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Orchard Manor Celebrates 25 Years of Caring!!

Orchard Manor announced today its plans to hold a community appreciation day to celebrate 25 years of caring for the communities' loved ones. Although the Odd Fellows Home (The Wayside Inn) had served the Grove City and the surrounding areas since Theodore Roosevelt was the President of the United States, Orchard Manor itself has proudly provided exceptional care for its Residents for 25 years.



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The celebration will be held on Saturday, September 29, 2001.
There will be a variety of special attractions for the community

including: antique appraisals, lectures, free health screenings, guided tours, local business displays and booths, entertainment, a barbecue lunch and much more. As a part of the day, Orchard Manor is arranging a display depicting the history of the home. They will, of course, be highlighting the precursor to Orchard Manor, the Wayside Inn. Do you have any special stores, memories, photos, or

memorabilia to share in the display? If you are interested in being a part of the historical display, please contact Judy Boyd, Jamie King or Mary Jo Palmer at Orchard Manor at (724) 458-7760.

PLACES TO GO – PEOPLE TO SEE

SEPTEMBER

Saturday, 8th - Phila. Orphans Home, Walker Hall Saturday, 22nd, Mary C. Leitzel Testimonial Saturday, 29th - Orchard Manor 25th Anniversary Celebration

OCTOBER

Saturday, 13th - P.M. & L.A.P.M. Rally - Shamokin, PA Saturday, 13th - Charles Kelly Testimonial, Indiana, PA Sunday, 28th - 2002 Session Meeting, Grantville, PA

NOVEMBER

Saturday, 10th - Grand Encampment Rally, Bushkill Township, PA Saturday, 17th - Four County Rally, Tamaqua, PA

2005

JANUARY

Sunday, 6th - 2002 Session Meeting, Grantville, PA

APRIL

Sunday, 7th - 2002 Session Meeting, Grantville, PA

JUNE

Sunday, 2nd - 2002 Session Meeting, Grantville, PA

AUGUST

Saturday, 10th - Irene Kelly Testimonial, TBA

All 2002 Session Meetings will be held at 2:30 PM at the Holiday Inn.



INSIDE THIS EDITION Mahanoy & Idella in Relay for Life "Shots from Session"

Butler Lodge holds Annual Picnic P.M. & L.A.P.M. Rally Time

The following is a three part article: "Three Types, Which are you?" submitted by Mary E. Walker, P.P.R.A.

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Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly Holiday Inn, Grantville June 17-20, 2002

Department Council P.M. and Department Association, L.A.P.M. Holiday Inn, Grantville June 17-18, 2002

Grand Encampment Holiday Inn, Grantville June 19-20, 2002

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From the Desk of the Grand Secretary

Dear Readers,

Well here it is already the first anniversary of serving as your Editor. I would like to thank all those who offered the many calls and letters regarding our changes. It certainly has made this job rewarding. I also want to thank the "Reporters" – without you this magazine is nothing. Our subscriptions continue to increase. This is the best way of spreading the word and activities of Odd Fellowship throughout this Jurisdiction.

The only problem I have been unable to overcome is the amount of Brothers and Sisters who are not notifying us of address changes. Most of you are from Lodges who are gracious enough to pay for your subscription. If you only would realize the financial burden this is creating. With the new increase, we must pay .60 per copy that comes back. If this continues, we will have no choice but to increase subscriptions.

Again, the best way of guaranteeing we maintain our current fees are volume. The more subscriptions, the more we stay afloat.

It is hard to believe September is here. Today, August 6th, as I prepare this letter it is 99 degrees outside – so I guess I will welcome the fall with open arms.

Remember, fall is our busy time of the year. By the time you receive this you should have or will be having your nomination of officers for the coming year. The last meeting is your election. Please look close at your officers, if they are doing good and your Lodge is growing, keep them there. But if nothing is happening, then it's time for a change. Don't forget about your Representative to Grand Lodge or Rebekah Assembly. Attendance is way too low—we need your Lodge input.

To the Noble Grand elect, as soon as you can, start appointing committees. You need activity. Instead of asking the same few guys to hold chairs for the coming years, why not go and ask those members who haven't been coming. You could be surprised by asking — you could double your attendance. To our regular members, if the Noble Grand can convince an old member to come back to Lodge, relinquish your chair with grace. Be glad someone is back, welcome them and find yourself something else to do in the Lodge. There is always something to be done.

How does your Hall look? With fall coming, why not schedule a work party and spruce things up. Make sure there is some type of sign letting your town know the Odd Fellows/Rebekahs meet.

Remember – we have signs here at the office.

In closing, I will say good luck to our officers elect. May God grant you the knowledge and wisdom to lead your lodge in Friendship, Love and Truth.

Fraternally, "Charlie"



PRESIDENT LEITZEL MAKES JOINT OFFICIAL VISIT

President of Rebekah Assembly, Mary Leitzel, made a joint official visit with Lady Landis #303 and Mahoney Rebekah #428, both of Perry County. Lady Landis was the hostess in the hall of Mahoney.

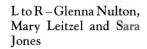
The Court of Honor presented the following dignitaries: Appointed Officers, Jean S. Wiean, Conductor; Sara J. Jones, Rt. Herald; Alma M. Klinger, Lt. Herald; Doris M. Goerlitz, Canadian Flag Bearer; Glenna Nulton, Reb. Flag Bearer; and Pauline Troutman, Inside Guardian. Marilyn Foose, DDP of District #25 and President Leitzel were introduced and accorded the Honors Noble Grand Edith Noll and DDP Foose greeted each officer with a gift and poem.

Sister Mary spoke on Friendship, Love and Truth; membership; Education; Arthritis Foundation; and the Pilgrimage for Youth.

She urged all sisters to inform people of what our Order represents.

Immediately following the meeting, very humorous entertainment was presented. Sister Sara of Mahoney staged a radio program and Sister Eva of Lady Landis rendered two skits enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served to all 27 present. Submitted by Martha

Submitted by Martha Rice, Sec'y R#428



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CUSSEWAGO LODGE 108 AWARDS SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships were presented by the Lodge to seniors at the Meadville High School and Cochranton High School. Recipients were Jenny Lavery (Meadville) and Jessica McCurdy (Cochranton). Requirements for the award are simple:

The student must show friendship and brotherly love for their peers, be trustworthy and be active in the community. Recipients are chosen by a committee consisting of Senior Class Advisor, Senior Classroom teacher and a Guidance Counselor.



Grand Master Adams and President Leitzel in front of Meadville Home at Memorial Service.

I'M TIRED OF ALL THE EXPERTS

by Marjorie Holmes Mighell – 1980

Listen, Lord . .

I'm tired of all the experts – of people who try to tell me how to raise my children, how to run my marriage, how to be a better person, how to save the world.

I've listened to them far too often, been intimidated by them too much, I have underestimated my own instincts and common sense – and you.

I am going back to the Bible for some good old-fashioned guidance: "Honor thy father and thy mother." "Bring up a child in the way he should go and he will not depart from it." "Love thy neighbor as thyself."

Yes, and the rest of the Ten Commandments, and a whole lot more. I'm going to rediscover this long-neglected gold mine. God, I'm going to see how it stacks up against the advice of today's socalled experts. (And while I'm at it, I'm going to be a lot more careful about posing as an expert myself.)

> Submitted by Barbara McClellan

REGALIA DEDICATION

A very beautiful ceremony for the dedication of new regalia has been forwarded to the magazine by Martha Rice, Sec'y of Mahoney Rebekah Lodge #428. Anyone interested should contact either the Grand Lodge or Rebekah Assembly Secretary. This can be used in Odd Fellow or Rebekah Lodges.

SEPTEMBER



WISHES

- 1 Gertrude Vaughn/R#136 Mary Walker/R#452
- 2 Glenna Nulton/R#428 Samuel Shilling/#733
- 4 Robert Frable/#541 Adele Schnabel/R#202
- 5 Ed Smith III/#86 Nelson Groce/#74 Findlay Wylie/#1107
- 7 Irene Hartman/R#161 Fred Melhorn/#74
- 8 Joe Strausser/DGM-#306
- 9 Calvin Cassell/#86 Samuel Seitz/#74 Charles Davis/#1107
- 10 Dorothy Mistretta/R#110 Kathy FlanaganR#247
- 11 Leola Madigan/PPRA Andrew Sopko/#348
- 12 William Mamay/#348 Donald Grove/#1030
- 13 Elmer Martin/#348 Aldred Windisch/#348 Arthur Allhouse/#1004

- 14 George Hogan/#1030
- 15 Francis Stine/#74 Clark Hall/#348 Art Moyer/#1032
- 16 Dennis Watson/#153
- 17 Mary Burr Carbaugh/PPRA Chris Wolf/#74
- 18 Jean Sulsoff/R#316 Kenneth Kornbau/#74 James Anchors/#1107 Donald Heckman/#488
- 19 Robert Anderson/#153 Troy Gaona/#348 Charles Libson/#541 James Housman/#739
- 20 Herbert Wetterau/#802 Norman Grove/#153
- 21 Dorothy Shive/R#558 Bob Raffensberger/#74 Michael Samella/#541 Pete Patterson/#847
- 22 Robert Derr/#1050 Izetta McGill/R#233 Elizabeth Schuler/R#202

- 23 Don Davis/#86 Emert Brandt/#74 Gene Phillips/#74 Eugene Taylor/#74 Charles Jodon/#153 John Delach/#348 Frank Schmidt/#541
- 24 Laura Locke/R#367 Wendy Dunkelberger/R#29
- 25 Clyde Adams/#551 Lamar Schreffler/#551 William Staley/#1004
- 27 Judy Lodwig/R#558 Quentin Mattocks/#739
- 28 LeRoy Shugart/#74 Joseph Bufalini/#348
- 29 Woodrow Waltemyer/#74
- 30 Dianne Stiles/R#362 Shirley Severcool/R#74 Charles Frederickson/#802 Richard Detter/#74 Joseph Shuey/#153

NOBLE GRAND ROBERT MARTIN RIDES AGAIN FOR MS

Brother Robert Martin, Noble Grand of Cussewago Lodge #108 once again rode the 150 miles from near Pittsburgh to Conneaut, Ohio, to raise money for Multiple Schlerosis. His contributions from Lodges and friends raised \$375.00 for MS research.

