Baker.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wint, North Lake, had as guests over the holidays, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ondash, Elkins Park. Dinner guests on Christmas Day included Mr. and Mrs. Philip Walters, Forty Fort, and Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Ondash, Kingston.

Bradley Iverson, who was injured September 28, while playing ball, is improved but will remain confined to a wheel chair for another two months. Ten year old Bradley is son of Mrs. June Iverson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baur and son,

Larry and Dean, Bloomingdale. A neighbor, Jesse Bonning, was also a guest.

Pfc. Frank Young, stationed at the Lancaster, N. Y., Missel Base, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young, Sr. Ladies Auxiliary of the Sweet Valley Volunteer Fire Department, will hold a monthly meeting tonight.

Dean Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long, Bloomsburg College, is a member of the cast of "The Plain and the Fancy," a musical comedy depicting the life of the Amish people. Dean, who was master of ceremonies for the October Freshman Talent Show at the college, will have the role of Abner Zook. This musical is being presented by the Musical Chorale and the College Dramatic Club, "The Bloomsburg Players," some time in February.

Sweet Valley Firemen will hold their monthly meeting on January 11. Plan to attend as these meetings are most important. Loren Cragle, Jr., president, will preside. Lorie Briggs, entertained the Christian Conquerors of the Church of Christ at a Christmas party at her home.

Three beautiful pheasants have taken up residence in our garden. They are a delight to watch, and have been entertaining our little ones during the holiday vacation. We had a very nice Christmas. Of course the children were all up too early, but insisted they wanted to be downstairs to greet their daddy when he arrived home from work at 6:30 a. m. Very early we received a phone call from Al's sister and brother-in-law, Ed and Marguerite Holbrook, in Gulpport, Mississippi. They couldn't make it to Pennsylvania this year, but send greetings to their many friends in this area. Later in the day we visited my family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Martin, and a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Martin, all of Trucksville. I would like to offer my sincere apologies to the

lovely lady down at the other end of our Main Road, who was praying for clear road and good weather for the holidays, while I at my end of the road offered fervent petitions for snow. I am sure Mrs. B. the good Lord heard us both, but just had a little more pity on a harassed mother of five with new sleds. Next year I'll join you in prayers for the clear roads as we'll probably be about due for bikes.

**Fernbrook**

Mrs. Teddy Yop, Demunds Road, has returned from General Hospital where she spent nearly three months. She is partly paralyzed but is making slow recovery.

Holiday guests of Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Derrick were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sigany, Binghamton, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Derrick Jr. and daughter, Cynthia, Montrose and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weekers and daughter, Jane, Scranton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dymond, E. Overbrook Ave. had as dinner guest on New Year's Day Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Dymond and son, Lauren and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eyer of Shavertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams and family, Landsale, spent a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Welitche, Demunds Road, Mrs. Earl Belke, Mrs. Williams' mother, returned home after spending some time with the Williamses.

Elmer Casterline, Carverton, has purchased the William Dymond trailer on Demunds Road and has moved it to his farm in Carverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seward and Jim, Donna and Larry, and Mrs. William Compton, Maplewood Heights, spent the New Year's weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn Compton and son, Harry in Levittown.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Austin, Shavertown spent the Christmas week visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Austin in Lindon, New Jersey.

**TRUCKSVILLE**

Trucksville Fire Company meets tomorrow night; Auxiliary meets Monday night.

Betsy Welker, daughter of Mrs. John Welker, Highland Avenue, has returned to the Amber Campus of Temple University.

**Announce Birth**

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Owens, Rahway, N.J. announce the birth of a son, Scott, December 6 in Rahway Hospital. The mother is the former Anna Mae Wancho, S. Memorial Highway, Trucksville. The couple has another son, Ralph, Jr.

Neil Turner, has returned to Duke University, and his brother, Lee, to Avon Old Farms School in Avon, Conn. after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Archer, Harris Hill Road, had as guests over the holiday weekend their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baxton and family of Chatham, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Evans and son, Timmy, Holly Street, were holiday guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Waltick, Hackensack, N.J. Curtis and Lee Evans, two other sons from E. Hartford, Conn. joined the family for their first holiday together in eight years.

Frances Keeler and Mrs. M. E. Keeler spent last Thursday with friends and relatives in the Pottsville Area.

Harris Hill Road, is convalescing at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shonk have left to visit with their son, John, and family at Commack, L. I. and with Mrs. Shonk's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Andrews of Richmond Hill, L. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Croom entertained during the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas and son, Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mathers and daughters, Dorothy, Margaret, and Nancy.

Mrs. Alfred Frey, Binghamton, N. Y. visited her mother, Mrs. William Hewitt, who recently underwent surgery at Nesbitt Hospital.

James Swales of Northampton and Nadine Love, Forty Fort visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert DeWitt last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Griffiths entertained during the holidays, family of Sayre, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Griffiths and family of Little Falls, N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. Donald May, Harrisburg, and Marie M. Grall, Philadelphia.

**Meeker**

Christmas visits were on the few and far between side because of the weather, but the holiday spirit could not keep 'em all down.

