

Canoists Will Race Down Historic Stretch Of The Susquehanna River

North Branch of Pennsylvania's Susquehanna River-- at the gateway to the Endless Mountains--will be the setting for an Olympic development down-river canoe race Sunday, October 14.

Sanctioned by the American Canoe Association, the event will be conducted over a 16-mile course paralleling U.S. Route 6, in Wyoming County. The race will begin at Myo Beach, near Meshoppen, and will end at the river bridge in Tunkhannock.

It is expected that canoists from all over the northeastern section of the United States will be competing for trophies, along with a number of entries from southern Canada.

The race course is rich in history, for it was over these same waters that a combined force of Tories and Indians descended upon Wyoming Valley for the infamous massacre of 1778. And it was along these same river banks that members of General Sullivan's "navy" accompanied his troops in the reprisal action the following year.

Spectators will find the site ideal for a perfect autumn afternoon. Numerous vantage points along the highway will provide ample opportunit-

ies for "car hopping" and extensive parking and viewing space will be available at the finish line.

Not the least of the affair's attractions will be the magnificent fall foliage of the surrounding mountains, which should be at its peak of coloration at race time.

Tunkhannock is ideally located for contestants or spectators who plan to travel by automobile.

Plenty of hotel, motel, tourist home and restaurant facilities are available, and for those wishing to spend the weekend out doors, arrangements have been made to provide canoists with free camp-site facilities.

The race will consist of six classes: single canoes, single kayaks, mixed tandem, single-blade tandem, double blade tandem and scout class. Entry fee will be \$1.00 up until October 5, with post entry fees set at \$2.00.

Entry blanks may be secured from Roger Van De Meulbroecke, American Canoe Association, 3445 38th Street, N.W., Washington D.C., or from Cecil Krewson, Jr., Tunkhannock.

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Kiwanis Division 15 Honors District Governor Ceader



Seated at the Speakers' Table at the Annual Kiwanis Dinner for clubs of District 15 Tuesday evening, reading from left to right, are Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Thornquist, Mr.

and Mrs. Marshall E. Jetty, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome R. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Ackerson, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ceader, Mr. and Mrs.

Edgar R. Baker. Standing are: Rev. and Mrs. Jule Ayers, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil W. Pepperman, Mr. and Mrs. Marc Ruch,

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Tito, Mr. and Mrs. J. Riley Fulmer, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. T. Brookhouser. Photo by Kozemchak

Dallas Kiwanis Host To District 15 Clubs Honoring Governor J. D. Ceader

Kiwanis dignitaries assembled from all sections of the Commonwealth last Tuesday evening, to participate in the Division 15 Inter-Club Dinner honoring District Governor Joseph D. Ceader and Mrs. Ceader, and to pay special tribute to International Trustee Marshall E. Jetty and Mrs. Jetty.

Three hundred Kiwanians and their wives, representing every Club in Division 15, gathered at the Country Club with delegations from Carbondale, Jessup-Peckville, Forty Fort - Kingston, Nanticoke, Pittston, Plymouth, Scranton-Swoyerville, Tunkhannock, Wilkes-Barre and Dallas. A large group from the Hazleton Club in Division 14, with their president, Jack Alexander, took part in the program.

Rev. Dr. Jule Ayers, Pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Wilkes-Barre, and Immediate Past President of the Wilkes-Barre Kiwanis Club gave the invocation. Jerome R. Gardner, president of the Dallas Club, extended words of welcome, then introduced Lt. Gov. Alfred H. Ackerson as Toastmaster for the occasion. The Honorable Judge Bernard C. Brominski had been scheduled as MC, but because of the importance of a trial he offered regrets.

Mr. Ackerson introduced dignitaries at the headtable, Gov. and Mrs. Ceader and Trustee and Mrs. Jetty. Rev. and Mrs. Jule Ayers, District Chairman for Programs and Music Cecil and Mrs. Pepperman of Camp Hill; Dist. Chairman of Inter-Club Relations Marc Ruch and Mrs.