Taken from "The Missing Link" magazine of Lodge #74



Past GM Nevin Adams congratulates GM Reginald Cook.



Decoration of Chivalry Degree presented to Alma Klinger of Idella Rebekah Lodge #32. Pictured here with her husband Ernest and daughter Mary Leitzel.



Grand Master and Appointed Officers.



Jessie Werner and Blake Lewis, Honorary Life Members of the Odd Fellow Home of Western PA, Meadville.

ARTHRITIS COMMITTEE **ACTIVITIES**

The PA Arthritis Committee was looking for our next project and the Western PA Chapter approached us to see if we would fund a grant to allow them to present the P.A.C.E. (People with Arthritis Can Exercise) program at two more Senior high-rise retirement buildings in the Pittsburgh area. The programs that we funded over the last two years have been well received by the participants. The I.O.O.F. has received recognition for their support of the P.A.C.E. project on the brochures and advertisements.

At the last meeting of the PA Arthritis Committee, we decided to continue our support for this endeavor of the Western PA Chapter as our project for the year. As an organization, you have been very supportive financially in helping us meet this commit-

Please continue to send in your donations for this project and our other activities such as Camp JRA. Send your donations to the Committee Treasurer, Nevin Adams, 951 Shoemakersville Rd., Shoemakersville, AP 19555. Your checks should be made payable to the PA IOOF Jurisdictional Arthritis Committee. We need YOUR help.

Central PA Chapter

Arthritis Foundation

Camp Hill, PA 170911

17 S. 19th Street

717-763-0900 or

P.O. Box 668

800-776-0746

Eastern PA Chapter Arthritis Foundation 219 N. Broad Street Suite 2 Philadelphia, PA 19107 215-564-9800 or 800-283-7800

Western PA Chapter Arthritis Foundation 332 5th Avenue Warner Center 5th Fl Pittsburgh, PA 15222 412-566-1645 or 800-522-9900

arthritis.

The PA Jurisdictional Committee is asking you to become

active and support our efforts to make a difference for those with VOLUNTEER!

Charles E. Danihel, Chair PA IOOF Jurisdictional Arthritis Committee

CONNOQUENESSING LODGE #278 ANNUAL FAMILY PICNIC

The Annual Family Picnic was held recently at Alameda Park in Butler with 46 members and guests attending. The afternoon was spent in fellowship with those attending and playing ODD FELLOW BINGO!!! A catered dinner courtesy of the Lodge was served to those attending. Brother Wally Shakley acted as caller for the BINGO game and made up several NEW rules.



Brother Robert Smith with wife Mary Louise and Brother John LeFever and wife Lois Ann enjoying the Bingo game. (I believe they are telling Mary Louise that she has a Bingo.) Odd Fellow in the background is unidentified.



Brother Jim Hiles and wife Carol enjoying the game. Their granddaughter was a scholarship winner this year. Brother Jim extended his thanks and appreciation on his granddaughter's behalf.



Vice Grand Joe Herold with wife Laura showing off their BINGO winnings. Joe will be going on a Canadian Bear Hunting Trip. Many of his winnings will be going with him. He was presented a box of soap powder (compliments of the Lodge Brothers) to supplement his needs. Financial Secretary Alvin Walters was in charge of distributing the prizes for the game and seems to be enjoying his job.

PRESENT DISTRICT DEPUTY PRESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

With 22 members and one guest present, the meeting convened at R-Waffle King Restaurant in Altoona. The meeting was called to order by the President, Sister Ave Domblisky. She read a poem entitled "Strangers Are Friends We Never Meet." All were welcomed — especially Sister Martha Good, who has been ill and absent from our meetings.

Sister Ruth Ann Good gave words of Welcome, ending her welcome with a reading entitled "A Little Bit of Heaven." Sister Hope Brindle had a very lovely Response to the Welcome.

We Pledged Allegiance to the Flag and sang one verse of the National Anthem.

The Secretary, Sister Barbara McClellan, made new address books for the Association and gave them to all.

The following were reported as sick and distressed: Sister Virginia Reed, knee operation and her husband, Paul, had a heart attack. Sister Mae Judy had back surgery. Sister Louise Knoffsinger is not very well. Sister Rose Gearhart was reported as being ill. The Sisters of Huntingdon County informed us that Sister Sara Shives passed away and that they had funeral services for her. Also, Sister Bonny Morningstar, PPRA, passed away on April 21, and the funeral was Thursday, April 26.

Sister Jean Domblisky, chaplain presented the Memorial Service. The Sisters assisting her were Sara V. Bonson, Mae Judy, Ruth Ann Good and Jean Orr, who had readings and Sister Laura Homan sang "Beyond the Sunset" accompanied on the piano by Mary E. Walker, PPRA. Sister Domblisky thanked all for their assistance.

The hostess for September will be Mifflin County. Sister Virginia Reed will have the "Welcome" and Hope Brindle will give the "Response." Sister Hester Peoples will receive the reservations.

The host County for June was Indiana County. They gave a favor of Hershey kisses tied up in netting and had six potted plants that were used as door prizes.

The Chaplain closed the meeting with a reading entitled "Prayer Perfect" and prayed for safe travels and good health until we meet again.

Excerpts from the minutes of Secretary, Barbara McClellan, PPRA

BACK TO THE RACES

(Membership 2001 - 1/1/01 to 6/30/01)

Odd Fellow Rebekahs

1st PLACE California/122 Oregon /35

Pennsylvania 20th Place/22 39th place/2

SIX MONTHS and only 24 Members -

Looks like we need to get busy !!!!

REMEMBER:

ATTITUDE IS EVERYTHING !!!!!!!!!!

MT. ZION #74 ADOPTS "DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS"

Last fall the membership of Mt. Zion approved setting up a scholarship program for the children and grandchildren of members of Mt. Zion #74 and Salome Rebekah #30. The Committee spent much time and effort carefully researching this program, which has been named "Dollars for Scholars." The results of their research through the West York Area High School and Grand Lodge of PA programs produced the following requirements.

 Must be a senior in high school or attending college (sorry, no post graduates)

 Must request an application by January 31st and have it returned by March 31st.

 Must present high school GPA and a SAT score or present college GPA

 Write a 250 word or less essay of your future ambitions and goals.

The efforts of this committee, chaired by Robert Raffensberger, assisted by Bill McElwain and Stu Brenneman were pleased to announce that for the first year, six applications were received and five scholarships were awarded. Receiving the awards were:

 Ashley Swope York College Business Administration

 Valerie Dumurad Loyola University, MD Business Administration

 Vincent Moley Univ. of Clarion Computer Science

 Holly Holtzinger East Stroudsburg Univ. Elementary Education

On the topic of scholarships, the following thank you's were received from recipients of the PA Odd Fellow and Rebekah program.

Thanks again for the scholarship. It helped out a great deal. I am studying Computer Science at Penn State and I love it. The first two semesters in the Engineering program at Penn State brought on many challenging classes, but with the many hours of studying I was able to receive A's and B's in my classes. My GPA for the first two semesters is 3.35. Going into college I was hoping for more but after taking some of those courses I was really pleased with what I got. Thank you for helping fund my first year at college. I really appreciated it. Sincerely, Kyle Curtis

I want to take this opportunity to thank the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of PA for the scholarship that was awarded to me. The money will help my tuition cost. Julie Pharo

I would like to thank you for granting me this scholarship. Your aid is so helpful throughout the school year. I, as well as my parents, are so appreciative of that. Jamie Falzone

Thank you so very much. Ryan Kreider

I want to thank all of your for selecting me a recipient for the Odd Fellow-Rebekah scholarship for the 2001-02 school year. This scholarship will help very much with my college expenses this year. Thank you again. I really appreciate it very much. Jodi Haynes

Dear Odd Fellows & Rebekahs of Pennsylvania: First, I would like to thank you for the scholarship. I'm glad there is a way to help me through college. So far I completed my freshman year. This

summer I took one session of summer classes where I took two courses. Through my grandfather, Charles B. Kelly, I was able to attend those classes. The scholarship money I received will go into my Fall 2001 to cover my leftover tuition and books. What's leftover I will save for Spring '02. I'll have five classes. I'm still taking the liberal studies which are courses needed before entering my field of study. As you might remember, I'm in the field of education to be an Elementary Teacher. Things are going smoothly for a new surrounding. At the moment my GPA is 3.11. I hope to get a 4.0 GPA in my fall classes to bring my accumulative GPA up. I will inform you of my progress once school starts. Well, I hope you are all enjoying your summer. Take care and Thank You. Sincerely, Holly Baker

Thank you. Christopher Ashworth

Your assistance in granting me a scholarship this year is very, very much appreciated. I am studying to become an Elementary Teacher to continue the tradition of our family. I will become a third generation teacher. Catherine Hogue

Thank you very much for your consideration and awarding me a scholarship. Laureen Rucci

I would like to thank the Odd Fellow and Rebekahs of PA for the scholarship to help with my studies at Lehigh University. I am proud to be chosen for this honor. Lee Blaney

I would like to thank the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs for considering me for their scholarship. It is truly an honor to receive this money. I will be attending IUP to major in Elementary Education. I am sure my grandfather C. Donald Murton would be proud of me as is my Grandmother. Thank you again. Dana Alexander

Thank you so very much for awarding me this scholarship. I have always dreamed of going to college and all of you are helping make my dream come true. Thank you for acknolwedgeing my hard work in such a manner. Jennifer Brehanna

WARREN LODGE AIDS THE YOUTH OF WARREN COUNTY

Pictured is Heather Wooten, Director of "Warren Area Student Union" receiving a check from John Colter, Secretary of Warren Lodge #339 to aid in the renovation of the old Armory Building for the use of the Student Union.





