

Purely Personal

Gail Doughton, a student at Slippery Rock College is spending the Easter Vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Doughton on Davenport Street, Dallas.

Mrs. Walter Hendrics, Spring Street, has returned home after visiting her family at Tallahassee, Florida.

Atty. and Mrs. Ben R. Jones, III and son, Benny, are vacationing at Hillsboro Beach, Florida.

Miss Beth Pillarella, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Pillarella, Haddonfield Hills, Dallas, is home for Spring vacation. Beth is a senior at Westminster College, New Wilmington, Pa.

Mrs. Ruth Houser, Trucksville, returned home Tuesday after being a surgical patient at General Hospital.

Carl Goeringer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Goeringer, Sr., East Dallas, underwent surgery on Tuesday at General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Pritchard, Trucksville, left Sunday to visit their son, Professor Jack Pritchard and family in Iowa.

Mrs. Hayley Misson, Jr., Shagbark Drive, Shavertown, is a surgical patient at Nesbitt Hospital.

Rev. Charles H. Gilbert, Mt. Zion, correspondent for the Dallas Post, was admitted to Nesbitt Hospital Saturday morning following an attack of diverticulitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Kunkle have returned to their home in Kunkle after spending some time in Florida.

Mrs. Ruth Walters and son, Tom, of Idetown, spent the weekend in Washington, D.C.

Mrs. H. H. Zeiser of Huntsville Road, Dallas, has as guests over the Easter Holidays, Mrs. John Reedy of Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Leighton R. Scott, Easton; Mrs. W. J. Smith, Dallas and Leighton R. Scott, Penn State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kolka and son Ron recently moved to 29 Park Street, Dallas from Jacksonville, North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffman and son, Bobby, formerly of Lee Park, are now living on Youngblood Avenue, Shavertown.

Alfred M. Camp, was official recorder at the Lehigh Valley Conference of National Association of Secondary Principals held recently at Lehigh University. Mr. Camp is a member of the Dallas Junior High School faculty.

JOTS FROM DOT . . .

Dear Folks, Saturday supper and Sunday breakfast and dinner I ate with the single men; besides the Pax boy Herb High, there are Milt Coles and Fred Tiffany and 2 Haitians. One is Roger—I don't know his other name—and the other is Mr. Thelmaque. He is married and has been trying to get his family out here. They are a nice group.

Since I had been able to bring so many things and Corbena had gotten me a very fine cook, I have started feeding myself already.

ATMOSPHERE It is much quieter here than it ever used to be. It is full moon but I don't hear any drumming or girls playing and singing. They did some last night. Everybody seems very subdued. I guess because they have been through so much. The station looks nice, grass cut, houses being fixed up.

WELCOME Of course I got a welcome speech in church, too. I told them what you said, Daddy, that my heart was over here so I might as well bring my body too. That impressed them very much. There is a student who plays piano for church, quite well. He says he has some lesson books and I have promised him I'd help him study. A group of girls sang very sweetly, in parts. Right after church they asked me to help them learn more songs, so of course I said I would.

MATERNITY Today I started on Maternity. It is much cleaner than in 1963. Lumbi and one doctor's wife had been working on it. I checked the linen and started figuring how to fix mattresses for the beds. The old ones are all worn out. There are very few patients. We'll have to see what to do to attract the women again. There are 2 girls ready for the midwifery year of the Auxiliary Nursing course. I am going to start them on it, pending permission from the Bishop and Medical Committee. Since I was here last Jack Reitz got the water system going with pumps drawing water into the tower from both rain cisterns and the creek in the valley. There are lots of improvements like that. We have bright lights from 6 to 10 p.m. For a long time they had none.

Neighborhood News And Notes Of Personal Interest

Grieses Attend Baptism Of Grandson In Hershey

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gries, Dumdums Road, East Dallas, attended the baptism of their grandson, Kenneth William Gries in Hershey, on March 31.

Kenneth was baptized in the 68-year old baptismal dress of his paternal grandfather, whose mother had made it for him. It was also worn by his son, Carl and daughter, Dorothy, and by her children. The dress is 80 inches long, has two double rows of hemstitching from the bottom and embroidered yolk with lace on the sleeves.