Ruch of Plymouth, Dist. Chairman for Public Relations Thomas Tito and Mrs. Tito of Hazleton; District Treasurer Albert Thornquist and Mrs. Thornquist of Pittsburgh; Immediate Past-Gov. J. Riley Fulmer Jr. and Mrs. Fulmer of Clearfield; District Secretary Theodore Brookhouser and Mrs. Brookhouser of Harrisburg; Div. 14 Lt. Gov. Edgar Baker and Mrs. Baker of Benton; Lt. Gov. nominee Div. 15 Dr. Franklyn Fry and Mrs. Fry of the Forty Fort-Kingston Club; District Chairman Rev. Irwin Wise and Mrs. Wise. Also introduced were Merrill Faegenburg and Mrs. Faegenburg, president of Dallas Women of Kiwanis; and Paul J. Laux and Mrs. Laux; James C. Huston and Mrs. Huston, co-chairmen for the affair.

Past Lt.-Governors of Division 15, were recognized: Immediate Past Lt. Gov. Marc Ruch, Plymouth Club; Henry O. Swingle, Scranton; Dr. Xavier Chiampi, Swoyerville; George Lewis, Carbondale; Hon. Mitchell Jenkins, Dallas; Edmund J. Garrahan, Pittston; Walter Lewis, Nanticoke; and Hon. Harold Flack, Dallas. A surprise announcement came at the conclusion of the roll call of Clubs. Irwin L. Brand, member of Hazleton Kiwanis and resident of Mountaintop, presented Governor Ceader with a petition signed by applicants from the Mountaintop area to form a Kiwanis Club. The petition was endorsed by Hazleton and Nanticoke Clubs. Governor Ceader signed the petition.

Marshall E. Jetty, member of St. Mary's Club, the first Pennsylvania to serve on the International Board of Trustees in many years, told of his recent experiences as overseer for the New England and Alabama District Conventions. Jetty admonished Kiwanians to take a keener interest in government at all levels regardless of party politics. He traced the growth of the service club movement since its inception at the turn of the century and commented upon its place in the business, religious, and social phases of America.

J. Riley Fulmer Jr., Clearfield

Club, and a member of the International Committee for New Club Building, expressed his pleasure with the Mountaintop development.

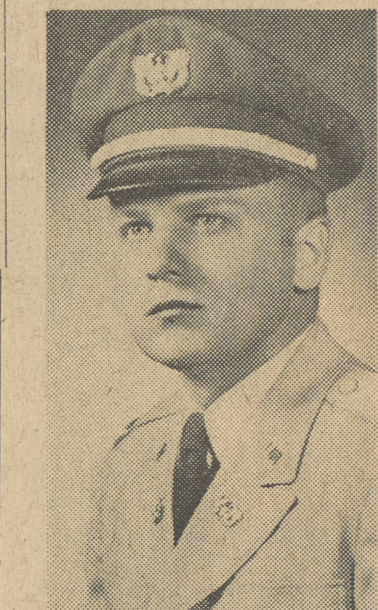
Governor Ceader thanked Clubs in Division 15 for their cooperation, and for the many interesting projects successfully undertaken. He reminded his audience that the Pilgrims found nothing in the way of subsidies, government assistance or the many things that we are getting to expect from the bounty of others. He asked Kiwanians to work for progress on a sound foundation.

At the conclusion of the governor's address, David M. Pierce, president of the Forty Fort-Kingston Club and Ado Lepri of the Jessup-Peckville Club, each handed Governor Ceader a check representing full payment of their clubs of the voluntary donations toward the District Office Building now in operation at Camp Hill. These contributions brought Division 15 Clubs very close to a complete participation in the fund.

Rev. Irvin C. Wise of the Forty Fort-Kingston Club pronounced the benediction.

Thomas H. Roberts, president of the Nanticoke Club, was pianist for group singing led by Floyd Evens of the Pittston Club. Dallas Club members on the committee with Paul J. Laux and James C. Huston were: William L. Guyette, Merrill Faegenburg, Jerome R. Gardner, Robert S. Maturi, Andrew F. Roan, William H. Baker, Jr., William Austin, William R. Wright and Robert W. Parry.