THE WINDOW

A great note for all to read. It will take just 30 seconds to read this and change your way of thinking.

Two men, both seriously ill, occupied the same hospital room. One man was allowed to sit up for an hour each afternoon to help drain the fluid from his lungs. His bed was next to the room's only window. The other

man had to spend all his time flat on his back. The men talked for hours on end. They spoke of their wives and families, their homes, their jobs, their in-

volvement in the military, where they had been on vacation.

Every afternoon when the man could sit up, he would pass the time by describing to his roommate all the things he could see outside the window. The other man in the bed began to live for those one hour periods where his world would be broadened and enlivened by all the activity and color of the world outside.

The window overlooked a lovely lake. Ducks and swans played on the water while children sailed their model boats. Young lovers walked arm in arm amidst the flowers of the landscape, and a fine view of the city skyline could be seen in the distance. As the man by the window described all this in exquisite detail, the man on the

LADY EVELYN #22 AWARDED 2ND PLACE IN FIREMAN'S PARADE

The hard work and efforts of Lady Evelyn Rebekah Lodge #22, Cassville assisted by their brother Lodge Mt. Hor #736, was not in vain. Aside from promoting Rebekah Odd Fellowship during the three day Trought Creek Fireman's Convention, they were awarded second place for their entry of their float during the parade.

It was refreshing the way the members of both Lodges pulled together for this project. Brother Wayne McClain furnished the trailer to build the float, Sister Marian Lynn offered her garage for storage and construction, Brother Dallas Lemin offered his pick up to pull the trailer, Sisters Tarea Mansburger and Dolores McConaughny and her friend "Jack" did the lettering.

The results on July 7th, with seven sisters riding the float produced a cash award for second place. The Sister of this Lodge donated the funds back to the Fireman. The project itself and the finished product was more than an award itself.



other side of the room would close his eyes and imagine the picturesque scene.

One warm afternoon the man by the window described a parade passing by. Although the other man couldn't hear it, he could see it with descriptive words. Days and weeks passed. One morning, the day nurse arrived to bring water for their baths, only to find the lifeless body of the man by the window, who had died peacefully in his sleep. She was saddened and called the hospital attendants to take the body away. As soon as it seemed appropriate, the other man asked if he could be moved to the bed by the window. The nurse was happy to make the switch, and after making sure he was comfortable, she left him alone.

Slowly, painfully, he propped himself up on one elbow to take his first look at the world outside. Finally, he would have the joy of seeing it for himself. He stained to slowly turn to look out the window beside the bed. It faced a blank wall. The man asked the nurse what could have compelled his deceased roommate who had described such wonderful things outside this window.

The nurse responded that the man was blind and could not even see the wall. She said, "Perhaps he just wanted to encourage you." Epilogue: There is tremendous happiness in making others happy, despite their own situations. Shared grief is half the sorrow, but when happiness is shared, it is doubled. If you want to feel rich, just count all the things you have that money can't buy. Today is a gift, that's why it is called the present.

Submitted by I. Witter

FOUR MEMBERS OF SUSANNAH #247 COMBINE 200 YEARS OF REBEKAH ODD FELLOWSHIP

May and June were quite active at Susannah Rebekah Lodge #247, Harrisburg. In May, Justine Bloom became a Sister of the Lodge receiving her Rebekah Degree at the All State Rally.

In June, four Sisters attained fifty years of membership in the Lodge. Left to right is Kathryn Bush, Catherine Keefer and Redella Best. Seated is Katherine Marshall, a guest at Middletown Home. Congratulations to all five of these Sisters!!



A LIFETIME LATER

Three men of Berks County recently closed an open chapter in their life. All of their educations were cut short by World War II.

OPERATION PROGRAM – a program that awards honorary diplomas to WWII veterans who left high school for the war was started by Massachusetts Department of V.A. Andrea Hartman, 17, a junior at Hamburg High School, learned of the program through her church, discussed it with school officials. Hartman and Danielle Frye, 17, spotted an article in "The Hamburg Item" for a reunion of the Class of '45. The article mentioned that two people at the reunion did not graduate because they went to war. The students posted a notice in the "Hawkeye" – the district newsletter. Another veteran answered the ad, this is where we come into the picture.

Richard "Bud" Berkley, 75, Hamburg was initiated into Symmetery Lodge #103, Hamburg on February 27, 1947. Brother Bud became a Past Grand of that Lodge and also a Past Chief Patriarch of Earl R. Leiby encampment #106. He now holds membership in Leesport Lodge #141 through consolidation. He is an active member of the Royal Purple Degree Team and can be seen yearly performing at the Bushkill Rally. His father, the late Joseph F. Beckley, was composer of our official "Three Link March."

Brother Beckley and his wife Malinda have two children and two grandsons. His education was finishing ninth grade at Hamburg until he enlisted in the Navy in 1943. He went to Japan in 1945, China in 1946 and was discharged in 1946. You can see it didn't take him long until the following year he began his travel on the road of Odd Fellowship.

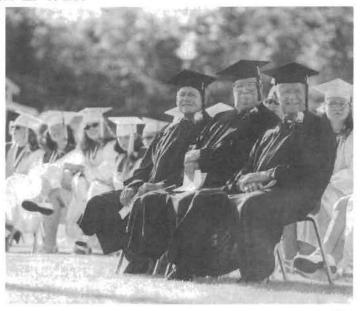
Brother Beckley worked as a pattern maker for 41 years, retiring in 1987.

As part of the Operation Recognition the High School awarded them honorary diplomas during the high school commencement exercises.

WALKER LODGE #306 INSTALLS NEW OFFICER FOR SECOND TERM

Pictured left to right is Reginald Cook, DGM; Joseph Tucker, Jr. Past Grand; James Blaney, newly installed Noble Grand and Grand Master Nevin Adams. Brother Jim will be finishing up his term this month. Congratulations on a good term.





World War II veterans, from left, Harold L. Berger, Lenhartsville, and Edward V. Correll and Richard M. Beckley, both of Hamburg, wait for their diplomas Friday during Hamburg High School's graduation ceremonies. They received honorary diplomas under Operation Recognition – a program that honors World War II veterans who left high school to serve in the war.

Brother Beckley was quoted in the *Reading Eagle* as saying, "Even though it doesn't mean anything toward my advancement, it's something that, in a way, I earned but never got." The men joined the service when they were 17. They needed their parents' permission to enlist. It did not matter to them that they were very young and had not finished school. Their friends and family were fighting the enemy. They wanted to join them, for these men, their responsibility to the country was more important than academics. "The people of today do not know how serious it was at the time" Beckley said. "All of a sudden, we didn't have a Navy. The Navy was wiped out at Pearl Harbor. I was very much concerned." They traded their books for guns. Instead of practicing the jitterbug, they learned to dodge bullets and trained for battle.

These men, along with many others, are what we owe today's freedom to.

excerpts and photo taken from the Reading Eagle

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STRUCHEN'S CELEBRATE 60 YEARS

Bill and Dorothy Struchen, Past Grand Patriarch and Past President Rebekah Assembly respectively celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary on August 23rd.

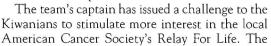
The Sisters of Sharpsville Rebekah Lodge #110 held a surprise party for the couple. They invited their husbands, Bill and Dorothy's son Ed, wife Val and granddaughter Elizabeth. Ice cream and cake were served. A monetary gift and keepsake were presented to the honorees. A very nice evening was spent socializing.

The Staff of the P.O.F. extends our Best Wishes to Bill and Dorothy and invite you to honor them with a card to:

Mr. and Mrs. William Struchen 93 Smith Avenue Sharon, AP 16146

DORNSIFE ODD FELLOWS & REBEKAHS FIGHT CANCER

After months of holding basket bingos, conducting raffles, and soliciting contributions, the Mahanoy Lodge 551 and Idella Rebekah Lodge 58 team's effort to beat the Dalmatia Kiwanis Club came to an abrupt end.



object of the challenge was to raise the most funds for the Relay – the winning team would be provided with a nice dinner hosted by the losing team. The winners (Dalmatia Kiwanis) brought in over \$12,100 and the losers (Odd Fellows/Rebekahs) over \$10,700. As a result of this challenge, the Upper Dauphin Area Relay For Life was able to meet its goal of \$70,000 (the exact amount is now known at the time of this article). The top three teams raised over \$30,000. There were 23 teams participating in the event. All of the proceeds benefit the American Cancer Society.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs team consisted of twenty-eight members, each walking at least one hour during the actual Relay For Life, which can from noon on July 21 to noon of July 22 on the track at Millersburg High School Stadium. Many of the team members stayed for most of the twenty-four hours of the marathon.

This is the fourth year that Relay For Life was held in the Upper Dauphin Area. The first year there were five teams raising \$10,500. Last year, 25 teams raised over \$52,500. This year, as stated, 23 teams delivered over \$70,000.



HELP WANTED

The twenty-fifth Anniversary of the Grand Lodge Building is approaching. When all was lost on Front Street in Harrisburg, headquarters had to be rebuilt. There was a time frame and extensive costs involved. Some corners had to be cut and also since that time *very little* has been done to the building. Wouldn't it be nice to get our state office in order and possibly hold a rededication when the time comes?

This is where you come in. In order to do this cost effectively and to get the most with the funds available, there is a lot of work that can be done with volunteers. Both Men and Women. There are windows, memorabilia and display cases that need shining. There is also lots of painting. If you would like to volunteer time at your convenience, contact the Grand Lodge Office – we will be glad to work around your schedule.

Also, there are some overnight accommodations for those traveling a distance. Why not consider giving a day or two to help make your state building something to brag about. The hard work was done 24 years ago, now it's time to dress it up. Also, if any person is interested in making a monetary donation to this, send your check payable to "Grand Lodge of PA, IOOF" earmarked for building project.

