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PLACES TO GO - PEOPLE TO SEE

2003

JULY

*Saturday, 26th - Fun Day '03, Knoebels Grove

AUGUST

17th thru 22 - S.G.L. Session - Nova Scotia *Saturday, 30th - G.P. A. Moyer Testimonial - TBA Later

SEPTEMBER

Saturday, 6th - 4 County Rally Sunday, 7th - Session Meeting, Butler Saturday, 13th - Phila. Orphans Home Meeting *Saturday, 20th - R.A. R. Good Testimonial - TBA Later

OCTOBER

Saturday, 11th - Encampment Degree Rally at Aluta *Saturday, 18th - G.M. Strausser Testimonial, TBA Later

NOVEMBER

Saturday, 1st -Fall All State Rally Saturday, 8th - PM & LAPM Rally

DECEMBER

Saturday, 13th - Phila. Orphans Home Meeting
*denotes furnished by Planning Board



Do You Remember This Boy?

Turn to page 9 to see where he is today!

70TH IOOF PILGRIMAGE TO THE TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN

On Sunday, May 4, 2003 four bus loads of Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and friends, from Pennsylvania made the annual pilgrimage to Arlington National Cemetery to participate in the Memorial Service and Wreath Laying ceremonies. This year the honor of laying a wreath for the Jurisdiction of PA was Grand Master of the Grand Lodge Joseph Strausser, President of the Rebekah Assembly Ruth Good, Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment Art Moyer and President of the Department Association Lady Myra Fay Adams. All members of the Patriarchs Militant from Pennsylvania that were in uniform had the honor of being in the Honor Guard for the Wreath Laying ceremonies. If you have never been part of this pilgrimage, you are missing something very special. Please put this on your calendar for next year and help to keep this pilgrimage alive. It is always the first Sunday in May.



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Cassville Lodge keeps busy
State College flying their colors
"A Father's Pride"
All State Rally a Success
And so much more!

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Thank You

I would like to thank all members and friends who sent me cards, called on the phone or came to my home and helped when I fell down the cellar steps. It's nice to know you have friends who care.

In Friendship, Kathryn Bush, R#247

MEMORIAL SERVICE

HOLY FAMILY ADULT DAY CARE

Each year members of Canton Leesport #2 and LAPM Leesport #2 get together with Sister Laura Bailey from Hester Rebekah Lodge #29 and do a Memorial Service at the Holy Family Adult Day Care, in Orwigsburg, PA. Sister Laura puts the service together each year to honor members of the Day Care Center who have passed on since the previous year. Laura does a beautiful job of putting together all the information about the members that have passed on. She then prepares a small booklet about each one with pictures and memories, then she presents the booklet to a member of the family attending the service. Laura works at the center but, I believe that this is going beyond her duties and I think that she deserves a big hand and thank you. This is what Odd Fellowship is all about, going above and beyond in our everyday lives. Thank you so very much Sister Laura Bailey for making this a special day in the lives of those families on this special day.

The following is a list of the Chevaliers and Ladies that helped this year. Lady Myra Adams, PDA; Lady Rita Kunkleman PP, LAPM #2; Maj. Gen. Ret. John Kunkleman, PDC; Maj. Gen. Ret. Maynard J. Ernst, PDC; Brig. Gen. Nevin W. Adams, DC; Col. Leon S. Stamm, VPDC; Col. Harold Reiss, EO and Lt. Clifford Snyder. Thank you all for helping.



Thank You

I and the Saylor Family wish to thank all the Sisters and Brothers for the cards of sympathy that were sent to us during our time of sorrow at the passing of my son, Charles Saylor. Also, thanks to all the Lodges that sent cards with all their members signed.

It really makes me feel good to know people think of me even if I don't get around anymore.

In F.L. & T. Sister R. Esther Kershner Thanks a Million!



FROM THE DESK OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

This being the month of July we now have a new group of State Officers. I know they would appreciate all the help you can give them. With your help in getting new members, this could be the year we turn things around and start increasing our membership.

Hopefully it will warm up so we can join in the outdoor activities. One activity I would remind you about is "Fun Day at Knoebels Park." Also, I know a lot of Lodges have Summer activities. This makes a great time to introduce your friends to Odd Fellowship.

The work on the Grand Lodge Office is progressing nicely. We could still use donations to help with the cost.

Also, please keep in your prayers our Youth who are touring on the United Nations Pilgrimage this month. We wish them a safe and enjoyable experience.