The Gries' have another son, Gary, in the first grade. Mrs. Gries is the former Thais Rozelle, daughter of Mrs. Edith and the late William Rozelle of Orange.

Kishbaugh Completes Training In California

Seaman Charles Kishbaugh has arrived home from San Francisco where he completed three months of training at Data Processing Class A School in the Navy. He will spend thirty-five days leave in Dallas with his wife, the former Shirley Yalick, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Yalick. Seaman and Mrs. Charles Kishbaugh will also visit his family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kishbaugh, Sr., in Flushing, New York. The Kishbaughs are former residents of Shavertown.

After spending nine months in the Far East, Seaman Kishbaugh's new duty station for the remainder of his enlistment will be Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Transatlantic Brides Announce New Officers

The local branch of Transatlantic Brides and Parents Association (T.B.P.A.) has announced new officers for the coming year as follows:

President, Mrs. James Morio, Kingston; vice-president, Mrs. Windsor Davis, Harveys Lake; secretary, Mrs. Frank Hovanac, Forty Fort; treasurer, Mrs. Alfred Lumbis, Swyersville.

Mrs. Peter Duda, Dallas, has been appointed Sunshine Chairman.

Anyone of British birth in the Back Mountain Area may contact Mrs. Robert Pugh, Trucksville, for further information.

Mrs. Joseph Niezgodka, Dallas, was awarded the door prize at the installation dinner held recently at the Brothers Four, Dallas.

Russell Ide Entertained At Dinner On Birthday

A birthday dinner was enjoyed by the family of Mr. Russell Ide on Sunday, as they helped him celebrate his 80th birthday.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ide, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ide, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Ide and son, Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith and son, Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson and daughter, Pamela, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ide, Miss Grace Ide. Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell Ide from Kingston were callers in the afternoon.

Baby Christened

Dawn Ellen, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Robenack, 101 Summit Street, Shavertown, was christened Sunday morning at Shavertown Methodist Church by Rev. Robert DeWitt Yost.

Godparents were Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Pritchard. Mother is the former Ruth Ellen Hammond. A family luncheon followed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Casper of Huntsville recently spent three weeks in Florida, at Casey Key, Orlando and Daytona Beach.

REPUBLICANS RE-ELECT FRANK J. O'CONNELL, JR. TO House of REPRESENTATIVES. FULL TIME - EXPERIENCED LEGISLATOR

Dallas Chapter Eastern Star Observes Anniversary



The Forty-Third Annual Banquet of the Dallas Chapter, No. 396, Order of the Eastern Star honoring the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Verna Davis, and the Worthy Patron, Mr. Dennis Bonning, Jr., was held at the Irem Temple Country Club Saturday, April 6.

Mrs. Dorothy Dodson, chairman, gave the address of welcome.

Mrs. Virginia Swanson, accompanied by Mrs. Betty Meeker, led the group singing prior to the introduction of the toastmaster, Mrs. Ooe Beryl Austin, Mrs. Austin presented Mrs. Audrey Riffle, District

Deputy Grand Matron of District 21 - A, whose timely remarks added to the festivities of the occasion. She also introduced honored guests, two charter members, Mrs. Ida Allen and Mrs. Elizabeth Ide. Their families were included in the presentation of officers, substitutes of Dallas Chapter, banquet committee.

The choir of Dallas Chapter rendered two selections. Rev. Robert Yost, pastor of the Shavertown Methodist Church gave the main address. His major premise for

and spiritual values was well received.

Mr. Richard Oliver sang two solos after which the group sang "Till We Meet Again", then closed with Mizpah led by Rev. Yost.

Dancing to the tunes of the Mer-rimakers climaxed the forty-third birthday party of Dallas Chapter.

Pictured above are, seated left

to right: Mrs. Audrey Riffle, D.D.-G.M., William Davis, Verna Davis, W.M., Dennis Bonning, Jr., Mrs. Dennis Bonning, Jr., Ooe Beryl Austin, P.M., toastmaster.