THANK YOU

A very special THANK YOU from me and the entire Kelly family for the many cards (95 that we received) and the many wishes of sympathy that we have received from the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs from all over this wonderful jurisdiction. Mom was a Rebekah when we had a Lodge here in Saltsburg and she did a lot of traveling with Irene and I and had many friends throughout the state. We have received money from some and it was turned over to the Senior Citizens here in Saltsburg, where she was still President when she passed away. We will all miss her.

Thanks Again,

Charles B. Kelly and the Kelly Family

P.M. & L.A.P.M. RALLY

All Chevaliers and Ladies are asked to report to Mt. Tabor Lodge Hall, on Route 225, Trevorton Road (Shamokin) on Saturday, October 13, 2001 for the Annual Rally of the Patriarchs Militant and Ladies Auxiliary Patriarchs Militant.

The Degrees will start at 1:00 P.M., however a luncheon will be served by Wilkes-Barre Aux. from 11:00 AM to 12:15 PM. This will consist of soup, bar-b-que, sandwiches and dessert. Cost will be \$3.50 and may be paid that day.

A Banquet will be served at 5:00 PM. Cost is \$15.00 per person. The entree will be Baked Country Ham and Roasted Tom Turkey. Deadline for this meal is October 1st. Mail your reservations with remittance to Lena Shade, RR #1, Box 773, Herndon, PA 17830.

All checks should be made payable to the "PM & LAPM Rally." Raffle tickets will be sold at the door and prize donations are more than welcome.

Chivalrously, Wilkes-Barre Aux. #31, LAPM

THREE TYPES: WHICH ARE YOU?

Mary E. Walker, PP

In looking through past addresses I have given it seems apropos to submit the following for your consideration. We need to look into the decline in our membership and ask ourselves what can be done to turn it around and become once again the thriving Order we were at one time.

Therefore, please seriously answer the following: "Three Types: Which Are You?"

First, ROWBOAT people:

These are the folks who need to be pushed or shoved along. I am sure we're all thinking of someone who belongs in this group. But, just a minute – how about our friends who may be thinking that we belong there?

How many times have you tried to have something in your lodge, church or any group you may be a part of, and you have been the lucky one to be named the chairperson? You try to get your committee together and find almost everyone has an excuse as to "why" he/she couldn't serve on that committee. They are working when the meetings are scheduled; there's an old movie on television to be seen; no one to baby-sit; or I haven't been home one night in a month and feel I owe my family this one night.

After much coaxing and lots of phoning, one after one they agree to serve BUT only if they aren't asked to get too involved. This type of person is content to sit and let everyone else to the work, but if it isn't done the way they think it should be, look out!

To have to push and shove all the time is surely one way to lose interest in any undertaking, and finally, one day we awaken to the fact that what had once been a flame is now nothing but a dying ember. The person who has to do all the pushing and shoving to get our ROWBOAT friend moving has exhausted his strength and has nothing left to work with.

TO ALL ODD FELLOW AND REBEKAH LODGES AND DISTRICT DEPUTY PRESIDENTS

THANK YOU VERY MUCH for all donations to my projects this past year. The following are my donations:

\$8,000.00 -- Camp JRA in Memory of Robert Stanley

\$8,547.00 -- Special Fund -- PA Visual Eye Fund

\$3,200.00 -- PA Education Fund

\$1,500.00 -- For scholorships

\$1,700.00 -- To be put into the endowment fund

\$1,830.00 -- Odd Fellows Home/Middletown

\$1,472.83 -- Orchard Manor

THANK YOU AND "MAY GOD'S ANGELS WATCH OVER YOU ALWAYS"

Mary C. Leitzel, PP

THANK YOU

I would like to thank all my Brothers and Sisters for their cards and prayers during my recent illness. It is comforting to know how many friends I have in this great order. Thank you all -- it really helped to speed my recovery.

Gaylord Garner

The following is an article submitted e-mail by Brother Martin Dubson which adds to our Grand Master's words that

"ATTITUDE IS EVERYTHING"

This old farmer had a mule that fell into the farmer's well. The water wasn't very deep, so the mule was able to stand on the bottom. The farmer heard the mule praying, or whatever mules do when they fall into a well and went to investigate. After assessing the situation, the farmer sympathized with the mule but decided that neither the mule nor the well was worth saving.

The farmer called his neighbors together and told them what had happened and enlisted them to help haul dirt to bury the old mule in the well and put him out of his misery. Initially the mule was hysterical, but as the farmer and his neighbors continued to shovel dirt on his back a thought struck him. It dawned on the mule that every time a shovel load of dirt landed on his back he would shake it off and step up. This he did, blow after blow of dirt hitting his back. Shake it off and step up . . . shake it off and step up . . . shake it off and step up . . .

It wasn't long before the old mule, battered and exhausted, stepped over the wall of the well. What had seemed would bury him actually saved him because of the manner in which he handled this adversity.

That's life. If we face our problems and respond to them with a "Positive Attitude" and refuse to given in to panic, bitterness or self pity . . . the adversities that come along to bury us often have within them the very real potential to benefit us.

Remember, Amateurs built the Ark. Professionals built the Titanic.

GRAND MASTER'S VISIT TO FULTON COUNTY PROVES EXCITING

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ODD FELLOWS - MIDDLETOWN HOME

Summer was in full swing at The Middletown Home. June was filled with special parties, outings, and many activities to keep hands bury.

Nancy Busler spent her 100th Birthday with family and friends at the home. She listened to her biography written by her son and daughter-in-law, listened to friends and family sing "Happy Birthday," and reminisced with her loved ones.

Residents attended The Harrisburg Senators Baseball Game at City Island. The weather was beautiful, the people that worked and volunteered there were extremely helpful, and the home team won – go, SENATORS!!!!

At the monthly "cooking" activity the residents made their own pizzas. Tasting was the best part!

Residents look forward to next month's activities. They include The Middletown & Hummelstown Train Ride, and an Ice Cream Sundae Party.



(L to R) Residents Dick Garver, Lucy Rines, Bill Smith, and Hazel (Billie) Baker pose with Harrisburg Senator Mascot, "Rascal."



Resident, Ruth Lawson and Activity Staffer, Valerie Smith, making English Muffin Pizza. Munga! Munga! - Eat! Eat!



Nancy Busler and her family and friends at her 100th Birthday Party.



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P.O.F. DAYS GONE BY

75 YEARS AGO

(September 1926)

OVERCROWDED IN EFFORT - One hundred sixty members of Keystone Lodge #78, Bethlehem paid a fraternal visit to Effort

IN MEMORIAM

ETHEL M. WATTS

June 21, 2001

Tussey Rebekah Lodge #66



Sister Ethel (Weller) Watts, 80, of Lemont, was initiated into Tussey Rebekah Lodge #66, Boalsburg on February 28, 1958 where she attained the rank of Past Noble Grand.

She was a member of the Mount Nittany U.M. Church.

She is survived by three daughters, seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. The Lodgs of Centre County held a memorial

service at the church.

Burial was made in the Twin Hills Memorial Park, Lycoming County.

LOUISE KNOFFSINGER June 22, 2001 Tussey Rebekah Lodge #66



Sister Louise (Swartz) Knoffsinger, 77, of State College, was initiated into Tussey Rebekah Lodge, Boalsburg on September 30, 1967. She attained the rank of Past Noble Grand and served the Rebekah Assembly as a Past District Deputy President.

She was a member of the Milesburg Presbyterian Church. She was preceded in death by her husband Paul.

She is survived by a son, two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Rebekah Services were held and burial was in the Center County Memorial Park.

MINNIE MILLHEIM July 23, 2001

Lady Hall Rebekah Lodge #202 – Charter Member

Sister Minnie (Hartzell) Millheim, 94, formerly of Nazareth, was initiated a charter member into Lady Hall Rebekah Lodge #202, Nazareth on May 26, 1945. She became a Past Noble Grand and received her Assembly Degree, April 1, 1952.

She was a member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Moorestown. Her husband Norman and two sons preceded her in death.

She is survived by two sons, 11 grandchildren, 19 great-grand-children and five great-great grandchildren.

Burial was in the Holy Cross Lutheran Cemetery.

Lodge #1107 in order to entertain with their well known band. Upon arriving, they found another visiting delegation from the neighboring lodges and ended up with more than 400 present. There was not enough room in their new hall and they had to split up the groups and take turns with the meetings.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION – Arrangements are being made to accommodate 500 members and visitors at Menorah Lodge #1434, Philadelphia, for a public installation.

There will be dancing following the ceremony.

1st SESSION, Dept. Assoc. L.A.P.M. – Arrangements are made at Gettysburg for the first session of the Dept. Assoc. which organized this past December in Philadelphia.



Richard J. Lippey, Major General Commander Dept. of Pennsylvania, P.M.I.O.O.F.

25 YEARS AGO

(September 1976)

JAMISON #447 turns 12 – This lodge celebrated their 125th anniversary with a dinner at the William Penn Hotel in Gwynned with 82 in attendance. Dancing and entertainment followed the meal.

NEWBURG #562 placed a concrete and wood bench on the green of the town.

NEVERSINK #514 announces busy term. They started with their participation in the Street Fair in May, their annual chicken bar-b-que in August here they served 500 dinners. Held their annual service at the Middletown Home with their steak fry the following night. Their annual banquet is planned for next month.



CLYDE H. BARGER, GRAND HER-ALD, resides at 701 Maple Drive, Monongahela with his wife, Carolyn and daughters, Debra Lynn, and Sandra Jean.

He works for Peoples National Gas Company of Pittsburgh out of the Southern Division Office Monongahela as a Customer Serviceman. As of January this coming year, he will have completed 30 years of service.

He joined Nucleus I.O.O.F. Lodge #377 of Monongahela at the TriState Rally in April, 1973. Since that time he has served as Noble Grand and is currently serving as Noble Grand. He is on the Tri State Rally committee and is on the Unified Grand Lodge Committee for the 1977 Session in Pittsburgh. He is also a member of Sara Ellen Rebekah #344.