> Fraternally, William L. Locke, Grand Secretary

THANK YOU

Hope you had the opportunity to stop by the Arthritis Table in the Lobby at the 32nd Unified Session. Members of the Arthritis Committee members were on hand to greet you. The Lobby tree was decorated with the "Christmas in June" bells and looked quite festive. The purchase of the "Christmas in June" bells lets you help fight arthritis with every dollar you spend. Be involved!

Our major project is focused in the Central Chapter region this year and we will be helping to bring the P.A.C.E. program to even more people. We'll have more information about their planned programs in a future article.

Camp JRA is July 13th through 19th this year. About 95 campers are expected to enjoy the experience of a lifetime this summer. Help the campers, kids with arthritis with your donations. The 2003 theme is "Fantasy Island" and we'll be telling you about our opening day visit in a later issue. Don't forget to look for the poster "Kids Have Arthritis Too." It has been mailed to the Lodges. The IOOF is recognized as a sponsor – right beside the United Way. Pretty impressive! Send your donations to help with Camp JRA, the PACE project, or general fund to Nevin Adams, Treasurer, 951 Shoemakersville Road, Shoemakersville, PA 19555-9010.

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Remember, the PA Jurisdictional Arthritis Committee is asking you to become active.

VOLUNTEER!

Charles E. Danihel, Chair PA IOOF Jurisdictional Arthritis Committee

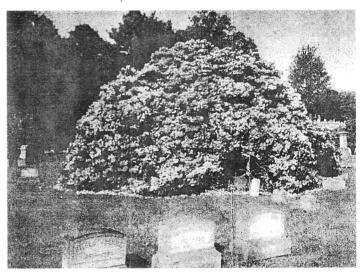
OAKLAND CEMETERY OPERATED BY ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS FOR 140 YEARS

Part of the history of Warren County is Oakland Cemetery, founded by the Odd Fellows Association, Lodge 339, for the borough of Warren, with the intent of giving direction and impulse to the universal wish to have a cemetery.

The Odd Fellows Association, Lodge 339 continues maintaining the operation of the cemetery, which is celebrating its 140th year.

The cemetery was dedicated in 1863, to benefit the community by serving as a final resting place for its residents. The opening of Oakland that year, and building of the suspension bridge across the Allegheny were milestones in the progression of a city marching toward the turn of the century.

With so much interest in family descent, we have many people stopping, or writing, to inquire about past members of their families; dates of internment, and location of the graves. There is so much history connected to the cemetery, and many curiosities. Come visit and experience the serenity, the beauty and serendipity of Oakland Cemetery.



DON'T FORGET JULY 26TH KNOEBELS GROVE ELYSBURG

Reservation deadline is the 11th Contact Myra Adams immediately if you are interested 610-926-4463

Anyone is welcome at last minute, come to Pavilion E

11:00 AM to 10:00 PM

(no guarantee for meal however)

Registration will be \$4.00 You will be entitled to soda with that badge

MT. HOR GOES INTO "SOUP BUSINESS"

After a long cold winter, the brothers at Mt. Hor #736 decided to raise some money for local and Grand Lodge charities. It was decided to have a hoagie and soup sale for March 1st. A committee was formed in January to start preparing for the event. Two hundred and twenty-five (225) hoagies were ordered in advance, and an old fashioned kettle of chicken corn soup was prepared. A local butcher shop was contacted and they had everything ready for us the night before the event. They sliced all the meat, diced the veggies and even gave us gloves to wear. The chicken for the soup was cooked during our meeting night with only one small fire to liven up the evening. The next morning the brothers came out in full force to make the event a great success. The soup was started at around 8:30 a.m. with brother Tom Cresswell in control. His rowing ability is surpassed by none when it comes to stirring soup. We have an oar for Tom to use when we are making soup. There is talk that we will someday get him a personalized oar so there is no confusion when it comes to sharing oars. Seriously though, Tom always does a great job when it comes to making soup.

With the majority of the brothers arriving around 9:30 a.m., we immediately got five guys to start packaging veggies. Monty Parks, Doug Sheeder, Nelson Nead, Chris Bowser and Christ Whitsel soon became professionals at measuring tomatoes, lettuce and onions. Brothers Joe Giebel and Bill Rhodenizer began slicing rolls at the beginning of the assembly line. They were then handed to me for a layer of meat. Next was Mike Hamilton for another layer of meat. Cheese was added by Butch Lemin and Gordy Stauffer. Jeff Ruby then placed them into bags. Finally, Charlie Definbaugh threw in

some dressing and sealed them for delivery. William Ramsey Jr. arrived in time to start delivery so people could have them for lunch.

