

Mrs. Effie Shank Billett

Surprise 79th birthday party held for Effie Shank Billett

Mrs. Effie Shank Billett, 116 East Front Street, Marietta, PA, celebrated her 79th birthday Tuesday, February 10th. A surprise Birthday Party was held for her by her children, Satur-

day at her home.

Mrs. Billett has 7 living children and 17 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

She is the wife of the late George D. Billett.

Cub Scouts write on 'Why I like America'

Below are winning essays by 9 year old members of Den 2, Cub Scout Pack 136, Mount Joy, on the subject, "Why I Like America." (Submitted by Mrs. Evelyn Duke.)

Winners are: Mark Shearer, Scott Kling, Shawn Kreiner, and Jerry Fried.

WHY I LIKE AMERICA!

by Mark Shearer

I like America because we are not ruled by a king or a queen. I like America because we can worship anyway we want to, and do it in any church we want to. I feel proud when I see our

flag and I'm happy and feel lucky to be born here in America and glad it is my home.

WHY I LIKE AMERICA!

by Scott Kling

I love America because I am free to go to the church of my choice each Sunday.

People, also have the right to bear arms or carry guns, which means someday I am free to go hunting with my dad. I have been looking forward to going up in to the beautiful mountains and hunt.

I am happy that we have all these freedoms to do the things I like to do. I hope someday that I can do

something good for my country in return.

WHY I LIKE AMERICA!

by Shawn Kreiner

If someone would ask me what I like about America, this is what I would probably say, "Well, our freedom is wonderful, also we may worship God in the church of our choice. I am thankful for our founders such as: Washington, Lincoln, Jefferson, Franklin, and the pilgrims. Also, the police that keep our country safe when we are asleep, and our freedom of speech.

WHY I LIKE AMERICA!

by Jerry Fried

Why I like America best of all the countries in the World. Because we have more freedom then other countries. Just to name a few of the freedoms, Freedom of speech, of religion, and the freedom of press, and the freedom to vote. The freedoms we enjoy-our rights-peace and security-our country-our state-town-friends-neighbors-our own homes and children. That's America to you and to me.

"Breathe's there a man with soul so dead, who never to himself hath said, this is my own, my native land."

...Scott

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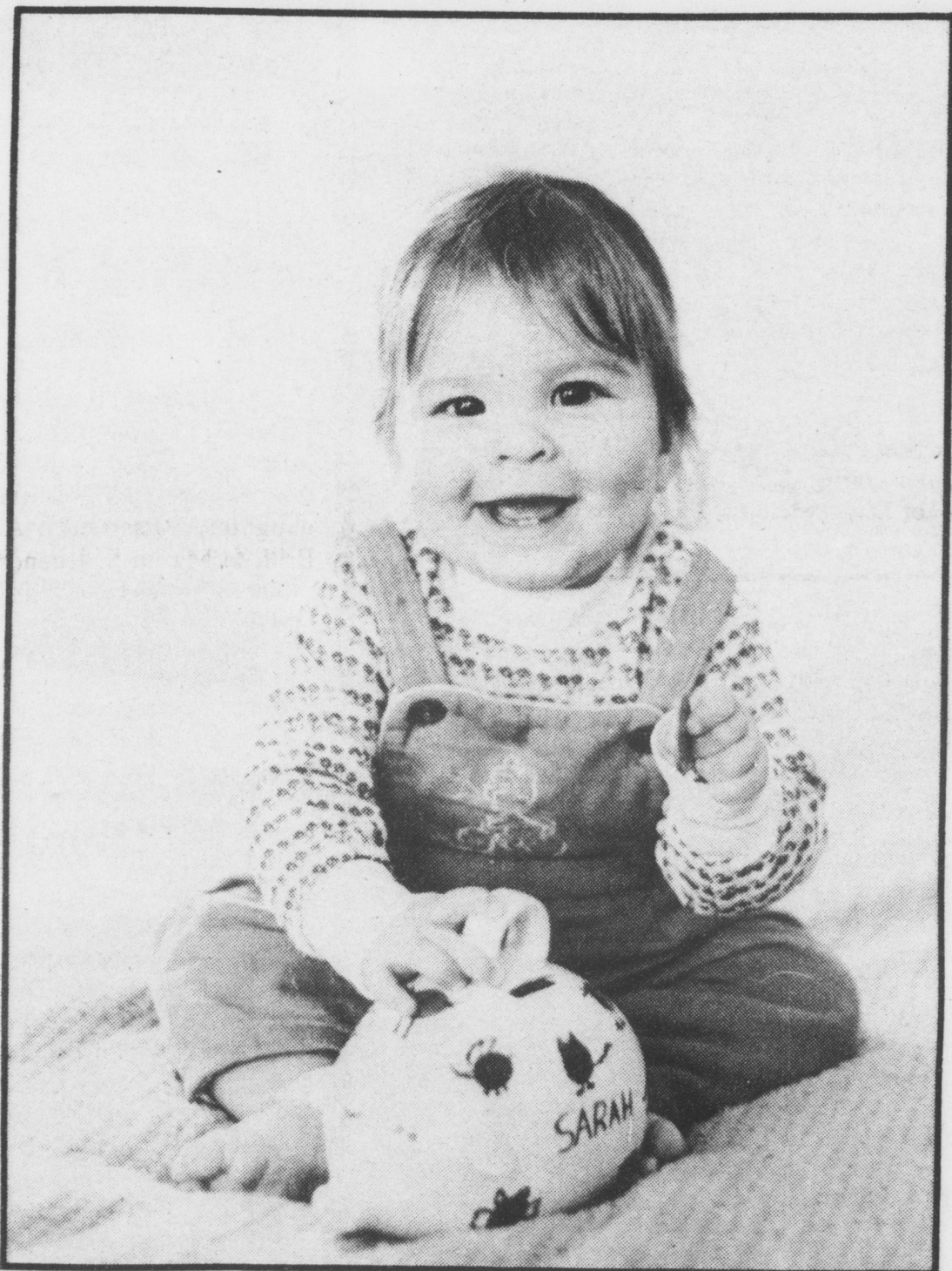
by Hazel Baker

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Pioneer Fire Company, Marietta, completed plans for a luncheon benefit to be served at Wyeth Labs., Inc. on February 11, at the regular monthly meeting in the company rooms.

Mrs. William Bailey will serve as chairwoman of the annual men's banquet on February 21st. Linda Hilts and Nancy Bailey will co-chair the food on April 10th. Mary Jane Geesey and Dottie Fahringer will arrange the rummage for that project on April 10th.

The 1976 membership campaign is now in session. Dues may be forwarded to Dottie Fahringer or presented at the regular meeting on Tuesday, March 2, at 7:30 p.m., at the firehall.

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