Besides our Order he is also a member of Monongahela Turners and the Charleroi Veterans Club.

He is his family attend the First Methodist Church of Monongahela.

IS YOUR CARD HERE? IT CAN BE FOR \$10.00 ANNUALLY

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Secretaries and Scribes - Attention!!!

Please inform the manager promptly of change of secretary or scribe or his address in order that correct listing may appear in Roster.

ALLENTOWN—CANTON ALLENTOWN, #39, meets 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 118 N. 9th St., Allentown, PA 19102, Harold W. Reiss, Clerk, 1550 Cherry Lane, Ancient Oaks, Macungie, PA 18062-9423.

ALLENTOWN AUXILIARY, #39, meets 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 118 N. 9th St., Allentown, PA 19102. Mary Landes, Sec'y, 316 S. Main St., Sellersville, PA 18960.

ALLISON PARK—HAMPTON LODGE, #1004, meets 2nd and last Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. at 4743 S. Pioneer Rd., Wm. Ehmann, Sec'y, 2925 Elsiton Ln., Allison Park, PA 15101

ALLPORT—ASTER REBEKAH LODGE, #177 meets 2nd and 4th Monday of every Month at the Gethsemane United Methodist Church, Rtc. 2030, off Rte. 53, Allport. Barbara McClellan, RD 2, Box 403, Munson, PA 16860, pastprez@uplink.net

ASKAM—ASKAM LODGE, #899, meets every Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 2601 S. Main Street. Edward G. Bath, Sr., Sec'y, 330 Beaumont Street, Warrior Run, PA 18706.

ATLANTIC—GOLDEN RULE REBEKAH LODGE, #198, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 PM at I.O.O.F. Hall, Main St., Nancy Gruber, Sec'y, 3752 Atlantic Lake Rd., Atlantic, PA 16111.

BELLEVILLE—LADY GREENWOOD REBEKAH LODGE, #308, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 7:30 P.M. at 50 S. Kishacoquillas Street. Hannah L. Hassinger, Sec'y, 4470 E. Main St., Belleville, PA 17004.

BELLEFONTE—CENTRE LODGE, #153, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday in the Odd Fellows Lodge, 756 Axman Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823. Eugene Bennett, Sec'y, 3030 Buffalo Run Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823.

CRYSTAL SPRING REBEKAH LODGE, #25, meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 8:00 PM at I.O.O.F. Hall, 756 Axemann Rd., Mae L. Summers, Sec'y, P.O. Box 8974, Mileshurg, PA 16853.

BIRDSBORO—NEVERSINK LODGE, #514, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday, 518-520 E. Main Street. Arthur Scott Care, Sec'y, 805 Pomander Avenue, Reading, PA 19606.

BOALSBURG—TUSSEY REBEKAH LODGE, #66, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. at I.O.O.F. Hall, 101 W. Main St. Anna S. Roush, Sec'y, 2215 W. Whitehall Rd., State College, PA 16801.

BOWMANSDALE—BOWMANSDALE LODGE, #1179, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 P.M. at the IOOF Hall, 37 Lisburn Road. Harry R. Kennedy, Sec'y, 392 E. Mt. Airy Rd., Dillsburg, PA 17019.

BOYERTOWN—BOYERTOWN LODGE, #708, meets every Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. (Oct. thru Mar.) and at 8:00 P.M. (Apr. thru Sept.) at 35 E. Philadelphia Ave. Earl Good, Sec'y, Box 171, New Berlinville, PA 19545.

BRISTOL—HOPKINS LODGE, #87, meets 2nd & 4th Thurs. at 8:00 P.M. in Saint James Episcopal Parish House, Wood and Walnut Sts. Harry B. Keaton, Sec'y, 45 Grasspond Rd., Levittown, PA 19057.

BROOMALL—FRANCES F. EVANS REBEKAH LODGE, #5, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M., Sproul Road, Marple Presbyterian Church. Mabel Bankes, Sec'y, 141 Mill Road, Havertown, PA 19083.

BROWNFIELD—GLADYS REBEKAH LODGE, #103, meets 2nd & 4th Fridays at 7:30 P.M., Gladys Showalter, Sec'y, PO Box 142, Brownfield, PA 15416.

BROWNSVILLE—BROWNSVILLE LODGE, #51, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at 31 Market St., Brownsville, Robert Bradman Jr., Sec'y, 31 Market St., Brownsville, PA 15417.

BUTLER—CONNOQUENESSING LODGE, #278, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. at 263 S. Main Street, Butler, PA. Alvin Waters, Sec'y, 218 E. Water St., Slippery Rock, PA 16057.

CANTON—LADY CANTON REBEKAH LODGE, #362, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 2:00 PM at I.O.O.F. Hall, 31 Troy St., Dianne Stiles, Sec'y, RD #1, Box 345, Canton, PA 17724.

CASSVILLE—LADY EVEL YN REBEKAH LODGE, #22, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 44 Walnut Street, Cassville. Anna Bell Ramsey, Sec'y, HCR 1, Box 6, Calvin, PA 16622.

MT. HOR LODGE, #736 meets 2nd & 4th Fridays at 7:30 P.M., 44 Walnut St., Cassville. William Ramsey, Sec'y, HCR 1, Box 6, Calvin, PA 16622.

COCHRANVILLE—HEBRON LODGE, #437, meets 2nd and 4th Mondays, in the Odd Fellows Hall, 173 Cochran St., Cochranville, PA at 8:00 P.M. Dale E. Binkley, Sec'y., 106 Glenloch Dr., Landenberg, PA 19350, dbinkley@kennett.net

NEW CENTURY REBEKAH LODGE, #244, meets 2nd and 4th Mondays, in the Odd Fellows Hall, 173 Cochran St., Cochranville, PA at 7:00 P.M. Hazel Binkley, Sec'y, 2906 Newport Gap Pike, Wilmington, DE 19808.

COLLEGEVILLE—ECONOMY LODGE, #397, meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at I.O.O.F. Hall, 111 N. Main St., Spring City. Lloyd T. Hallman, Sec'y, PO Box 548, Frederick, PA 19435.

CONNEAUT LAKE—CONNEAUT LAKE LODGE #980, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. at Water Street, William Ellison, Sec'y, 15781 Harmonsburg Rd., Meadville, PA 16335.

REBEKAH OF THE LAKE LODGE #142, meets 2nd and 4th Mondays at 8:00 P.M. in the O.F. Hall. Kathryn Keppel, Sec'y., 12676 Bruce Dr., Conneaut Lake, PA 16316.

CONNELLSVILLE—GENERAL WORTH LODGE, #386, meets 1st and 3rd Saturday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 107 S. Pittsburgh Street, John S. Cupp, Jr., Sec'y, 92 E. Main Street, Suite 24, Uniontown, PA 15401, cupp@sgi.net

EDNA REBEKAH LODGE, #32, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 1:00 P.M. at I.O.O.F. Hall, 109 S. Pittsburgh St., Lee Etta Mansberry, Sec'y, PO Box 79, Brownfield, PA 15416.

DALLAS—ONEIDA LODGE, #371, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. over Fino's Drug Store. Visitors welcome. Walter Gosart, Sec'y, 51 Stang Ave., Shavertown, PA 18708-1529.

DORNSIFE—MAHANOY LODGE, #551, meets every Thursday, Oct 1 to March 31, 7:30 P.M., April 1 to Sept. 30, 8:00 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, Route 225. Donald W. Zerbe, Sec'y, RR 1, Box 763, Herndon, PA 17830.

IDELLA REBEKAH LODGE, #58, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, Route 225. Dawn Snyder, Sec'y, RR 1, Box 35, Dornsife, PA.

DRAVOSBURG—STAR OF GLASSPORT REBEKAH LODGE, #563, meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 8:00 P.M. at the Masonic Bldg., 200 Duquesne Street, Dravosburg, PA 15034. Dianne Rosche, Sec'y, 21 Shady Lane, Elizabeth, PA 15037.

EBENSBURG—HIGHLAND LODGE, #428, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. in the I.O.O.F. Hall, 207 West High Street. Robert C. Burgan, Sec'y, 218 Columbus Ave., Cresson, PA 16630.

EDINBORO—EDINBORO LODGE, #510, meets 2nd & 4th Thurs., 8:00 P.M., Masonic Hall, 101 Walker Dr., Edinboro. Lawrence Piepers, Sec'y, 7216 Crane Rd., Edinboro, PA 16412.

ELIZABETH—MONONGAHELA LODGE, #209, meets the 4th Wednesday at 7:00 P.M. at Roberts Hollow Rd. Mary Louise Rudman, Scribe, 20-A Greenwood Heights, Connellsville, PA 15425.

MONONGAHELA ENCAMPMENT, #109, meets the 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. at Roberts Hollow, James R. Lewis, Scribe, 1200 Madison Dr., Elizabeth, PA 15037.

CANTON PITTSBURGH, #5, meets on the 1st Monday of the month, 8:00 P.M., Roberts Hollow Rd. Robert J. Love, Clerk, 2815 Kathy St., Library, PA 15129.

MONONGAHELA L.E.A., # 109, meets the 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. of each month at Roberts Hallow Rd., Tamara Schlott, Scribe, 42 Granite Dr., P.O. Box 4, Gastonville, PA 15336.

ELYSBURG—ELYSBURG LODGE, #548, meets every Thursday in the Lodge Hall on S. Market Street. Anthony Losiewicz, Sec'y, RR1 Box 845, Coal Township, PA 17866

ERIE—LAURA REBEKAH LODGE, #101, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 1:00 P.M. in the Masonic Bldg., 32 W. 8th St., Erie, PA. Myrtle Nelson, Secy., 811 Wyoming Ave., Erie, PA

FALLS CREEK.—FALLS CREEK LODGE, #957, meets every Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 106 Main Street. Kenneth A. Wiser, Sec'y, 432 Deemer Ave., Falls Creek, PA 15840.