Standing: Fred Dodson, Mrs. Dorothy Dodson, chairman, Richard Olivier, Rev. Robert Yost, Mrs. Laylah Martin, Elwood Martin, Arch Austin.

Truckville Brownies Deliver Fruit Basket

Brownie Troop 659, Truckville, met recently to make Easter Cards and collect fruit to make up a large fruit basket which they delivered to Sutton Home on Jackson Street in Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. Charles Thomas is the leader and Mrs. Audrey Banks, assistant, of the troop which meets at Park Neighborhood Methodist Church.

Dorcas Class To Hold Garage Sale April 19

Dorcas Class of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Shavertown will hold a Garage Sale on Friday, April 19, at the home of Mrs. Robert Voelker, 166 Ferguson Avenue, Shavertown. The sale will start at 10 a.m. and continue until 1 p.m. Residents who wish to donate household articles should contact Mrs. Voelker.

Miss Linda June To Become Bride Of Robert Traver, Noxen

Miss Linda June of Mehoopany was guest of honor at a bridal shower Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Traver, Noxen. Hostesses were Mrs. Voyle Traver, Mrs. Richard Traver and Mrs. James Hettesheimer.

Miss June, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. June, will become the bride of Robert Traver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Traver, Noxen, on April 20 in St. Anthony's Church, Ft. Well, Pa. She is a graduate of Tunkhannock Area Schools and IBM School in Scranton.

Mrs. Pillarella Attends Philadelphia Conference

Mrs. Andrew Pillarella of Haddonfield Hills attended the Spring Conference of Delaware Valley Association for Nursery and Kindergarten Education, Saturday, April 6. The conference was held at the Sheraton Hotel, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Pillarella is a teacher at Wyoming Seminary Day School.

Saint Luke's Lutheran Services For Easter Week

Confirmation and Communion Services will be held at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Noxen tonight at 7:30. There will be Good Friday service tomorrow at 7:30 a.m. in the Harveys Lake Reformation Church.

Regular service will be held Easter Sunday at 10:30 a.m., but there will be no Sunday School. The Children's Easter program at 4 p.m. in Noxen Church is open to anyone who wishes to attend.

Kunkle Chicken Supper

The Homestyle Chicken Supper sponsored by the Kunkle Firemen will be held in the Kunkle Community Hall on April 17. Serving will start at 5 and continue until 8 p.m. Tickets can be purchased from any member or at the door.

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Michal Angela Simon Married To John F. Hoffman, Pittston

Miss Michal Angela Simon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Simon, Lake Road, Noxen, was married on April 6 to John Franklin Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman of RD 1, Pittston.

of West Pittston was the best man.

Brother Almon performed the ceremony at the Church of Christ in Harding.

A dinner was held at Emma's On The Trail immediately following the ceremony for the immediate families of the bridal couple. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Simon and son Joseph; Mr. and Mrs. Simon and son John J. of Bloomfield, N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman and daughters, Deborah, Shirley, and Beth Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Pannucci and Tina Marie of W. Orange, N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stark and son Ben; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hummel, Robert and Tina Louise, Sweet Valley; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cenni of Wyoming and paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Amos Swire of Sweet Valley.

The bride is a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School and is employed at the Drs. Brown Optometric Company on Public Square, Wilkes-Barre.

Mr. Hoffman attended Harding area schools and is presently employed at Masterpiece Enterprises, Inc., West Pittston.

Miss Jean Hoover of Idetown was maid of honor and Thomas Parry

The newlyweds will reside at 16 E. Sixth Street, Wyoming, Pa.

Anthrasilicosis League To Meet Here Monday

The Anthrasilicosis League of Pennsylvania will meet at the American Legion Home, Post 672, on Memorial Highway, Dallas on Monday afternoon at 3, April 19.

Named To Dean's List

Miss Susan Fielding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fielding, Sutton Road, Jackson Township, was named to the Dean's List at Lycoming College.

Members and wives are urged to attend. Reports will be given on progress being made in Harrisburg. Questions will be answered by Mr. William Barnes.

Susan, a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School, is a senior, majoring in sociology and art. During the past summer, she worked for the Sunday Independent.

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