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Among the guests at a testimonial dinner honoring Father John Walsh, former pastor of St. Therese's Church, Shavertown, were four priests who had served as assistant pastors under Father Walsh. From left to right are the Rev. Joseph Sammons, the Rev. Paul Flynn, Father Walsh, the Rev. Vincent Langan, and the Rev. Francis Brennan.

### Testimonial Honors Father John Walsh

Father John Walsh, former pastor of St. Therese's Church in Shavertown, was honored at a testimonial dinner July 25 held in St. Therese's auditorium. The buffet was attended by members of the Shavertown congregation and other friends and associates of Father Walsh.

Joseph in Scranton, Father Walsh served for 21 years in the priestly ministry at St. Therese's Church, the last 13 of which were as pastor of St. Therese's.

A highlight of the evening was the gathering of four other priests, all of whom had served as assistant pastors under the now-retired Father Walsh.

### My Typewriter Talks

by the Rev. Charles H. Gilbert

When you drive into the city, it is easy. Soon a sign will tell you, you are in the city. You can come into it from the east and drive more or less straight through and out into the western municipalities. They are all intimately related to one another so that you may want to see a number of different industries or commercial places. Or you may need to visit a number of the hospitals along the way. They are not too hard to find.

You may want to use this area as a point of departure to some northern region where there are farmlands, small towns and large cities. You may want to visit the Finger Lakes or large lake areas further on and even into the Adirondack country.

The circumstance that has confused me when going to this city of Binghamton, N.Y., is that it was the city of my birth 80 years ago. Changes in approach and in the city planning have been going on rapidly, while most of the time I have not been living there to get slowly used to those changes. For instance, at the far eastern horizon used to stand a great gray stone "castle", magnificent to behold, but a sad housing place for mentally sick people. That has given way to a more elaborate and utilitarian facility nearer to the earth surface than to the horizon. And a dominant landmark also, was a huge gas storage tank on upper Court Street. It has been taken down piece by piece, making room for more modern facilities.

There are places where through traffic has come about by the use of clover-leaf exchanges, where to go south—you face the north. One has to know where to drive when he cannot follow the usual routes. All of this is amazingly efficient—and confusing.

The "skyscraper" called the Press Building used to look real grown up. But now the State Sixth Graders Now Eligible for Scouting

A boy who has completed the fifth grade or is 11 and has the approval of his parents or guardian is eligible now to become a Boy Scout, according to Henry Olewine, organization and extension chairman of the Penn Mountains Council, Boy Scouts of America.

Formerly, boys had to be at least 11 years of age to join a Boy Scout troop, but the executive board of the national organization has changed the membership requirement so that a boy is eligible when he has "completed the fifth grade or is eleven," Mr. Olewine said.

Information about Scouting in this area is available from the Scout service center, 200 Kingston Corners Bldg., Kingston,

building is already above it and is still stretching.

I have no nostalgic longing for things to revert to the way they "used to be" in the "good old days." We have done some changes in our own habitat meanwhile. We have lived on this plot of ground and in this house (which was built nearly 150 years ago) longer than we have lived anywhere else—12 years. When we moved in here we could see the skyline to the west and the junction of our road with the Mt. Zion road. Now our land is quite full of trees. How did they get there in so few years? We planted them! We are electrically lighted outside and in. Our house is heated with an oil burning hot-air furnace. Yes, there have been changes here and we are used to them and are always making more changes. Our road used to be only 14 feet wide with many turns in it. It was on the level with our front lawn. Now it is 22 feet wide and the curves have been softened to gentle bends. And the road level is five feet lower than our lawn.

Recently I was visiting with a daughter of a former pastor of the First Methodist Church of Pittston. She lived there at the parsonage when she was a young woman. We told her some of the changes in this city of her early memories, how many buildings had been torn down, including the Lehigh railroad station, and how a new highway had been built along the lower level between Main Street and the railroad. And how Main Street was now a one-way street northbound, and the new highway was a one-way street southbound. She was quite amazed at these changes which we have seen happen and are glad for, and used to them by now.