FREEDOM—EDITH LODGE, #812, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M., 625 Third Avenue, Freedom, PA. Herbert Heinemann, Sec'y, 1049 Catherine Drive, Conway, PA 15027.

HARRISON GRAHAM ENCAMPMENT, #116, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M., 625 Third Avenue. Herbert Heinemann, Scribe, 1049 Catherine Dr., Conway, PA 15027.

FREEPORT—FREEPORT LODGE, #379, meets every Wednesday at 7:30 P.M., except June, July and August, when meetings are held on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall on Ford City Road, Route 128N. Edward Lydick, See'y, 203 McWilliams Dr., Natrona Heights, PA 15065.

GASTONVILLE—NUCLEUS LODGE, #377, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Bldg., Finleyville-Elrama Road. Richard Froebe, Sec'y, Froebe Rd., Venetia, PA 15367.

MONONGAHELA DEGREE LODGE, #88, meets the 4th Wednesday of every month at the Nucleus Lodge Hall at 7:30 P.M. Eugene Umbel, Sec'y, 641 Bitner Rd., Dunbar, PA 15431.

MON VALLEY REBEKAH LODGE, #82, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 P.M., IOOF Bldg., Elrama Rd., Carolyn G. Barger, Sec'y, 701 Maple Drive, Monongahela, PA 15063.

GROVE CITY—ORCHARD MANOR, Director's Meeting Apr. to Sept., 3rd Friday at 7:00 P.M.; Oct. to Mar., 3rd Saturday at 10:00 A.M. at 20 Orchard Drive, Grove City, PA 16127. Diane Robinson, Administrator.

HARRISBURG—HARRISBURG AUXILIARY #54, meets 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 P.M., in Zion Lutheran Church, Hummelstown. Martha Mutch, Sec'y, 4400 Pheasant Hills, Apt. 124, Harrisburg, PA 17110.

SUSANNAH REBEKAH LODGE, #247, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 2:00 P.M. at Christ Lutheran Church, 124 S. 13th St., Harrisburg, Jane E. Reisinger, Sec'y, 5880 Chamber Hill Rd., Harrisburg, PA 17111.

HAZLETON—HAZLETON LODGE, #65, meets every Friday at 7:30 P.M., 120 W. Oak St., Hazleton. Clinton Bittner, Sec'y, 421 E. Walnut Street, Hazleton, PA 18201.

HONESDALE—FREEDOM LODGE, #88, meets every Monday at 8:00 P.M. in Odd Fellows Bldg., 742 Main Street. Howard L. Goodenough, Jr., Sec'y, same address as above, hgoodenough@ezaccess.net

INDIANA—PALLADIUM LODGE, #346, meets 1st and 3rd Mondays at 8:00 P.M. at First Baptist Church, Oakland Ave. and Church Street. Howard B. Brewer, Sec'y, P.O. Box 242, Indiana, PA 15701-0242.

JEANNETTE—JEANNETTE LODGE, #701, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings at Third and Bullitt Ave. Eugene T. Martinella, Sec'y, 218 Margaret Ave., Jeannette, PA 15644.

JOHNSTOWN—ALMA LODGE, #523, meets every Friday evening (except July and August meetings held 1st and 3rd Fridays only) at 440-442 Main Street. John P. Pearce, Sec'y, 355 Edith Ave., Johnstown, PA 15906.

WILLIAM F. PACKER ENCAMPMENT, #127, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday in Alma Hall, 440-442 Main Street. John P. Pearce, Scribe, 355 Edith Ave., Johnstown, PA 15906.

LAKE CITY—NICKEL PLATE LODGE, #1125, meets every Wednesday evening in Fern Rebekah Lodge Hall, 2180 Rice Ave. Paul Crosby, Sec'y, 8130 Keefer Road, Girard, PA 16417. FERN REBEKAH LODGE, #234, meets 2nd & 4th Tues., Apr. 1 to Oct. 31, 7:30 P.M. and Nov. 1 to Mar. 31, 2:00 P.M., at 2180 Rice Ave. Mildred Struchen, Sec'y, 2500 Nursery Rd., 301 N. 3rd St., Lake City, PA 16423.

LAKE COMO—NAKOMIS REBEKAH LODGE, #497, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall, Rt. 247. Violet Maholchic, Sec'y, P.O. Box 13, Poyntelle, PA 18454.

LANSDOWNE—LANSDOWNE LODGE, #282, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 8:00 P.M. at the Masonic Bldg., 27 S. Lansdowne Ave. Lee McDonald, Sec'y, 2635 Eldon Ave., Drexel Hill, PA 19026.

LATROBE—ANNIE REBEKAH LODGE, #134, meets 2nd Monday at 2:30 P.M., and 4th Monday at 1:30 P.M. at 630 (R) Depot St., Latrobe.

JOHN E. NACE ENCAMPMENT, #199, meets 1st Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. in the Bowser Hall, 630 Rear, Depot St, Latrobe. Fred M. See, Scribe, P.O. Box 226, Latrobe, PA 15650-0226

LATROBE LODGE #541 meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. at 630 (R) Depot St., Fred M. See, Sec'y, P.O. Box 226, Latrobe, PA 15650, fredseeatlave@webtv.net

LAWRENCEVILLE—LADY LAWRENCE REBEKAH LODGE #349, meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 11:00 A.M. at the Lawrence Municipal Bldg. Avis Deats, Sec'y, RFD 2, Box 935, Lawrenceville, PA16929

LEESPORT—LEESPORT LODGE, #141, meets every Tucsday, May-Oct. 7:30 PM, Nov-Apr. 8:00 PM, at Lodge Hall, 27 Railroad Avenue. LeRoy K. Seip, Sec'y, PO Box 251, Leesport, PA 19533

EARL R. LEIBY ENCAMPMENT, #106, meets every 2nd Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall. Leon S. Stamm, Scribe, 315 Governor Dr., Mifflin Park, Reading, PA 19607-2815, goviss@earthlink.com

LADY COLFAX REBEKAH LODGE, #182, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, 27 Railroad Avenue. Leon S. Stamm, Sec'y, 315 Governor Dr., Mifflin Park, Reading, PA 19607-2815, goviss@earthlink.com

CANTON LEESPORT, #2, meets 4th Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall. Capt. (R) Nevin W. Adams, Clerk, 1083 Shoemakersville Rd., Shoemakersville, PA 19555-9009.

LEESPORT AUXILIARY #2, LAPM, meets 4th Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. in IOOF Hall. Elaine Kauffman, Sec'y, 513 Florence Ave., Hamburg, PA 19526.

LEHMAN—OSAGE LODGE, #712, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, Mill and Market Streets. Alan S. Major, Sec'y, P.O. Box 25, Lehman, PA 18627.

LEWISBURG—LEWISBURG LODGE, #96, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M., at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, South 4th Street, Back Entrance. Gary Hallock, Sec'y, 10 Albert Blvd., Winfield, PA 17889, lodge96IOOF@hotmail.com

LINWOOD—LADY ELAM REBEKAH LODGE, #2, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 11:00 A.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, Ridge and Market Streets. Lois U. Kelly, Sec'y, 86 Summit Ave., Chadds Ford. PA 19317-9036.

UPPER BIRMINGHAM LODGE, #940, meets every Monday at 8:00 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, Ridge and Market Streets. John E. Talley, Sec'y, 117 Ridge Road, Chaddsford, PA 19317.

LITITZ—LITITZ LODGE, #1050, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, 111-113 N. Broad Street, Lititz, PA 17543, John H. Himmelberger, Sec'y, P.O. Box 267, Lititz, PA 17543.

LADY SUTTER REBEKAH LODGE, #435, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 PM at 111-113 N. Broad St., Dotty Derr, Sec'y, 101 Lincoln Ave., Lititz, PA 17543.

MALVERN—MALVERN POCAHONTAS LODGE, #201, meets every Monday at 8:00 P.M. at Malvern Lodge Hall, 111 Church Street, Malvern, PA 19355, Donald Smith, Sec'y.

CHOSEN FRIENDS ENCAMPMENT #88, meets 3rd Wednesday at 111 Church St. Robert Vaughn, Scribe, 291 Valley View Rd., Malvern, PA 19355.

LADY PAOLI REBEKAH LODGE, #136, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 PM at Malvern Lodge IOOF, 111 Church St. Gertrude Vaughn, Sec'y, 291 Valley View Rd., Malvern, PA 19355.

PAOLI LODGE, #290, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in the Malvern Lodge Hall, 111 Church Street, Malvern, PA. Robert R. Pyle, Sec'y, 685 Hopewell Road, Downingtown, PA 19335.

MEADVILLE—MEADVILLE AUXILIARY, #47, meets the 4th Saturday each month at Odd Fellows Home, 400 N. Main St. Lady Marcia LaVan, Sec'y, 2515 Scrubgrass Rd., Jackson Center, PA 16133.

MYRTLE REBEKAH LODGE, #60, meets 1st and 3rd Friday at Odd Fellows Home, 400 N. Main Street. Mrs. Jessie Werner, Sec'y, 31 N. Park Ave., Meadville, PA 16335.

CUSSEWAGO LODGE, #108, meets every Monday at 400 N. Main St., Meadville. Leland Dorchester, Sec'y, Box 94, Cochranton, PA 16314.

ODD FELLOWS HOME OF WESTERN PA, The Pioneer Home, Board of Directors and Trustees, meets every 2nd Friday at 400 N. Main St., Dora Kahler, Sec'y, 3700 State Highway #173, Cochranton, PA 16314

MIDDLETOWN—TRIUNE LODGE, #307, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 47 W. Emaus Street. Mail to: P.O. Box 612, Middletown, PA 17057.

RED ROSE REBEKAH LODGE, #586, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall, 47 W. Emaus Street. Edith M. Morrow, Sec'y, 407 E. Emaus Street, Middletown, PA 17057.

ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAH HOME AUXILIARY OF EASTERN PA, meets 1st Saturday at 1:00 P.M. at the Odd Fellows Home of Middletown. Jane E. Reisinger, Sec'y., 5880 Chamber Hill Rd., Harrisburg, PA 17111.

