

## Bulford descendants gather for 78th reunion of family

The 78th annual Bulford reunion of the descendants of John and Rachael Bulford, early pioneers of the Back Mountain area was held on Sunday, Aug. 15, at the Huntsville U.M. Church, Huntsville Road, Shavertown.

A covered dish picnic lunch was enjoyed at noon followed by a business meeting.

President Susan Roese, presided over the meeting.

Reports were made by Secretary, Helen Franklin and Historian, Pat Krivak.

Births reported: Robert John Derhammer, Aug. 25, 1998, son of John and Jennifer Derhammer; Rachael Marie Sarley, April 3, 1999, daughter of Robert and Jamie Sarley; Breanna Coolbaugh, Dec. 11, 1998, daughter of Russel and Dorothy Coolbaugh; Alyssa Gilvary, May 27, 1999, daughter of Amy Moss and Patrick Gilvary; Jackson Owen Rogers, July 10, 1999, son of Jim and Amber Rogers.

Marriages, Kristen Roese, to Richard Angelicola, August 21, 1999.

Deaths, Carol May Franklin Sutrynowicz, of Center Square,

June 26, 1999.

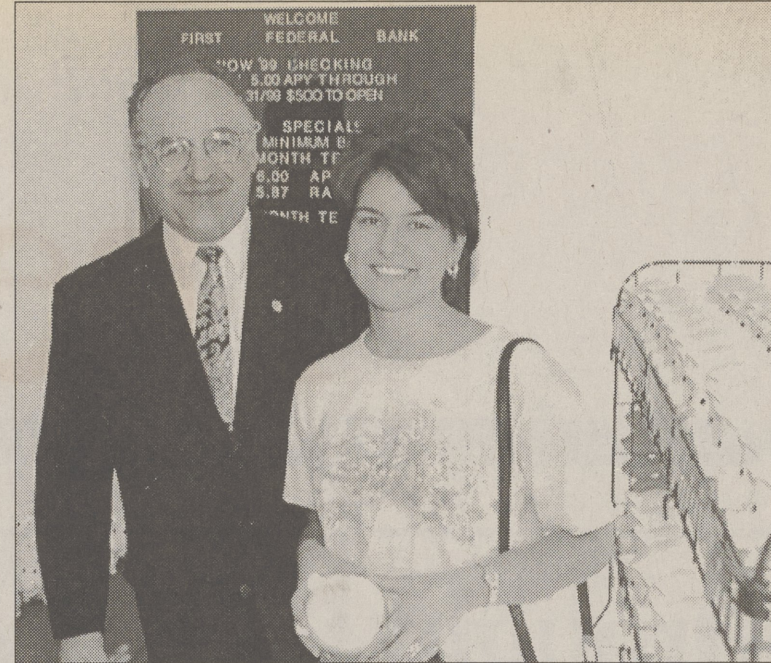
Those who attended the reunion were: Dorothy Bulford, Sweet Valley; Louise Bulford, Sweet Valley; Frederic and Betty Boerner, of Susquehanna; Lorene Moss Berman, Exeter; Charles Dwyer, Montrose; Hazel Fielding, Sutton Rd.; Shavertown; Helen Franklin, Jackson Twp.; Kathleen Hinnegan, Center Square; Nettie Miers, Harveys Lake; Paul, Lydia, Kyle, Briar and Jacey Moore, Dallas; Roy and Caroline Moss, Dallas; Robert and Ethel Moss, Wilkes-Barre; Terry D. Newell, Jackson Twp.; Susan Roese, Jackson Rd., Shavertown; Amber Roese, and son Jackson, of Virginia.

Also, Tiffany Roese, AZ; Kristen Roese, Shavertown; Joe and Melvina Rushnock, NJ; Pat Krivak, Dupont; Janet Small, Montrose; Joan Snyder, Johnson City, NY; Michael Sutrynowicz, Glenside; George and Nancy Schimmel, State College; Rich Sarmonis, Jackson Rd., Shavertown.

