

Lehigh Sociologist Makes Survey Of Students' Marriage Habits

"Students in an all-male institution tend to look to marriage more as an escape from loneliness than students at a co-educational college," Lehigh University sociologist Dr. Robert C. Williamson says in reporting on a recent study exploring the relationship of personality to dating and marital selection.

In analyzing the self-ratings of 530 students from six Philadelphia colleges on which the research is based, Dr. Williamson, head of the University department of social relations, recently told members of the Society for the Study of Social Problems at their annual meeting in Chicago. "Social setting and campus pressures influenced both the individual's self-rating of personality traits and his reaction to dating and marriage."

Some surprises were found in the traits which the 295 male students and the 235 female students attributed to themselves. Self-confidence was found more among women than among men as was curiosity, ability of the individual to identify with others, and preoccupation with health. Dr. Williamson pointed out. On the other hand aggressiveness and leadership were found more among men.

"It is curious that moodiness was higher in men than in women," the Lehigh sociologist added.

The popular belief that most people have an "ideal mate" in mind, "however flexible each in-

dividual may be in the actual marriage market place" is born out in a recent issue of *Family Life Coordinator*. Here the focus is on the role of such factors as social class and religion in determining attitudes regarding marriage, including the "ideal mate".

A mate with high intelligence and high education is more important to a woman than a man, women are more concerned with securing a husband who would be a good parent, and are more insistent that the potential spouse have strong religious interests, Dr. Williamson said in pointing out the fact that young people have definite lines of rejection and acceptance, at least on a questionnaire.

The sociologist also found women's preferences in regard to financial management, ambition and industriousness stronger. On the other hand statistics indicated that men are more conscious than women of physical attractiveness of their partner and are more easily upset by age differences.

Dr. Williamson characterizes women as more conventional as to whom they would prefer to accept or reject. For example the study indicated women students were more rejective of the divorce and less tolerant of a religious non-believer. Men on the other hand were more easily repelled by anyone with a physical handicap.

Beaumont

Beaumont P.T.A. will have a Hallowe'en Party at the school Thursday, October 28, with the grand march at 7:30. Costume and door prizes will be awarded. Homemade candy and pies will be for sale.

Mr. Frank Phelps is at Dover, N. J., where his daughter, Mrs. Margaret Corby, is seriously ill at the Dover Hospital. Let Margaret know we are routing for her and drop her some cards.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sestrap and daughter Lola, of Clarksburg, W. Va., were visiting the Clarence Besteders recently.

The Guy Peters family have moved here from Edwardsville, Mrs. Peters is the former Margaret Rusinko.

Sally Dietz, a student at Blue Mountain Academy, vacationed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Dietz, last week.

Fernbrook

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooke, Houston, Texas, have returned home after spending their vacation with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cooke, E. Overbrook Avenue. The Cookes had as other visitors while their son and daughter-in-law were in: Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kamor and children, Debbie, Chris, Virginia and Barbara, Philadelphia; Miss Betty Jane Cooke, New York City and Miss Julia Knorr, Trucksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Owen, Terrace Street, have taken up residence in Endicott, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Covart, E. Overbrook Avenue, attended the dinner dance at the Irem Temple Country Club on Saturday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Welter J. Penny, Wilmington, Delaware.

Rev. and Mrs. Larry Dyer, daughters Penny and Lori, Newark Valley, Andrew, Cindy and Cheryl Derriek, Binghamton and Rev. Herman Turner, Guatemala were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Derriek, Demunds Road, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Belles and daughter, Lisa Marie, Philadelphia, have returned home after spending a week visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belles, Roushey Street.

Mrs. Belinda Wardell, Demunds Road, is a patient in General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dymond, E. Overbrook Avenue, had as weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dymond, Clifton Springs, New York and Mr. and Mrs. William Dymond and son Billy, Robesonia, Pa.

Stay Alert During Autumn Drives

Autumn is no time to relax and daydream behind the wheel of a car, warns Mr. Johnson, Regional Manager of the Allstate Motor Club. Even though fall signals the end of the vacation season for most families, many people will crowd the nation's highways.

Thousands of football fans will be jamming the roads leading to college and professional games. Many people will be heading for the open country to see nature painting her brilliant colors across the landscape.

