

# SHAVERTOWN

## A Senseless Loss

It seems almost prophetic that the death of Dr. Martin Luther King occurred during the Lenten season and that he was laid to rest early in Holy week.

There was a man who had the courage of his convictions, the ability and intellect to lead his people and assist members of other races in promoting a better world. He is the one apostle we can ill afford to spare. It is indeed ironic that one who seeks only to destroy have escaped an assassin's bullet and we wonder if they are not rejoicing at the untimely fate of Dr. King. These are the ones responsible for the looting and burning and I wonder why they are not expatriated to the Communist countries which they serve.

It is more than mere coincidence that Dr. King was murdered just about the time when some break through was in sight in the eventual settlement of the Vietnam War and although it will probably never be proven, I think it was a well designed act.

For the few who would pillage their land there are countless thousands of the Negro race who abhor such violence and it would be wrong to set brother against brother when we are merely separated by the pigment in our skins.

This is a time for patience, understanding and compassion. There is no room for bigotry and hatred. For many years my sympathies lay with the fate of the American Indians and in a land which promised freedom for all, they too, were forgotten. Rev. Edmondson is one local person who has helped them and many donors in this area re-

membered the little ones at Christmas time.

Instead of fear and bitterness, let us return to sanity, remembering the many boys of the Negro race who are serving as comrades in arms with their white brothers and who have no time in their zeal to preserve their country from a callous enemy, to be aware of a mere difference in the color of their skin.

Lincoln was a martyr to this cause and now Dr. King.

## The Holy Season

Palm Sunday was just beautiful and the churches were filled to capacity while outside the hyacinths pushed forth their dainty heads and the tulips grew at an amazing rate. The air is filled with the song of the birds, trees are budding and the grass is already taking on its lovely coat of green. Spring showers will hasten the most welcome time of the year, taking away the frost and bringing all nature into readiness for Eastern morn.

Sunday afternoon Fritzi, his mother, a friend and I saw the delightful butterflies at College Misericordia, the play being most appropriate to the season and a delightful treat for both young and old. How fortunate we are to have these delightful fantasies presented, bringing the world of make believe, to ease temporarily the stark realism of our times. It is wholesome and most worthwhile.

Pot holes are appearing all about after a winter which was extremely rough on pavements. A large hole has to be avoided on Main Street but we are hopeful it will be filled shortly, and those in other sectors.

## Volunteers Ready

It is most satisfying to find so many volunteers ready to serve in our April Cancer Crusade. The names of those who are working will appear shortly in this column. Please be nice to them when they call at your homes. If it were not for such as these, the great strides being made in science would not be possible.

## Here And There

Mrs. Eileen Marth will be leaving Easter Monday for a delightful stay in Hawaii. She will fly with a group of friends and expects to have ten days exploring the beauty of the islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Olenick, East Hartford, Conn., will arrive Friday for a long Easter weekend with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Olenick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stahl flew to Lexington, Kentucky, on Wednesday to spend the Easter recess with their son, Dr. John Stahl and his family. Daughter Janet Evans and family will come in from Connecticut to spend the holiday with her in-laws.

Gloria Welch spent her spring vacation at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Edmondson, 41 Shaver Avenue, Shavertown. Gloria is studying at Lancaster School of the Bible, Lancaster, Pa. Her brothers, Arthur in the Marines and Richard, in the Army visited Gloria while she was home. Arthur has just returned from Vietnam where he met Warren at Nha Trang. They spent three days together sightseeing.

Mrs. Chester Molley spent Monday in New York City where she witnessed the Easter Show at Radio City.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Campbell had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Poff, Bellville, N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hall and children, Irvington, N.J.; and Mr. and Mrs. Ger-shom Hoyt, Jr., Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. Anna Dressel has returned home after spending a week with her son, Luther Hontz and family in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eicke and daughters expect to spend Easter in Allentown.