The soup sold out in about one hour, with a few people coming back to ask for more. Next time, we'll have to make two kettles! It was a good day at Mt. Hor. Everyone that participated had a great time and we had great reviews of our hoagies. We will, no doubt, do this fund raiser again. Best of all, Odd Fellowship was spread throughout the community. I personally spent three hours visiting while I delivered just a few hoagies. Mr. Ramsey said he spent a lot time visiting while he delivered his hoagies. More and more people are realizing that there is an IOOF Lodge in the Trough Creek Valley, Huntingdon County.

Scott R. Parks, Vice Grand

FLAGS NEEDED

Summer is here and the Odd Fellows and Rebekah flags which fly in front of your state office has seen its day. In the past Brother, Sisters or Lodges have been generous in donating flags to someone's honor or memory. We do recognize those donors with a sign at the Grand Lodge Office designating the donor and honoree, also we list it in the magazine. Perhaps you or your Lodge would consider sponsoring a flag. If you interested, send a check to Grand Lodge for \$63.39 (Odd Fellow) or \$79.50 (Rebekah) along with the name or names of those who wish to honor or memorialize.

JULY



WISHES

1 - Joseph Acton/#1030

2 – William Miller/#81 Mark Ferster/#551

3 – Marlene Matter/R#58 Ed Smith Jr./#86 Maynard Ernst/#488 David Wardman/#51 Howard Berner/#379 Marshall Clymer/#457

4 – Nick Swartz/#306 Yolanda Howe/#211 Howard McCollough/#333 William Wells/#333 John Mohney/#739

5 – Pauline Snyder/R#38 James Ragan/#81 Bruce Eakin/#304 David Hamilton/#936

6 – John Andrus/#348 Robert Reese/#348 Larry Skinner/#457 David Fitch/#1107 Fred See/#541

7 – Sue Millet/R#29 Betty Michael/R#58 Patricia Edwards/R#202 Keith Ehman/#1004

8 – Bob Nester/#802

Calvin Stewart/#733 Allen Long/#773

9 – Janet Mansberry/R#103 Eric Zizelmann/\$86 Robert Parrett/#250

11 – John Redfoot/#1128 Victor Riva/#1030

12 – Melvin Wach/#1107 Mitchel Edelman/#37 Luke Rebuck/#551

13 – Amy Behler/R#29

14 – William O'Rourke/#348

15 – William Wylie/#1107

16 – Tamara Schlott/R#82 Francis Watt/#81 Allen Deiter/#551 Edward Connolly/#1030

17 – Samuel Milliken/#469 Donald Celaschi/#1030

18 – Marlene Smeltz/R#58 Fred Meier/#457 Richard Gensamer/#733 Louis Tyger/#936

19 - Gerlene Warfield/R#58

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26 – Helen Dinco/R#134 Ernest Klinger/#551 James Oaks/#739

27 – John Gross/#306 Albert Marriner/#469

28 – Mary Longstreth/R#342 Raymond Fallquist/#209 Don Trulick/#733

30 – Vernon Edwards/#1004 Harold Hennen/#469 Todd Bordner/#551

31 – Bob Dunn/#802 Richard Copeland/#348

DEGREE RALLY HELD AT CASSVILLE

Ever since I joined the Odd Fellows in May of 2001, Mt. Hor Lodge has talked about getting a degree rally together so we could see the degree work done with props and from memory. Finally, on March 22, 2003 it became a reality. The ball started rolling last August when Past Grand Nevin Adams held a membership rally at Mt. Hor. We happened to be having a pig roast the next day, so Past Grand Adams stayed over for the event. A bug was put in his ear that we would like to see the degrees done in full dress so the brothers could get a better understanding of the stories being told. When he departed for home, Past Grand Adams promised that he would get a degree team together to come to rural Huntingdon County.

Some months passed, with my phone ringing in late December of 2002, and Past Grand Adams saying that he was preparing a rally for February 22. Immediately, plans began for the rally. All the lodges in the district were invited and were planning to attend. Two weeks before our big event, Past Grand Adams called to inform me that he had to cancel. He said this in one call he didn't want to make, since we waited so long to see a degree rally. He promised to rescheduled for March 22 or April 12. So, with a minor setback, we started to prepare again. The Elks Lodge in Huntingdon was chosen for the rally, since our lodge is too small for a degree rally. Mt. Hor decided to buy lunch for everyone that attended. The meal was prepared by the Elks.