In Autumn, as at anytime, drivers should be on guard against traffic hazards, Mr. Johnson said. Familiar roads may create a false sense of security that could be fatal. The Allstate Motor Club urges drivers to stay alert while driving this fall. To help them it offers the following safe driving reminders:

1. **DON'T HURRY** - Avoid driving too many miles during your trip. A good way to estimate the one-way distance you

should travel from home is to multiply the number of vacation days by 100. If you are using toll roads or expressways, you can stretch the distance a little.

2. **STAY ALERT** - Drive only when you are fit! Avoid so-called pep pills and tranquilizers. If you are tired, stop and rest.

3. **DRIVE IN DAYLIGHT** - The best time to be on the road is in the day time during normal waking hours.

4. **SHARE THE ROAD** - Cooperate with other drivers and don't take chances. Don't follow too closely, fail to signal a turn or pass on a curve.

5. **WATCH OUT** - The tailgater, creeper, lane-changer, speeder and road hog are ever present and the careful defensive driver stays on the lookout for them.

Rev. Emory M. Greenfield Laid To Rest Monday

Rev. Emory M. Greenfield, 76, who served two Back Mountain Methodist charges, died last Thursday in General Hospital, where he had been a patient several weeks.

Rev. Greenfield was pastor of the Noxen church from 1918 to 1920, and the Carverton Charge from 1927 to 1930. He retired in 1958 from West Naticoke Methodist Church, after 42 years in the ministry. For two years after retirement he served Oldmar, Fla., Community Church. For the past seven years he lived in Mahlenburg.

Both Rev. and Mrs. Greenfield, the former Mabel Monroe of Noxen, were interested in antiques and enjoyed attending the Library Auction as long as his health permitted.

Surviving besides Mrs. Greenfield are a son, Richard, Levittown; daughters, Mrs. Joseph Williams, Spokane, Wash.; Mrs. Vincent Curran, Newark, N. J.; eleven grandchildren.

Masonic services were conducted Sunday at Bronson's Funeral Home, Sweet Valley. Rev. Dr. J. Roland Cromton and Rev. Russell C. Lawry officiated at the funeral Monday at Abbott Memorial Methodist Church, Wilkes-Barre. Burial was in Orcutt Cemetery, Noxen.

Roast Beef Supper

Dymond Hollow WSCS will hold a roast beef supper and bazaar Saturday night, November 13, starting at 4:30, at the church. Tickets are available at the door.

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I will not be responsible for any bills or debts incurred by others than myself as of this date.

Arthur Kibbler

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters Testamentary have been granted to Miners National Bank of Wilkes-Barre in the Estate of J. Bowden Northrup, late of Dallas Borough, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, who died October 18, 1965. All persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment and those having claims or demands against the estate to present the same without delay to Miners National Bank of Wilkes-Barre, 818 West Market Street, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

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Lake-Lehman School News

The cast for the Senior Play, "What a Boy!" is as follows: Barry Ray, Joe Stager, Mike Casey, Lonnie Platt, Don Evon, Linda Baker, Donna Bryant, Rita Zwick, Barbara Potter, Donna Parrish, Jeanne Kern, Shirley Bryant, Diane Baer, and Judy Kocher. Cheryl Thomas is student director and Mrs. Florence Finn is faculty director of the play.

Try-outs for Junior Varsity cheerleaders were held on Thursday, October 14. The following made the squad: Linda McKeel, Cathy Spencer, Debbie Rinke, Jackie Adams, Linda Adams, Emma Fox and Nancy Thompson. Cathy Cook, Mary Ladamus and Pat Major are alternates. The girls will cheer for J.V. football games and basketball games.

The Parents' Day football game was held on October 16 with the Edwardsville Eagles. Corsages were presented to the mothers of the

Nine Miles Around

On Election Day the girls of the Firemen's Auxiliary will hold a bake sale and serve refreshments in the other side of the firehall, which is the new polling place. They earnestly ask your support, as they are in need of the dough (not for the baking — for the treasury). The auxiliary helps the fire company which helps you, often in the worst hours of the worst nights, with ambulance and fire equipment. So let's help them in this worthwhile endeavor to add old-time community spirit to an important day.

This is the first year that the election in the North District is being held at the firehall.

Football players and cigars to their fathers. After the game, a spaghetti supper sponsored by the Lake-Lehman PTA was held.