I guess I am geared to change, especially if I can watch the changes take place. I get tired of hearing the repetitions used and depended on to sell goods; for instance, I get tired of some standard product, which has to conform to certain required standards of excellence, constantly being aired to the public as being a particular standardized product, not merely better than others, but "it is easy to see that it is best!" And I wish packaged goods were not always listed as "only \$0.00". Everybody knows it is "only" so much. And we are not planning to pay more than that figure. Why tell us it is "only"? Waste of words to no avail. And why tell us that "the price marked is cents lower than regular"? Does that make us think we are getting a bargain such as "regular" people do not get? It is a silly habit to talk back to the TV advertising. It doesn't hear me. Which is just as well! All of which is not too enlightening to my readers!

### Nursery School Is Non-denominational

Mrs. William Nolan, director of the nursery school to be held at Trinity United Presbyterian Church, Dallas, has announced that registration is open to all children in the Back Mountain area. Forms and additional information are available from Mrs. Nolan and the church secretary.

Children three and four years of age will be accepted from now through Aug. 31.

Classes will meet in the church from 9:30 to noon from September through May. Three year olds will have class Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Four year olds will have class Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Classes will be limited to ten children per class.

Teachers named to the nursery school staff are Mrs. Frank English, Shavertown, Trenton State Teachers College; Mrs. Harvey O'Dell, Fernbrook, advanced child development, Sandy Creek, N.Y.; Mrs. Alan Adams, Dallas, advanced child development training; and Mrs. William Nolan, Mansfield State College. Mrs. Nolan taught in the Plains Township School District.

### Truckville Methodist To Hold Church School

The Vacation Church School of Truckville United Methodist Church will be held in the educational building of the church Aug. 9 to 13, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. each evening. All children of the church and community, five years of age through last year's fifth grade, are cordially invited to attend.

Lead teacher for the kindergarten department will be Mrs. Richard Enslin, assisted by Debbie Anderson and Laura Enslin.

For the first and second grade group the lead teacher will be Mrs. Robert Shepherd, assisted by Mrs. John Naylis, Mrs. Earl Gregory, and Robert Shepherd.

Lead teacher for the third and fourth grade group will be Mrs. Robert Baird, assisted by Mrs. Thomas Oliver, Kathy Kreidler and Carol Williamson.

The fifth grade group will be led by Lynda Carle, assisted by David Palmer.

For further information please call the church office any morning.

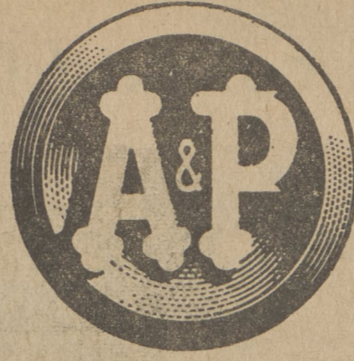
### Church School Is Scheduled

Shavertown United Methodist Church has announced their church school program for August. Church school begins at 9:45 a.m., nursery to adults. Move Sunday for elementary division will be Aug. 29.

Youth Department will have these topics and leaders: Aug. 8, Study of Job, Kevin Chadwick; Aug. 22, Teenagers Approach to Marriage, T. Swingle; Aug. 29—Teenager Approach to Marriage, Alan Rogers. Sept. 5, "Where In the World is God?", Sally Porter.

The combined 3M (Mr., Mrs., and Miss) class and the Men's Bible Class have combined study, "Why the Family?" Aug. 8—Family Finding Reconciliation, Marshall Echole; Aug. 15—Alcohol, the Family (combined with youth) Granville Sowden. Aug. 22—Alcohol and Society, Mrs. John Rogers; Aug. 29—Alcohol and the Christian Community, Mrs. John Rogers.

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