

SOCIAL

Vietnam vets meet Jan. 17

Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 539 will hold a meeting on Thursday, January 17 at 7 p.m. at the Dallas American Legion Post 672, Memorial Highway. VVA Chapter 539 is now recruiting new members. Regular membership in VVA is open to Vietnam era veterans. Associate membership is open to other veterans and any persons interested in supporting VVA. Anyone who would like to join VVA is invited to attend this meeting.

Odd-Fellow and Rebekah lodges holiday parties

The Odd-Fellow and Rebekah Lodge Christmas party was held at the United Methodist Loyalville Church dining room, Dec. 15 at 6 p.m. A ham and chicken dinner was served family style by the Chestnut Grove club group.

Rev. Robert Harrison, a member of Osage Lodge led devotions. Noble Grand Jon Pineno acting as master of ceremony, requested thanks to be given for the very good dinner and serving.

At this time, Noble Grand introduced the "Welch Cookies," Shirley Mahle, Helen Dymond, as the singers, accompanied at the piano, by Elaine St. Claire as the entertainers of the evening.

Table decorations were very attractive with small paper Christmas trees over paper cups filled with candy and nuts.

There were 44 in attendance. An enjoyable evening was held.

The Shickshinny Friends of Rebekah Lodge held their covered dish Christmas party, December 5, at 1 p.m. at the Bloomingdale Methodist Church.

Sister Cletus Wolfe offered a lonely prayer. Assorted dishes were good and tasty.

Sister Lillian Squire opened the program with a poem by Sister Marian Stroud following with other poems by various sisters including Sister Jean Evans reading various humorous jokes from the Odd-Fellow and auxiliary magazines.

Sister Helen Coombs gave a complete report and did hand copies out for "My Brother's Keeper Quilt" group, also she mentioned the homeless people.

At this time games were played and prizes were given out.

Red and green tablecloths were attractive on the tables, along with small vases of pretty poinsettias with tiny Santa Claus at the base of the vase.

As leaving with a happy departing, it was requested to wish all other Sisters a Merry Christmas. There were nine present.



Mr. and Mrs. David Caswell

Mary Ellen Nagy becomes bride of David R. Caswell

Mary Ellen Nagy, daughter of Carl and Ellen Nagy of Dallas, and David Robert Caswell, son of Robert and Joan Caswell of Wyalusing, were recently united in marriage at Trinity United Presbyterian Church, Dallas. Rev. Robert Upton performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose her sister Eileen Nagy of Dallas as her maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Carol Wallace Kern of Raleigh, North Carolina and Gail Eshelman of Leechburg, Pa.

The best man was U.S. Army Capt. Jeffrey Davis, who is stationed in Saudi Arabia. Ushers were Michael Cole of Clarks Summit and Paul Clapps of Exeter. Steven Gunzenhauser of Charlotte, North Carolina, nephew of the bride served as the ringbearer.

Scripture selections were read by the bride's cousins, Lisa and Dawne Ciampi of Auburn, Alabama. The bride's gown, headpiece and bouquet were designed and sewn by Nancy Yakobovitz of Dallas.

An afternoon dinner reception was held at Irem Temple Country Club. The parents of the groom hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Shadowbrook, Tunkhannock. A bridal shower was given by Mrs. Marilyn Gregorski of Dallas and the bridesmaids. Mrs. Karen MacLean of Kingston hosted a bridal luncheon at the Woodlands Inn.

The bride is a graduate of Dallas High School and Pennsylvania State University with a B.A. in History. She is Personnel Coordinator for Carol Harris, Inc. in Pittsburgh. The groom is a graduate of Wyalusing Area High School and Pennsylvania State University with a B.S. in Finance. He is employed by Westinghouse Electric in Monroeville, Pennsylvania in the Management Training Program.

Following a honeymoon trip to Orlando, the couple will reside in Monroeville.

Master weaver to present program

The Wyoming Historical and Geological Society presents their second program in their series on "Slovak Traditions." Masterweaver Sigrid Piroch, of Meadville, Pa. will present a program on Slovak textiles on Saturday, Jan. 19, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Museum of Historical and Geological Society, 69 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. Piroch's presentation will begin with a slide program on folk

textiles in Slovakia from the last century to World War I. She will focus on the various techniques and equipment used in the weaving and decoration of cloth and clothing, and discuss the use, function and symbolism of various textiles and their patterns, as well as how they fit into the Slovak culture. The slide lecture will be followed by a weaving demonstration.

This program is offered in con-

junction with the "Slovak Traditions" exhibit, which features a large collection of Slovak folk dress and folk art, and a look at Slovak immigration to the Wyoming Valley. The exhibit, which will remain on display through February 8, is sponsored in part by a grant from the Edith L. Reynolds Trust. For more information, contact the Education Department, Wyoming Historical and Geological Society, at 822-1727.

Showin' Blue members honored for performance at state show

At a regularly scheduled meeting of the Showin' Blue 4-H Club held in November, plans were made for the annual Christmas Party held on December 16, 1990 at the American Legion in Dallas.

Congratulations were extended to Tania Atherholt for placing third in the Therapeutic Walk Trot Class and seventh in the Therapeutic Obstacle Trail Class held at the State 4-H Horse Show. Also placing were Amber Atherholt, third in Hunt Seat Equitation over Fences, Jr. Division, and Melissa Valeski placed seventh in Hunter Hack.

Plans were also discussed for the club to go Christmas Caroling on December 17 after which a pizza party was held at Grotto Pizza.

At the Christmas party jackets were presented to seven members of the club. Those receiving jackets were: Haley Papps, Jessica Noon, Melissa Valeski, Amber Atherholt, Tania Atherholt, Stacie Lanning and leader Debbie Atherholt.

Participating but not placing at the state 4-H show was Robyn Pavlick.



Careys win portrait

During a recent Holiday promotion at the West Side Mall, sponsored by photographer C. Kenneth Fox, Morgan and Devin Carey, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. John Carey of Lake Louise, won a valuable wall portrait.

More than 300 West Side Mall shoppers registered for the portrait drawing. In the accompany photograph are from left, Nancy Haydt, manager of the West Side Mall; Morgan and Devin Carey; and Mr. Fox.

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DALLAS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - 4 Parsonage St., Dallas. 675-0122. Rev. Michael A. Bealla, Pastor. SUNDAY, Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Church School 9:00 a.m.

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TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 105 Irem Rd., Dallas. 675-3131. Rev. Robert M. Upton, Interim Pastor. Sunday School Superintendent, Roy Walter. SUNDAY: Morning worship at 11 a.m. (Nursery provided). Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.

TRUCKSVILLE FREE METHODIST CHURCH, 370 Carverton Road, Trucksville, Pastor Rev. Warren W. Hoover, 696-2535. SUNDAY: Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service at 10:45 a.m. Sunday Vesper Service 6:30 p.m. Prayer Service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

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VERNON BAPTIST CHURCH, "Independent" Rt. 292, Vernon, RD 2, Box 114, Tunkhannock. Pastor, James A. Cummings, 333-4935. SUNDAY, Sunday School, 10:45 a.m., Morning Worship 10:45 a.m., Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY, Family night Bible studies and clubs, 7 p.m.

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