Pennsylvania Small Game Season: Local Turkeys Open Until Nov. 20

Pennsylvania's regular small game season will begin at 9 a.m. Daylight Saving Time, Saturday, October 30. Species to become legal targets for the first time this year include ringnecked pheasants, cottontail rabbits, wild turkeys and bobwhite quail. (An early season on ruffed grouse and squirrel began on October 16.)

The season on all the above, except turkey, will continue through November 27. Turkey will end in the Back Mountain and elsewhere in the Northcentral area of the state on November 20. Daily shooting hours after the first day will be 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., (Eastern Standard Time).

Executive Director Glenn L. Bowlers was optimistic in stating, "pre-season field reports indicate that wildlife had a productive year. Favorable weather conditions for the hunter should result in much enjoyment in most areas of the Commonwealth."

Baker Is Now Sergeant

Airman First Class Lee A. Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Baker, Stafford Street, Trucksville, has been promoted to Staff Sergeant at Homestead Air Force Base, Homestead, Fla.

On August 14, Sergeant Baker was married to Evelyn Devans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Devans, Plymouth Mountain.

SWEET VALLEY VOTERS

Voters at Sweet Valley Fire Hall can purchase Home Mads vegetable soup, hot dogs, coffee, and home made pies all day long on Election Day. Ladies Auxiliary of the fire company will prepare and serve the food.

Harold R. Goss Dies At Pleasant Valley

Services were held Tuesday afternoon for Harold R. Goss, 69, who died at his home in Pleasant Valley Thursday morning following a heart attack.

Mr. Goss, son of the late John and Elizabeth Long Goss, was born at Bethel Hill, Fairmount, Township. He attended Harveyville Methodist Church, at one time drove school bus for Fairmount Township Schools, and belonged to Huntington Mills Fire Company.

He worked for Wilkes-Barre Transit Corporation and also a foreman at Harrington Foundry, Benton.

A veteran of World War I, Mr. Goss belonged to American Legion Post 495, Shickshinny.

Mr. and Mrs. Goss, the former Margaret James, celebrated their 43rd wedding anniversary in March. He is survived by his widow and these children: Mrs. Melvin Roseness, Shickshinny RD 3; Arthur W. Goss, Wyncoke; Mrs. Annabelle Peabota and Loretta Goss, Philadelphia; 12 grandchildren; sister, Mrs. Lydia McDaniels, Benton RD; brother, Paul, Berwick.

Rev. Fred Hicoek officiated at the funeral at Bronson's Sweet Valley. Burial was in Bethel Cemetery.

SYMPATHY EXTENDED

Sympathy is extended to Earl Welch, Dallas, on the death Wednesday of his brother, William B. Welch, Plymouth.

Albert F. Dendler Home From Service

Albert F. Dendler, better known to his friends as Bertie, has been recently separated from active duty with the U. S. Army.

While serving in the Intelligence and Security Branch, Mr. Dendler saw service in Korea, Thailand, and for the past eight months was assigned to Vietnam.

He has repeatedly said how fortunate we are to be Americans and how happy he is to be back in the beautiful, wonderful land of the United States.

Bertie has accepted a position with Curtis Publishing Company of Philadelphia and has been assigned to their Albany, New York, office as a sales representative.

He is a graduate of Westmoreland High School and the Saranac Lake X-ray Training School.

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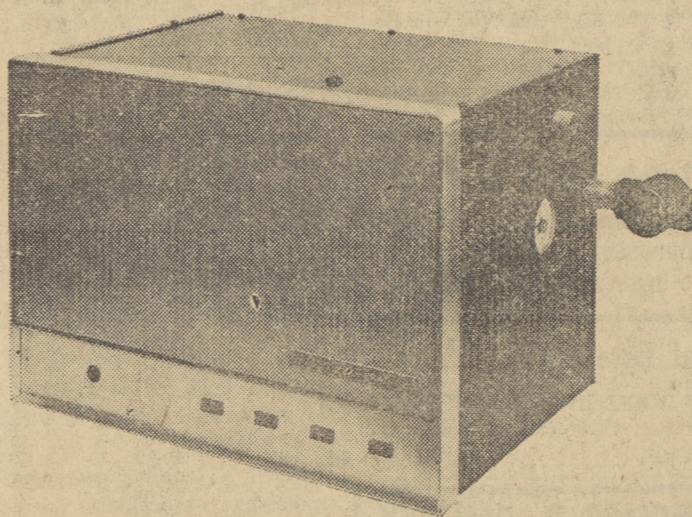
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