Made Warrant Officer



WILLIAM J. HILL The 402nd Military Police Prisoner of War Camp unit has announced appointment of William J. Hill Jr., Shavertown, RD 5 to Warrant Officer, Junior Grade.

Mr. Hill (Warrant Officers are addressed as Mr.) will be the unit Supply Technician in charge of all policies, procedures and organizational structure of the general supply system. This will include perpetual inventory, stock control, shipping, storage, care and distribution of general supplies.

WO Hill will also conduct inspections of subordinate supply units and property surveys to determine accountability and responsibility in case of loss or damage.

Mr. Hill received basic training at Fort Knox, Ky. and attend supply school for the remainder of his active duty. While with the 402nd, he has participated in all available supply specialization courses offered during summer training and via correspondence courses.

WO Hill attended Naticoke High School and is a Journeyman Plumber with the J.L. Turner Co., Nanticoke. He resides with his parents.

Race Is Promoted

Karlsruhe, Germany (AHTNC)—Daniel E. Race, whose wife, Dorla, lives at Nichols, N. Y., recently was promoted to private first class in Germany where he is a member of the 55th Engineer Company in Karlsruhe.

The 23-year-old soldier entered the Army in November 1961, completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and arrived overseas last May.

Race, son of Mrs. Ide Race, Dallas R. D. 1, attended Dallas-Franklin-Monroe Joint High School.

Even Policemen In Mexico Wear Long-Sleeved Shirts

Silkworth Officer Says They Work In 100° Heat

"You see, Clark, even here in Juarez where it is 100 degrees almost every day, policemen wear long-sleeved shirts. And they keep the sleeves buttoned down, not rolled up!"

This was the astute observation of Russell Walters, veteran law enforcement officer at Lake Silkworth, to his grandson on a tour of Juarez, a border town across the Rio Grande from El Paso, Texas.

Officer Walters, his wife, Mildred, and their grandson, Clark Walters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walters of R.D. 2, Old Brookside Rd., Dover, N. J., just last week returned to their Lake Silkworth home after a 7,000-mile cross country jaunt to the United States' far and southwest.

They were house guests of mine and had already seen such fabulous landmarks as the Petrified Forest, Painted Desert, Tombstone and the Grand Canyon in Arizona, Hoover Dam and Los Vegas, Nevada, and, of course, Disneyland, Knotts Berry Farm and Marineland in Los Angeles.

Quite naturally on their visit here in the International City, a walk across the toll bridge to Juarez was a must. After all, just about everyone visiting El Paso crosses into the Mexican border town some time or the other.

Nightclubs, bull rings and sidewalk vendors plus a small army of dentists and lawyers with an eye toward squeezing the American tourist out of an easy dollar seem

to be the biggest attractions. But to Officer Walters, the sight of a policeman walking a sweltering beat in 100 degree plus sunshine was the stellar attraction.

"I've always believed that an officer should be neat. If he wears a long-sleeve shirt, it should be buttoned and not rolled up to the elbow," he said.

"I was really pleasantly surprised to see the Mexican policemen doing just this," he added.

Enroute home, the Walters threesome were scheduled to take in the gigantic Carlsbad Caverns in southeastern New Mexico, Frontier City just outside Oklahoma City, Merri-mec Caverns in Missouri and any other landmarks along the route.

Believe me, it was nice to have my brother-in-law here for a short spell. Even I've been wearing short-sleeved shirts in the five plus years I've been in the southwest. I won't hesitate to button up a long-sleeve shirt . . . if I should happen to wear one in the future.

J. P. Culp, Larry Snyder Honored On Birthday

A double birthday celebration was held Friday evening at the Robert Culp home, Huntsville. J.P. Bob Culp and grandson, Larry Snyder, were the honored guests.

Helping to celebrate were: Mrs. Alice Snyder, Bobby, Jackie and Susan, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ashton, Sandy, Donna and Albert Jr., Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. George Major, Gina and Judy, Lehman; Mrs. Mildred Kern, Mary and Todd of Fort Meade, Md.; Stanley Culp, Huntsville, and Mrs. Robert Culp.

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