MIFFLINBURG—FAITH, HOPE, & CHARITY REBEKAH LODGE #15, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesdays at 7:30 P.M., at Vicksburg Community Center, Vicksburg, PA. Molly M. Criswell, Sec'y, RD #4, Box 203, Mifflinburg, PA 17844.

MILLBROOK—LADY WORTH REBEKAH LODGE, #328, meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. at the Millbrook Grange. Doris Carey, Sec'y, 1772 Sandy Lake-Grove City Rd., Jackson Ctr., PA 16133.

MILROY—LADY BUTLER REBEKAH LODGE, #316, meets 1st and 3rd Friday at 7:00 P.M., Fellowship Hall, White Memorial United Church of Christ. Virginia Reed, See'y, 7 Colonial Dr., Reedsville, PA 17084.

MONTROSE—MARY REBEKAH LODGE, #7, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. at U.M. Methodist Church, 90 Church St., Montrose, PA. Dorothy Snow, Sec'y, R.D. 3, Box 91, Montrose, PA 18801

MORGANTOWN—CAERNARVON LODGE #557, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. (Oct 1st thru Mar. 31st) and at 8:00 P.M. (Apr. 1st thru Sept. 30th) St. Thomas Parish House, Cherry Lane. Charles R. Garman, Sec'y., R.D. 1, Box 293, Morgantown, PA 19543.

MUNCY—BRADY LODGE, #116, meets every Friday at 8:00 P.M. at 13 S. Main Street. Leon Fenstermaker, Sec'y, R.D. 3, Box 553, Muncy, PA 17756.

CELESTIA REBEKAH LODGE, #80, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 13 S. Main Street. Constance Hess, Sec'y, 210 Westland Ave., Duboisetown, PA 17701.

NAZARETH—ALUTA LODGE, #488, meets every Friday at 8:00 P.M. at 1068 Bushkill Center Road. Richard Pritchard, Sec'y, P.O. Box 174, Wind Gap, PA 18091.

BUSHKILL ENCAMPMENT, #55, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 8:00 PM at 1068 Bushkill Ctr Rd., Bushkill. Maynard J. Ernst, Scribe, 85 County Line Rd., Riegelsville, PA 18077.

LADY HALL REBEKAH LODGE, #202, meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at Aluta Hall, I.O.O.F., 1068 Bushkill Center Road. Dolores E. Keller, Sec'y, Box 242, Tatamy, PA 18085

NEW BLOOMFIELD—MACKINAW LODGE, #380, meets every Monday at 7:30 P.M. (Oct. thru Apr.) and 8:00 P.M. (May thru Sept.) in the Lodge Hall, 18 W. Main Street. Brooks E. Reeder, Sec'y, R.D. I, Box 80-A, Elliotsburg, PA 17024.

MAHONEY REBEKAH LODGE, #428, meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, 18 W. Main Street. Martha Rice, Sec'y, 26 W. Shortcut Rd., Newport, PA 17074.

NEW HOLLAND—EARL LODGE, #413, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at 272 Locust Street. Russell E. McQuate, Sec'y, 17 S. Groffdale Road, Leola, PA 17540.

NEW KENSINGTON—NEW KENSINGTON LODGE, #804, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday nights at 8:00 p.m., Carpenters Union Hall, 854 Fifth Ave., New Kensington, PA 15068. Charles Jones, Sec'y, 1520 Neely St., Natrona Heights, PA 15065.

NEW RINGGOLD—CONSTANCE REBEKAH LODGE, #161, meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays at7:30 P.M. in East Brunswick Hall.

EAST BRUNSWICK LODGE, #802, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 PM at 155 Wetherill St., Alfonso Martinez, Sec'y, RD 1, Box 37, Andreas, PA 18211.

NEWBURG—VALLEY ENCAMPMENT, #34, meets 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at IOOF Hall, Main St., Kenneth Coleman, Scribe, 215 Sq. Hollow Rd., Newburg, PA 17240.

NEWBURG LODGE, #562, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at W. Main St. Kenneth G. Coleman, Sec'y, 215 Sq. Hollow Rd., Newburg, PA 17240.

NORRISTOWN—NORRISTOWN ENCAMPMENT, #37, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday in the Odd Fellows Bldg. George C. Quier, Scribe, 1005 Forest Ave., Norristown, PA 19403.

MONTGOMERY-CURTIS-NORRIS LODGE, #57, meets the 2nd & 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M. at I.O.O.F. Hall, 1232 Astor st., Norristown, PA 19401. Jon Gorman, Sec'y.

PHILADELPHIA—CANTON PHILADELPHIA, #1, meets 4th Thursday at 8:00 P.M. at Walker Hall, 1290 Southampton Rd. Joseph M. Strausser, Clerk, 121 N. Cornwall Ave., Ventnor, NJ 08406, ret388@aol.com

WALKER LODGE, #306, meets every Monday at 8:00 P.M. at 1290 Southhampton Rd. Mike Shorten, Sec'y, 2016 Barlow St., Philadelphia, PA 19116.

METROPOLITAN LODGE, #150, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday in their Lodge Hall at 500 Huntingdon Pike, Rockledge, Harold A. Boden, Sec'y, 1375 Slayton Drive, Maple Glen, PA 19002.

MYSTIC LODGE, #270, meets every Monday (except the 1st Monday each month) at 8:00 P.M. at the American Legion Bldg., 8041 Frankford Ave. Elliot Tenenbaum, Sec'y, 83 Hunt Drive, Horsham, PA 19044-1134, elliot386@msn.com

LETITIA PENN REBEKAH LODGE, #173, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M. at Walker Lodge Hall, 1290 Southampton Rd., Philadelphia. Catherine E. McMenamin, Sec'y, 238 Street Rd. C-101, Southampton, PA 18966.

ODD FELLOW AND REBEKAH ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHEASTERN PA meets 1st Wednesday of March, June, September, and December. Contact the Secretary for meeting information. Gertrude Vaughn, Sec'y, 291 Valley View Rd., Malvern, PA 19355.

PERSEVERANCE ENCAMPMENT, #135, meets 1st & 3rd Thursday evenings in Walker Hall, 1290 Southampton Rd. Elliott L. Tenenbaum, Scribe, 83 Hunt Dr., Horsham, PA 19044-1134, elliot386@msn.com

HENRY DISTON LODGE, #8, meets 1st & 3rd Monday at 8:00 PM at Tacony Methodist Church, Longshore and Hegerman Sts. James Murphy, Sec'y, 3342 Lansing St., Philadelphia, PA 19136.

VARIETY LODGE, #37, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 8:00 PM at 1290 Southampton Rd., Philadelphia. George Helmuth, Sec'y, 12 E. Delaware Trail, Medford, NJ 08055.

PINE GROVE—PINE GROVE LODGE, #148, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 PM at 277 S. Tulpehocken St., Roger Zimmerman, Sec'y, 22 Carbon St., Pine Grove, PA 17963.

PITTSBURGH—BRUSHTON-SWISSVALE LODGE, #1107, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in the American Legion Hall, Post #351, Verona Road. Donald G. Buchanan, Sec'y, 621 Veronica Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15235.

PETER FRITZ LODGE, #486, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday, 8:00 P.M., 1751 Arlington Ave., American Legion Hall. Bill McClaren, Sec'y, 2926 Leander St., Pittsburgh, PA 15219.

LADY UNITED REBEKAH LODGE, #3, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 3579 Masonic Way, Masonic Temple. Anne Dihlman, Sec'y, 841 California Ave. #310, Pittsburgh, PA 15202-2712.

MARY MAGDALENE REBEKAH LODGE, #365, meets 2nd and 4th Monday in the Mary S. Brown United Methodist Church, 3424 Beechwood Blvd., Myra McCorkle, Sec'y, 1833 Woodcove Place, Pittsburgh, PA 15216, myell2@aol.com

PITTSTON—THISTLE LODGE, #512, meets every Monday at 7:30 P.M. in IOOF Hall, 59 S. Main Street. Francis McGrath, Sec'y, 902 W. Elm St., Pittston, PA 18504.

PORT MATILDA—PORT MATILDA LODGE, #733, meets 1st and 3rd Friday at 7:30 P.M. at the Fowler Grove U.M. Woman's Bldg., Route 220. Donald R. Trulick, Sec'y., 161 Stover Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823, dtrulick@aol.com

POTTSTOWN—MANATAWNY LODGE, #214, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at the I.O.O.F. Hall, King and Charlotte Streets Oct. 1 through May 31, and at 8:00 P.M. June to Sept. 30. Gerald L. Markley, Sec'y, 393 State Street, Pottstown, PA 19464.

LADY WITTENMYER REBEKAH LODGE #20, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8:00 PM at IOOF Hall, 300 King St., Pottstown, Pat Feldman, Sec'y, 23 Grosstown Rd., Stowe, PA 19464.

ROCHESTER MILLS—ALERT LODGE, #936, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Main Street. Robert Kantorski, Sec'y, 219 Enterprise Dr., Rochester Mills, PA 15771-8135

RUSH—ERNESTINE REBEKAH LODGE #548, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at Rush Odd Fellows Hall, Rush, PA, Sylvia Jones, Sec'y, RR 5, Box 53, Montrose, PA 18801.

RUSH LODGE #471, meets every Saturday, 8:00 P.M. at IOOF Hall. Alton G. Arnold, Sec'y., RD #5, Box 49, Montrose, PA 18801.

SANDY LAKE—Sandy Lake Lodge #573, meets the 1st and 3rd week of the month at 7:00 PM in the Odd Fellows Lodge, 5242 Lake Street, Sandy Lake, PA 16145. Harold McQuiston, Sec'y., P.O. Box 265, Sandy Lake, PA 16145.

SCHNECKSVILLE—JORDAN LODGE, #192, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday, Schnecksville Fire Hall, Main Street. Stanley Wieand, Sco'y, 3795 Maple Street, Allentown, PA 18104.