Next year's reunion will be held the third Sunday of August at the Huntsville U.M. Church, Shavertown.



Eleanor Jenkins held the \$500 she found inside a piggy bank at the opening of the First Federal Bank branch in Shavertown (left photo). She was joined in the photo by her husband, Harold, branch



manager Jeff Slavish and E. Lee Beard, president and CEO. In right photo, Heather Wertman, Lehman, won \$5 inside a piggy bank. She is standing with Tony Cusatis, vice president of the bank.

## New bank branch opens with fun and prizes

**SHAVERTOWN** - First Federal Bank officially opened its 13th office in the Back Mountain Shopping Center this past Saturday morning by giving away "free samples." The bank's President and CEO, E. Lee Beard greeted the first 250 visitors. Mrs. Beard handed out 100 \$2

Pennsylvania Instant Lottery Tickets and 250 First Federal Bank souvenir piggy banks. Each piggy bank contained a cash prize of \$1, \$5, \$10, \$20, and a grand prize of \$500. Visitors were also invited to enter for the grand prize drawing of "5% Interest on a Million Dollars for Week." The second run-

ner-up will receive interest on a million dollars for a weekend while the third prize is interest on one million dollars for a day.

The contest closes October 9; entry blanks are available at the Shavertown branch.

First Federal Bank's Back Mountain Shopping Center office

is opened weekdays 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. with an extra hour on Friday evenings until 6 p.m. On Saturday, the Bank is opened from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

For further information, call First Federal Bank's new Back Mountain Office directly at 674-6084.

## Irish step dancers will perform at Kirby

The Emerald Isle Step Dancers will be presenting a "Call to Dance" on Saturday, Oct. 9 at the F.M. Kirby Center for the Performing Arts. The performance will begin at 7 p.m. In addition, an Irish dance group from Connecticut, "Beyond the Pale", an Irish band from Morgantown, PA and a local bagpiper will be performing.

The performance is open to the public at no cost however, tickets are needed to attend the show and can be obtained from the F.M. Kirby Center for the Performing Arts box office 823-4599. For more info, call 474-6587.

## William Sorber joins PennDOT staff

The Pennsylvania Department of Transportation announces William Sorber of Dallas has been appointed to the position of Transportation Equipment Operator A. Sorber has worked as a temporary PennDOT employee for the past four winters. He is married and has two children. Sorber is also a licensed pilot.

### PROPERTY TRANSFERS

The following property transfers were recorded at the Luzerne County Courthouse for the week of August 27 - September 2:

Janet A. Kenning, to Susan E. Williams, Lot 24, Dallas Twp., \$80,500.  
Fellowship Baptist, Jackson Twp., to Jean E. Hunter, et al, see deed, Jackson Twp.,

\$75,000.  
Donald B. Rood, et ux, to Brian J. Maher, et ux, Lot 7, Kingston Twp., \$225,000.  
Jeffrey J. Sands, et ux, to Nicholas E. Ivory, et ux, Lot 17B Sunrise Estates, Kingston Twp., \$255,000.  
Thomas M. Decurtis, et ux, to Carmen Pitarra, 115 E. Franklin St., Kingston Twp., \$93,000.

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**MERCY**  
ZONDLO, Michael and Dawn, Dallas, a daughter, Aug. 26.

**LUMIA**, Paul and Melanie, Dallas, a son, Sept. 2.

**NESBITT**  
JENKINS, Edward and Susan, Sweet Valley, a daughter, Aug. 26.

**PENN STATE GEISINGER**  
GORDON, Charlie and Rebecca, Harveys Lake, a daughter, Aug. 27.

**GEIST**, Edward and Stacey, Dallas, a son, Sept. 2.

**KESTER**, Michael and Donna, Shavertown, a daughter, Aug. 30.  
**HUEY**, Nancy and Ralph MOKU, Shavertown, a daughter, Aug. 31.

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