

EAST DALLAS

A surprise shower was given in the honor of Mrs. Agnes (Sidorick) Schwartz. It was a variety shower and it was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin Sr. from Roushey Street. Everyone had a wonderful time. Games were played and prizes were awarded. The center piece was a large white cake which was trimmed in pink. The cake was made by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lumley.

Mrs. Walter Gerlach, Mrs. Mary Ondish, Ruth Belles, Alice Lumley, Mary Reese, Sally Wagner, Mary Lasher, Dela Schray, Jene Zimmicky, Dorothy Macalaster, Loraine Moore, Bea Moore, Phyllis Culver, Louise Kabosti, Blanch L. Crispell, Margaret Jordan, Minnie Sidorick, Leona Hunter, Peggy Bloomer, Marilla Stanton, Bea Martin, Vida Adams, Mary Briskie, Florence Martin, Precilla Coolbaugh and daughter Kathy attended.

Mrs. Schwartz received many lovely and useful gifts.

On Feb. 4 we had two young men from the East Dallas area celebrating birthdays. They were Gary Belles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belles Sr. of Roushey Street who was 18 and Bobby Stanton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stanton also from Roushey Street who was 20. I hope you both had very happy birthdays.

Kathy Coolbaugh was five years old on Thursday, Feb. 6. Happy birthday Kathy.

Mrs. Irene Moore is back at her home now. She is feeling much better now, which we are all real glad to hear. She wishes to thank each and everyone of you who sent her cards while she was ill at her sister's home in New Jersey. That goes to show that we have some real wonderful, thoughtful people in this area who help to make a great success of everything.

Keith Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Moore had a birthday on Monday, Feb. 3. There was a party held for him the day before.

Those present were: David and Joan Moore and children, David, Kimberly Ann, Pamela, Ricky and Lois Irene all from New Jersey.

Mrs. Florence Wilson, a former resident of the East Dallas Area has returned to her present home in Wilkes-Barre after being in the hospital. I hope you are feeling much better.

The Ella Moore Class of the East Dallas Methodist Church had a meeting Tuesday night, Feb. 11 in the social room of the church. The meeting was opened by the president, Jeanette Dickenson. Secretary's report was given by Bea Moore and treasury report by Jessie Moore. The February hostesses were Jule Wilson and Betty

Kintzer. Plans were discussed for a rummage sale to be held at the church in the spring. It will be one of the most successful rummage sales if all of you start rummaging through all of your rummage and by the time Spring comes around you will probably have enough for everyone.

March hostesses are Mary Rhyman and Jeanette Dickenson. Those present at the church meeting were: Viola Brace; Jeanette Dickenson, Alvena Lameroux, Myra Carlin, Mary Rhyman, Betty and Dorothy Kintzer, Jule Wilson, Margaret Weiss, Mary Ann Lilly, Irene Moore, Jessie Moore and Bea Moore.

We are all glad to hear that Mrs. Elizabeth Scott is recovering. The burns that she received at her home are now healing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Siley spent Sunday, Feb. 9, with daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harrison in Stroudsburg. They were there to wish Jeffery a happy birthday. He was 15 on Feb. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. William Belles had a little girl on Thursday, Feb. 6. She was born at Nesbitt Hospital at 8:06 p.m., and weighed eight pound and six ounces and was 21½ inches long. Mrs. Belles and her daughter were brought home Sunday, Feb. 9 by the baby's father, grandmother Kitchen and Aunt Sue.

The little one was named Ellen Marie. They have been living with Mrs. Belle's mother and father, but hope to be moving into their home in Fernbrook after the baby is a little older.

I would like to thank each of you who have come to see the baby, both at hospital and at home. Visitors have been: Mrs. Vida Adams, Betty Kintzer, Leona Hunter and children Kim and Jim, Mike Fuller, Ron Filippini, Emma Creagh, Iva Dennis, Leona Wandell, Pamela Houck, Reverend and Mrs. Andrew Derrick, Clarence Reeseigh, Mrs. Macko, Iva Wandell, Vida Wandell and Myra Wandell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hildebrand from Applachih, N. Y., drove through all of the snow to visit sister, Mrs. Myrtle Miller of East Dallas. They spent Sunday with Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Robins, Harding, spent Tuesday evening, Feb. 4 with Mrs. Myrtle Miller of East Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roginski from Lower Demunds Road had their first little girl on Tuesday, Feb. 11. She was born at General Hospital. She was five pounds nine ounces and her name is Debora Ann. Congratulations Mr. and Mrs. Roginski.

Sweet Valley Guest Edit

Linda Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cooper, Lake Silkworth, was a recent patient at Mercy Hospital. Maple Grove WSCS met at the home of Mrs. Shirley Sayre recently. Plans were made for a rummage sale and the ladies will make pasties on March 6 for the Sweet Valley, Pikes Creek area.

Those attending were Mrs. Eleanor Bronson, Mrs. Ruth Macri, Mrs. Ella Saunders, Mrs. Anna Rosser, Mrs. Freda Graham, Mrs. Betty Sorber, Mrs. Gloria Naugle and Mrs. Shirley Sayre.