LADY LILLIE BEST REBEKAH LODGE, #222, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday, Schnecksville Fire Hall, Main Street. Jill F. Schlosser, Sec'y, 4927 Spruce St., Schnecksville, PA 18078.

SELINSGROVE—LADY SELIN REBEKAH LODGE, #378, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 PM at Community Building, 1 N. High St., Hilda Mull, Sec'y, RD 2, Box 298B, Middleburg, PA 17842.

SELLERSVILLE—LADY SELLERS REBEKAH LODGE, #558, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall, Main Street and Temple Ave. Mary Landes, Sec'y, 316 S. Main St., Sellersville, PA 18960.

VICTORY LODGE, #658, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 PM at Main and Temple Sts., Lee Wagner, See'y, 203 N. Main St., Sellersville, PA 18960.

SHAMOKIN—REGINA REBEKAH LODGE #230, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. in the Mt. Tabor #125 Lodge Hall, Treverton Rd., Jearldean Losiewicz, Sec'y, R.D. 1, Box 845, Coal Township, PA 17866.

MT. TABOR LODGE, #125, meets every Monday at 7:30 P.M., 1 mile north of Shamokin on Rt. 225. William Gruneberg, Scc'y, 1731 Park Avenue, Shamokin, PA 17872.

SHARON—SHARON LODGE, #347, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 25 W. Shenango Street, Sharpsville. James Housman, Sec'y, 1192 Bedford Road, Masury, Ohio 44438.

SHARPSVILLE—ADONIRAM LODGE, #739, meets every Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. at 25 W. Shenango Street. Richard Slater, Sec'y, 814 Pearl Street, Sharon, PA 16146.

SHARPSVILLE REBEKAH LODGE, #110, meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at 25 W. Shenango St. Florence Paddock, Sec'y, 7626 Stewart Sharon Rd., Masury, OH 44438.

SHENANDOAH—SHENANDOAH LODGE, #591, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M., OF Cemetery Chapel, Cemetery Rd., Shenandoah Heights. Robert Beddall, Sec'y, 34 S. Jardin St., Shenandoah, PA 17976.

SHILLINGTON—SHILLINGTON LODGE, #1175, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 116-118 W. Lancaster Ave. Leon S. Stamm, Sec'y, 315 Governor Dr., Mifflin Park, Reading, PA 19607-2815, goviss@earthlink.com

SMETHPORT—SMETHPORT LODGE, #389, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M. in IOOF Hall, 406 W. Main St., Arthur Paulson, Sec'y, 3 Anderson St., Mt. Jewett, PA 16740.

SOMERSET—SOMERSET LODGE, #438, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 113 N. Center Ave. Donald Sechler, Sec'y, 1344 Grandview Ave., Somerset, PA 15501.

SPRING CITY—VINCENT LODGE, #762, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. in the basement of the Odd Fellows Temple, 111 N. Main Street. Gary Yerger, Sec'y, 111 Main Street, Spring City, PA 19426.

ST. CLAIR—MINERAL LODGE, #285, meets 1st & 3rd Mondays at 7:30 P.M., 41 N. 2nd St., St. Clair. George Wolfe, Sec'y, 95 Front St., St. Clair, PA 17970.

STATE COLLEGE—LADY EMILY REBEKAH LODGE #452, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in Windomere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr., State College, PA. Ella Lee Trulick, Sec'y, 161 Stover Road, Bellefonte, PA 16823, EllieTrulick@aol.com

CANTON RIDGELY #8 meets at the 2nd Wed. at 8:00 P.M. at Windemere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr., State College. Arthur Moyer, Clerk, 120 Grandview Rd., State College, PA 16801. (814) 238-8547

STATE COLLEGE LODGE #1032, meets 1st & 3rd Mondays at 7:30 P.M. at Windmere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr., State College, PA. Kenneth H. Kulp, Sec'y, P.O. Box 255, State College, PA 16804, khkulp@prodigy.net

STONY FORK—MARINDA REBEKAH LODGE #107 meets the 1st & 3rd Mouday at 1:00 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall. Patricia Kriner, Sec'y, R.D. 1, Box 83, Wellsboro, PA 16901.

STRASBURG—STRASBURG LODGE #361meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 9A E. Main St. Donald A. Bachman, Sec'y, 117 Miller Street, Strasburg, PA 17579.

STROUDSBURG—FT. PENN LODGE #134 meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:00 P.M. at 572 Main St., Stroudsburg. Richard Seidof, Sec'y, HCR 1, Box 560, Sciota, PA 18354.

SUMMERVILLE—LADY EVANGELINE REBEKAH LODGE, #146, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. in Civic Center, West Penn Street. Bertha Reitz, Sec'y, RD 1, Box 185, Summerville, PA 15864.

SUNBURY—LADY EDEN REBEKAH LODGE, #56, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday, at 7:30 P.M. at Augusta Lodge Hall, I.O.O.F., R.D. 3, Plum Creek Road. Gloria M. Snyder, Sec'y., R.R. 1, Box 171, Sunbury, PA 17801-9750.

TAMAQUA—HARMONY LODGE, #86, meets the 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:00 P.M., Odd Fellows Hall, 503 West Broad St., Charles H. Bailey, Sec'y, 503 W. Broad St., Tamaqua, PA 18252

SCOTT ENCAMPMENT, #132, meets the 1st Thursday at 7:00 PM, Harmony Hall, 503 W. Broad St. Charles H. Bailey, Scribe, 503 W. Broad St., Tamaqua, PA 18252, grandlodgepa@prodigy.net.

HESTER REBEKAH LODGE, #29, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday, at 7:00 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 503 W. Broad St., Tarnaqua, Fern V. Mantz. See'y 222 E. Broad St., Apt. 1405, Tarnaqua, PA 18252

TITUSVILLE—QUEEN CITY LODGE, #304, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M., 4291 W. Central Ave., Melford Holmes, Sec'y, 42961 W. Central Ave., Titusville, PA 16354.

OIL CITY ENCAMPMENT, #182, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 PM at 42961 Central Ave., Leland Dorchester, Scrihe, 114 Riber St., Cochranton, PA 16314.

LADY DRAKE REBEKAH LODGE #301 meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 1:00 P.M. at I.O.O.F. Hall, 811 W. Central Ave., Joan Gates, Sec'y, 122 E. Bloss St., Titusville, PA 16354.

TUNKHANNOCK—TUNKHANNOCK LODGE, #699, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. at Lemon Community Hall, Route 29, Lemon, PA. Thomas Severcool, Sec'y, RR 4, Box 4219, Meshoppen, PA 18630.

LADY ESTHER REBEKAH LODGE #74, meets 2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 2:00 P.M. at Lemon Community Hall, Route 29, Lemon, PA. Shirley Severcool, Sec'y, RR 4, Box 4219, Meshoppen, PA. 18630.

VANDERGRIFT—VANDERGRIFT LODGE, #1116, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:45 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, 112 Grant Ave. Ronald Stephenson, Sec'y, RD 2, Box 383, Kittanning, PA 16201.

WALTERSBURG—NATHAN LEWISFORT NECESSITY LODGE, #254, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 P.M. Eugene Sabatula, Sec'y., 596 Bitner Rd., Dunbar, PA 15431.

ELLEN REBEKAH LODGE, #233, meets 2nd and 4th Monday, 7:00 P.M., Waltersburg, Bernice M. Thomas, Sec'y, 244 Rutter Lane, Smock, PA 15480-9520.

WAMPUM—ELLWOOD CITY LODGE, #9, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M., R.D. I, Bernard L. Myers, See'y, 802 Etna Street, New Castle, PA 16101.

WARREN—WARREN LODGE, #339, meets Tuesday at 7:30 P.M., 208-210 Hickory Street. John E. Colter, Sec'y, 906 Conewango Ave., Warren, PA 16365.

KOSSUTH ENCAMPMENT, #98, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 8:00 P.M., 208-210 Hickory Street. Annual Degree Rally, 1st Saturday in June. John E. Colter, Scribe, 906 Conewago Ave., Warren, PA 16365.

WASHINGTON—LADY HOGUE REBEKAH LODGE, #102, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M., 696 Fayette St., Washington, PA. Ethel Bell, Sec'y, 862 Beech St. Apt. 305, Washington, PA 15301.

NATIONAL LODGE, #81, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 8:00 P.M., 696 Fayette Street, Washington, PA. James Ragan, Sec'y, 84 Woodrow Drive, Avella, PA 15312.

WAYNESBURG—WAYNESBURG LODGE, #469, meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7:00 P.M. at 35 W. High Street. Richard Kamerer, Sec'y, 595 Point Alley, Waynesburg, PA 15370.

WEST SUNBURY—WEST SUNBURY REBEKAH LODGE, #19, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 1:30 P.M., at the IOOF Hall in West Sunbury, Audean Byers, Sec'y, 1066 Hooker Rd., Karns City, PA 16041.

WHITE HAVEN—WHITE HAVEN LODGE, #457, meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. at 238 Main St. Lawrence Bond, Sec'y, 601 Barrys Lane, White Haven, PA 18661.

WYSOX—WYSOX LODGE, #1152, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. 1 mile south of Wysox on Rt. 187. Thomas Elliot, Sec'y, Rt. 2, Box 126A, Towanda, PA 18848.

YORK—MT. ZION LODGE, #74, meets 1st, 3rd and 5th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Road. Dale Singer, See'y, P.O. Box 1173, York, PA 17405.

MOUNT VERNON ENCAMPMENT, #14, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Road. LaMar E. Dockey, Scribe, P.O. Box 725, York, PA 17405.

SALOME REBEKAH LODGE, #30, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Road. Beverly A. Bowers, Sec'y, 1228 Edison Street, York, PA 17403.

YORK SPRINGS—YORK SPRINGS LODGE, #211, meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 8:00 P.M. at Harrisburg St. Sherrill E. Smith, Sec'y, 126 Old US Rt. 15, York Springs, PA 17272.

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