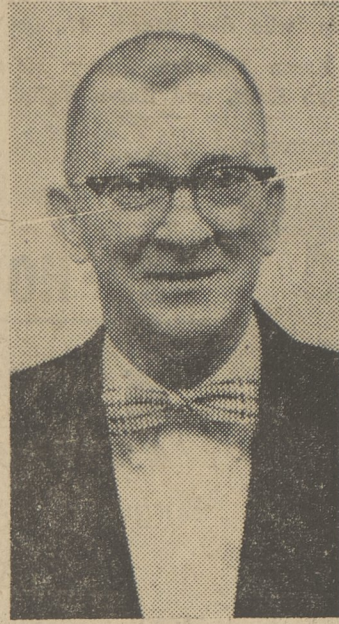
Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Sampson and family, Willingboro, N.J., will be Easter weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. Emaret Franklin.

In case you are wondering what to give the youngsters for Easter, Milton Lutsey's Pet Shop will offer a variety of live gifts.

We are happy to hear that George Wolfe is on the way to recovery after having been a patient at Mercy Hospital.

To all my readers go best wishes for a very blessed and happy Easter, healing for the sick, peace to the troubled and companionship to the lonely. May the Maker of all lead us in his footsteps to everlasting peace.

## Woolbert Seeks Committee Post



TED WOOLBERT

A lifelong resident of Kingston Township, Theodore "Ted" Woolbert, 188 N. Main Street, Shavertown, is aspiring for the office of committeeman in the Northwest District on the Republican ticket.

Son of the late Sam Woolbert, former Supervisor and committeeman in the township, Ted comes by a love of politics naturally. His wife Florence was also a former committeewoman.

Mr. Woolbert was among the first to back the candidacy of Representative Frank O'Connell, an active representative of the people and continues to be his ardent supporter.

Educated in Kingston Township Schools, he also studied Metallurgy at Penna. State Extension School. He is active in Shavertown Fire Company where he serves as a director and assists with the Coin Card Drive, is a long time member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and serves on its council.

Ted maintains an active interest in sports and formerly aided in Little League activities.

He and his wife are the parents of three daughters, Mrs. Gail White, Lancaster; Mrs. Judy Anderson, Wappinger Falls, N.Y.; Linda senior at Susquehanna University. There are also two grandchildren.

## Notice

ESTATE OF CHARLES P. SHOEMAKER, died March 15, 1968, late of Wilkes-Barre City, Letters Testamentary having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same to CHARLES L. SHOEMAKER, EXECUTOR, c/o JONATHAN C. VALENTINE, ATTY., 35 N. FRANKLIN ST., WILKES-BARRE, PA.

# HARVEYS LAKE

Saturday, April 13, is the big day out here at the Lake. Good old Trout fishing starts at 5 a.m. I should know! For the past month my son has talked of nothing else. I've never seen so many different hooks, lures etc. in my life! We usually have two over night guests, who sleep with one eye and ear open listening for the alarm to ring at 3 a.m. Then look out for the traffic! The place becomes a mad house for about half an hour, then blessed peace! Hope you all catch your limit!

Calling all kids between the ages of one to ten. Remind your parents to bring you to the Lake Elementary School on Saturday, April 13, at 1 p.m. for the big Easter Egg Hunt which is sponsored by Harveys Lake American Legion Post 967. There'll be prizes galore, refreshments and entertainment. Boy Scouts of Troop 331 of Harveys Lake will be there to help out. So come on kids and have yourselves a grand time!

Women's Society of the Trinity United Presbyterian Church of Dallas will meet at the church on Tuesday, April 16th with Mrs. Fred

Swanson presiding.  
**Rummage Sale**  
Maple Grove Methodist Church of Pikes Creek will hold a Rummage Sale at the church on May 8, 9, 10 and 11. Hours will be from 1 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. daily. Anyone having rummage to donate please call Mrs. Francis Yahara.  
Congratulations to Daniel Wayne Kocher of Harveys Lake, on completing three months of training and graduating as a State Police Cadet from the State Police Academy, Hershey recently. Following his graduation Trooper Kocher will have sixty days of Coach - Pupil Training.

Mrs. Harry Allen of Harveys Lake visited Mrs. Elmer Ackley of Avoca, New York recently.  
Mrs. Sophie Monick of High Street, still remains in serious condition in General Hospital. Please remember this grand lady in your prayers.  
Sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. Clarence Grey, of Ruggles, on the death of her brother, Walter Hennebaul recently.

## Sweet Valley

Sunrise Service will be held in the Church of Christ, Sweet Valley, on Easter Sunday morning at 6 a.m. Rev. E. P. Murphy, will be speaker. The public is invited to attend.