The ladies of the WSCS are also selling vanilla and dish cloths. Anyone wishing to purchase any may do so by contacting any of the ladies of the WSCS.

William Sayre Sr. is a medical patient at Nesbitt Hospital. Mrs. William Naugle spent last weekend with Mr. John Thomas Kuczawa and family, Valley View.

Mrs. Ruth Macri has been ill at her home.

Union Lenten Services started on Wednesday evening, Feb. 19 at our local churches. The first service was held at Maple Grove United Methodist Church, with Rev. Robert Stevens as speaker. Feb. 26, services were held at Mooretown Assembly of God Church, with Rev. Joseph Kugle as speaker. On March 5 services will be held at the Roaringbrook Baptist Church with Rev. William Rosser as speaker. Services are to begin at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Lewis Ferrey was surprised on her birthday, Feb. 14 when a few friends helped her celebrate her birthday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Olin Wickham, Norma, Jimmy, Bobby and Eddie Wickham, Debbie Mosier, Mrs. Mildred Malinoski, Lewis Ferrey, Susan and the guest of honor.

Emma Blaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blaine, Mooretown and three companions flew to Switzerland for a week. They planned on doing some skiing while there.

Gary Blaine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ord Blaine, Pikes Creek, and Lydia Morgan, daughter of Mrs. Jennie Morgan and the late Frank Morgan, Dallas, have announced their engagement.

Miss Morgan is a student at Dallas High School. Mr. Blaine is a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School and is serving with the U.S. Army. No date has been set for the wedding.

Gary spent a 10 day leave with his parents. He left on Monday for Fort Dix, N.J., and from there he will go to California where he will be sent to Vietnam.

Mr. Arthur Lamoreaux is a patient at Nesbitt Hospital. Kenneth Martin, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Remley has a fractured collarbone, as a result of a fall.

Kelly Ann Chickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chickson, celebrated her first birthday on Feb. 23.

Anyone having news for this column please call 477-5300. Thank you.

continued from PAGE 2 between Washington and Peking has, in spite of the rupture of direct diplomatic relations between the two countries, been taking place in Warsaw regularly for over 13 years. These meetings have consisted of ambassadorial contacts which the Chinese have now indirectly suggested should become more meaningful.

Mr. Nixon, when he comes to Europe after his inauguration, will possibly find a news spirit on the question of defence.

America has time and again suggested to the Europeans that it is their duty to defend themselves as much as possible. But Europe has only reacted to danger in cases of grave necessity. The Czechoslovak crisis a few months ago brought the Ministers of NATO countries together in the face of the military threat of the Russian occupation. They became alerted to the temptations to the Russians of a relatively defenceless Europe.

British Defence Minister Denis Healey has been trying to sell the idea of a pragmatic European Defence Nucleus which is to be discussed at a meeting in mid-January just before President Nixon is inaugurated. The object of this is not to supplant NATO but to get the European countries to speak to the new American administration with one voice.

The objectives will be, to try to dissuade the new President from reducing the complement of American troops in Western Germany, which has been threatened.

Nixon wants to reduce the number of conscripts in the United States army and if possible, to establish a purely volunteer force. European Defence Ministers will urge the new American President to beef-up the credibility of intention in the use of American nuclear weapons in defence of Europe. They will ask too, that if there is to be a thinning out of conventional American forces that the United States would agree to the use by the European armies of tactical nuclear weapons should they be attacked from the East.

It is difficult at the moment to see how the policies of President Nixon will mesh in with those of a Europe which is still largely divided as to the necessity of defensive measures.

The most welcome feature of the Nixon administration is, however, that European affairs will get a new priority and we are likely to see an intensification of American efforts to restore the climate of transatlantic friendship which was greatly neglected during the Johnson administration because of the preoccupation of the United States with Vietnam.