Lt. and Mrs. Dale Hoover and son, Keith, South Hadley Falls, Mass., spent a few days visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoover, Outlet, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cobleigh, Idetown.

Grace Ide, teacher in the Estella School, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ide.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoover were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hoover and sons, Jerry and Terry, Wilmington, Del.; Lt. and Mrs. Dale Hoover and son Keith, South Hadley Falls, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cobleigh, Idetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Austin, Shavertown spent the Christmas week visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Austin in Lindon, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Riutta and son, Mark, Berwyn, Ill., were guests last week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dick, Lehigh Street, left yesterday for Florida where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Plonis, New York City, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Perrin over the holidays.

Mrs. John Heltrick, N. J. came here last Thursday to attend the funeral of her father, Albert Miller.

James Case has returned to Bloomsburg Teachers College after spending the holiday recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Case, Surplus Foods.

Surplus food will be distributed to Back Mountain families Thursday, January 11, at the Trucksville Fire Hall from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Persons are asked to bring boxes or paper containers for loose commodities.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jenkins spent several days during the holiday period with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Orian Jenkins in Cramford, N.J.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Post entertained at dinner during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Ben Post, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Phillips and family of Trucksville and Misses Verna and Gertrude Smith of York.

Wilford Anderson Jr. returned yesterday to Bloomsburg Teachers College, where he is a freshman.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vernon visited her father in State College during the holidays. Her aunt Isabel Grove, a teacher in the Bellefonte Area School system, returned with them to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Weiner, Jr. and family, Highland Avenue, were holiday guests of her mother, Mrs. Allen Dunn in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kistler, Dallas, were dinner guests on Christmas of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mathers, Staub Road, entertained at dinner during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mathers and family of Carverton Road and James Bottoms and son, David, Luzerne.

Birthday greetings to Mrs. John Bell, Mrs. William Williams, Mrs. Earl Hess, Linda Jane Plummer, Karen Williams, Sheldon Hoover, Jr., Hone Beisel, James Powell Hoover, Rebaccann Isaac, Rodney Allan Boyes, Bert Pennell, Robert Clinton, Undvke, and James Strauser.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hess, Montrose, and Mr. and Mrs. Arden Hess, Endicott, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hess during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Woolbert and family, Ambler, visited her father, C. F. Lewis and his mother, Mrs. Archie Woolbert, last Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Saunders, Carverton Road, has returned after visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Saunders, Jr. and family, and her daughter, Mrs. Thomas French and son, all of Richmond Hill, Long Island.

Edward Matthews, who suffered injuries in a fall while walking along

**LOYALVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. John Rasonus are rejoicing over the birth of a new son, William Joseph. They have four other children, Patsy, Linda, Debbie and John, Jr.

Lt. William and wife, Lt. Shirley Hale spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Darnell. They are stationed at Naval Base, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nichols were made happy over the holidays with a visit from daughter, Rita, and son, David from Washington, D. C. David will spend two weeks with grandma and grandpa, Rita's husband, S/Sgt. Daniel Gultius, is serving in France.

Marjorie Sorber, Philadelphia and Sorber Mountain, is spending the holidays in Lorain, Ohio, with niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hummel and family. They are expected to bring her back and spend a weekend with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hummel, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Smith.

Happy birthdays go out to Carolyn Ide, Robert Stuart, Jack White, Molly Pavne, Alfred Martin, Raymond Hedden, Mary Bowman, Peter Kijek, Alice Thomas.

Martha Eckard and son, Curtis, Clay, N. Y., spent the holidays with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Eckard and family. Their son, Robert, his friend, Norman Relyer of Medina, N. Y., and son-in-law, Cpl. J. Winkler, called on them.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Eckard received word that they are grandma and grandpa again. To their son, Walter and his wife, Alko, was born a daughter, Shelly Chiemi Eckerd. They are stationed at Minot Service Base, N. D. She is formerly from Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Boston enjoyed the New Year holidays with daughter, Vesta, husband, Jay

Boone, and family of Buffalo, N. Y., and son, Theodore and wife, Marie and daughter of Tonawanda, N. Y.

Mrs. Wesley Hendricks has been spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Covert and family. With her was her daughter, Cindy. Her husband arrived to spend the holidays. They live at Plainfield, N. J. She is the former Jacqueline Covert.

Although the roads were bad and snowing hard, the Sunday School Christmas program was a huge success. Now a Happy New Year goes to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steltz, sons Larry and David, from Catawissa, spent some time with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Steltz, and Mrs. Mildred Martin and families.

Mrs. Helen Grey, who had an operation in late October, has been recuperating at her home and expects to be able to return to her work at Natoma after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Froelich, daughter Carol, sons Harry, Jr., and Stephen, from Abington, Pa., spent the holidays with her mother, Agnes Sorchik, and brother Walter and his daughter, Marcia.

**Noxen**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parr, Bristol are spending a few days with her father E. B. Engelman.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Shafer and family of Philadelphia, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Dorothy French.

Dave and Nik Fritz visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Housenicht at Trout Run on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doty, Benton and James Casterline, Buffalo, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Osmand Casterline.

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