**Breakfast Party**  
Mrs. Gloria Naugle was hostess recently at a breakfast party at her home in Pikes Creek. Attending: Mesdames Eva Steltz, Eleanor Chickson, Robert Sayre, Earl Remley, Thomas Sayre, Gerald Naugle, Eleanor Bronson, Tony Sayre, Alice Buczewski; Mary Wasley and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sando and family spent the weekend visiting relatives in Waverly, New York.

Benny Ambrose, Lake Silkworth, has been a patient at Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Klanske, who has been a patient at Nanticoke Hospital since February has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Furley, Nanticoke.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grant, Berwick were Sunday callers of Bess Klinefelter. Callers during the week were Mrs. McKinley Long, Dayton Long and Mrs. Frank Moyer.

## Married

On March 30, Mary Clare Wesley became the bride of Harold Jones, Wilkes-Barre, in the Church of Christ, Sweet Valley. Rev. E. P. Murphy, performed the ceremony. A reception for the immediate families was held at the Lake Silkworth Fire Hall. The couple reside in a Mobile home in Loyalville.

## Beaumont

The local man of the year is Russell Denmon, Jr., who explained for Vietnam Sunday for his third re-enlistment because he feels "some one has to do it." Our prayers and heartfelt thanks go with him!

Curtis Goodwin spent last weekend at Hackettstown, N.J., where he went to hear his cousin, Bill Downs, Jr. participate in the school band concert. Curt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goodwin, and his sister Sandra drove to Hackettstown Sunday to bring Curt home.

Students enjoying Easter Vacation at home are: Judy Balewski from Lock Haven State College; Paul Brown, Robert Belles, Jr., and Gail Hadsall from Wilkes College; Allen Downs from Penn State Center; Mary Ann Johnson from Mansfield State College; and Eileen Wall from Stroudsburg State College.

Orchids and plaudits are due the Kunkle Fire Department for their prompt response to the call for help when a grass fire leaped out of control on the Homer May property Sunday morning.

Mr. Ellis Meeker is seriously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Fetcho.

furlough he will be stationed in New Jersey.

**Rummage Sale**  
Loyalville Church will sponsor a Rummage Sale on May 1st and 2nd at the church hall, 9 to 7 p.m. A bake sale will also be held and refreshments served. If you have goods to be picked up call 639-5383.

**INFORMALS - INVITATIONS ACCORDING TO YOUR SPECIFICATIONS THE DALLAS POST**

## Mt. Zion

Combined choirs of Carverton, Mount Zion and Orange Methodist churches will present "The Living Word", a service of worship for Good Friday night, at 7:30 April 12 in Mt. Zion church.

"The Living Word" is not a retelling of the events of Good Friday. Instead, it represents a discussion by the followers of Jesus who have come together in the evening after His burial. Using passages from John's Gospel in which Jesus speaks of his own nature and mission, they try to understand his message and his death. Through familiar hymns, the congregation voices the Christian's response to His words and to the crucifixion.

Music for the service was written especially for the local choir by Catherine Gilbert, who will direct. Karen Hronich, Mount Zion organist, will play. Rev. Donald Schalk is pastor.

Members of the choir are: soprano, Eudora Baird; Roberta Gardner, Grace Harris, Lillian Henderson, Faye Perry, Lois Perry, Marjorie Seiple, Jeanne Siskler, Marlene Siskler, Marcella Wiggins; altos, Dorothy Hess, Myrtle Hoover, Jean Hronich, Bette Smith, Allegra Spare, Sally Wiggins; tenors, Malcolm Baird, Tim Earl, Charles Gilbert, Hal Seipel, Howard Wiggins; basses, Ernie Kermit Siskler, Roy J. Thomas, Stan Wiggins.

**Sunrise Service**  
Easter Sunrise Service for Carverton, Mount Zion and Orange Methodist churches will be held at Memorial Shrine at 6 a.m. Everyone is invited to attend this traditional service, watching the dawn from their cars on the hillside.

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## FRUIT TREES

Cherry	-	-	-	\$4.00
Plum	-	-	-	4.20
Peach	-	-	-	3.00
Pear	-	-	-	6.00

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