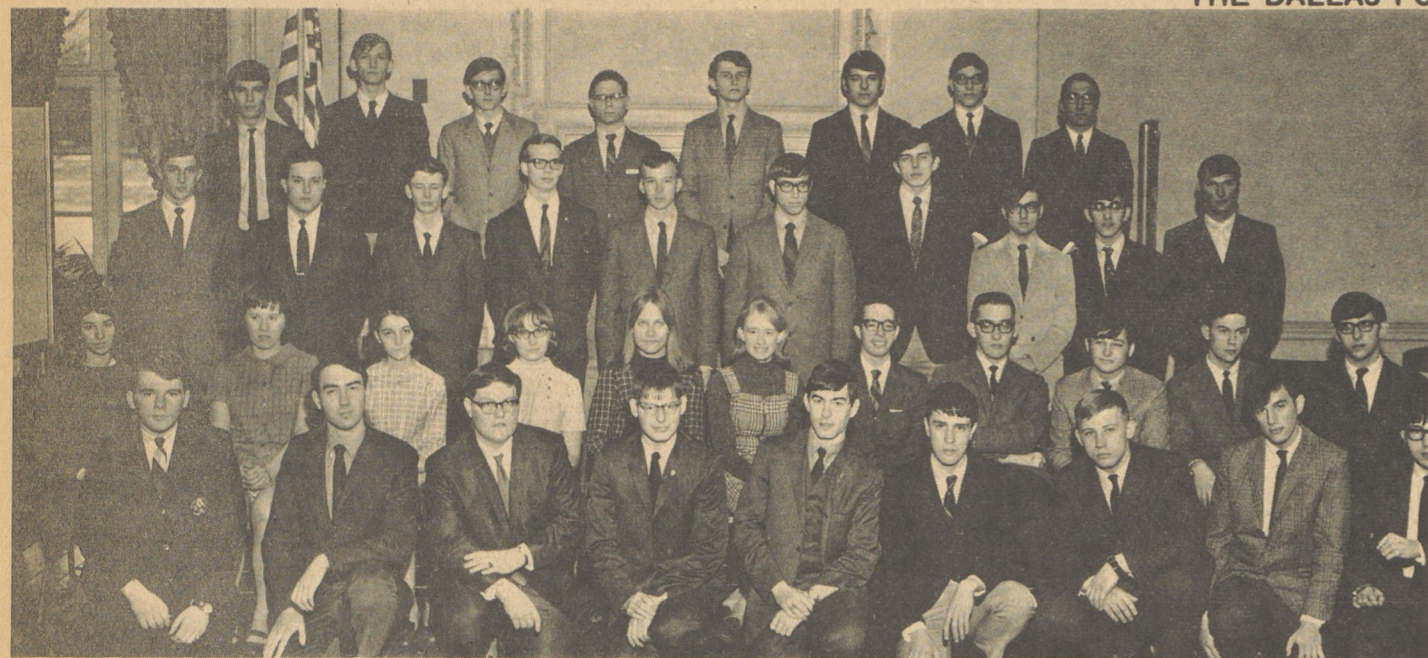


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Approximately 80 students from 25 Wyoming Valley area high schools visited Penn State campus at Hayfield last week for presentation of "certificates of merit awards" to outstanding high school seniors and sophomores for scholastic achievements and interest in engineering and science courses. Program is sponsored by the Luzerne County Chapter of Pennsylvania Society of Professional Engineers.

First row: Steve Washko, Plains, John Meshko, Hanover, Thomas Armbruster, Meyers, George Slusser, Meyers, Jay Rabinowitz, Meyers, Craig Miller, Coughlin, Thomas Martin, Coughlin, Jonathon Sullum, Wyoming Valley West, Robert Ciali, Pittston Area. Second row: Clara Metar, Central Catholic, Cynthia Maczuga, Northwest, Regina Maurizi, Pittston Area,

Sally Kazinetz, Pittston Area, Lea Novak, Pittston Area, Georgeann Mercincavage, Wyoming Area, Gary Kramer, Wyoming Valley West, Andrew Yedinak, St. Nicholas, Larry Rosenbaum, Wyoming Valley West, Al Janerich, Plains, Len Maday, Hanover. Third row: Pete Craig, Central Catholic, Francis Pinnacoli, Sacred Heart, Richard Bartkowski, Marymount, Vince Roman, Dallas, Jeffrey Eyt, Dallas, Kenneth Levin, Coughlin, Joe Ostrowski, Wyoming Area, Anthony Dominic, Wyoming Area, Charles Mantione, Wyoming Area, Ray Grobowski, Ashley-Sugar Notch. Fourth row: Russell Belles, Northwest, Brian Robinson, Crestwood, Stanley Gritsevich, Nanticoke, James Shipkowski, Nanticoke, Matthew Hughes, St. Leo, Ben Lisowski, Wyoming Valley West, Joe Piszczek, Wyoming Valley West, Ed Matukonis, Wyoming Valley West.



First Row: Tom Civiletti, Wyoming Area, Michael Carroll, St. John's, Joseph Tribendis, Central Catholic, Eugene Woynoski, St. Nicholas, Dana Hankey, Nanticoke Area, Martin Hyzinski, Nanticoke Area, Mark Adams, Wyoming Valley West, Mark Chopko, Central Catholic. Second row: Pat Thomas, GAR, Karen Kraftick, Wyoming Valley West, Albert Nerozzi, Wyoming Area, Geraldine Timonte, Plains High, Millie Symbula, Plains High, Charlene Montante, Pittston Area, Carol Drahus, Pittston Area, Dorothy Glasgow, Pittston Area, Ann Warabak, Pittston Area, Eileen Chappel, Northwest, Jean Vivian, GAR. Third row:

Jim Pagliarini, Wyoming Area, Kevin Burke, Pittston Area, Steven Silver, Meyers, Robert Seman, Wyoming Valley West, Blaine Readler, Crestwood, Hugh McKinney, Crestwood, Bruce Wells, Crestwood, Alvin Souder, St. Leo, Allen Kitchen, Lake Lehman, Gary Brandeis, Wyoming Valley West. Fourth row: Donald Kunis, W.B. Twp. High, John Hasay, Northwest, John Backoff, Meyers, Larry Hugick, Wyoming Valley West, Bill Thomas, Wyoming Valley West, Richard Reh, Hanover Twp., Bill Bradbury, Dallas, Phillip Scott, Dallas, Anthon Molitoris, Hanover Twp.

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