On March 22, 2003 the degree team arrived at the Huntingdon Elks lodge at 9:30 a.m. to begin the set up for the rally. The rally started at 10:30 a.m. with sixty-one (61) brothers present. Fourteen difference Odd Fellow lodges were represented. The initiatory degree was performed on one brother. Lunch was served at noon. At 12:30 p.m. the first degree was performed on six brothers. Between degrees, Grand Master Joseph Strausser challenged Mt. Hor to take advantage of this event with some publicity. He also encouraged an article to be written for our magazine by a brother from Mt. Hor. The second and third degrees were then performed. The honors of the order was then performed on the Grand Master, Past Grand Masters, and Past District Deputies. Grand Master Strausser then spoke briefly on getting brothers interested in the order and the charities. He also encouraged us to make this an annual event for the central part of the state.

Mt. Hor would like to thank everyone from the Degree Team for doing a wonderful job. Seeing the degrees performed like that helps us to better understand them when we bring new members into our lodge. We would also like to thank the lodges in our district for participating, and all the other lodges that came. A special thanks goes to Letterkenney Lodge #663 for donating the extra props and robes to us, so we can begin using them in degree work. I want to thank Past Grand Adams for sticking to his promise, because I know he is very busy, and getting 30 people together to come to Central Pennsylvania is not the easiest thing in the world to do. Our lodge would also like to thank Grand Master Joseph Strausser for attending. We have not seen a Grand Lodge Officer for a long time in Huntingdon County. Finally, Mt. Hor would like to thank our secretary, William Ramsey, Jr. for all the phone calls, time and dedication he put into making this rally a success. Brother Ramsey enjoys Odd Fellowship greatly, but organizing these events can get quite nerve wracking.

So, after years of talking and planning, the Degree Rally was a huge success for Mt. Hor. Five of our brothers got their degrees. Two of our brothers got to participate as soldiers. I am not one to back down from a challenge, and therefore I am writing this article for our magazine and am going to write one for our local newspaper.



I enjoyed the rally very much. Rallies give you a chance to talk to many different brothers from all over the state. Mt. Hor would like to encourage other lodges to visit us or call us up and we'll try to come visit your lodge.

Scott R. Parks, Vice Grand

STATE COLLEGE BUSY SHOWING THEIR COLORS



State College Lodge #1032 recently installed a new flag pole. PGM Cal Conklin said he would supply the flag. This pole is lighted at night. Pictured is PGM Conklin and DDGM Carl Bennett presenting the flag to Noble Grand Ken Kulp. The flag was

flown over the Capital on April 22, 2003. The flag was flown for a month and will be displayed in a case in the Lodge. Thanks Brother Cal, you really outdid yourself this time.

Art Moyer, Don Trulick and Harry Pepperman took part in a Patriot Day Celebration recently in Boalsburg. These Brothers were assigned to post the colors dressed in their Patriarchs Militant uniforms. They looked sharp to the near 3,000 in attendance. State College High School band played "Amazing Grace." The Lodge got additional publicity as you can see by PGM Calvin Conklins newspaper picture.



ODD FELLOWS - MIDDLETOWN HOME

Residents at The Middletown Home were ready to meet and greet the many Odd Fellows & Rebekahs who attended the Annual Representatives Day on Saturday, April 12th.

Professional Wrestler, J-Money with resident, Ruth Lawson.

formance from Troupe Kismet Middle Eastern Belly Dancers. This year the Belly Dancers really put the residents in the spotlight. George Calhoon (Triune Lodge #307) learned from new dance moves from "Akilah" – Denise Sowers. He's always volunteering to make people smile.

A very unique activity took place during April. Professional

While the meeting took

place, residents enjoyed a per-

A very unique activity took place during April. Professional Wrestlers came geared up to show some moves to the resi-

Resident, George Calhoon (Triune Lodge #307) learns a new dance move from Belly Dancer, Denise Sowers ("Akilah" - dancer name).



Rebekahs Hold Mother-Daughter Tea

The special bonds between mother and daughter were saluted on May 14 during the Mother-Daughter Dinner sponsored by Tamaqua Hester Rebekah Lodge 29 and held at the Tamaqua Elks Lodge. Close to 50 were on hand for the annual event. Shown from left: Dolores Bonenberger and Melissa Turner, mother and daughter, respectively, of Janet Turner, Hester Rebekah noble grand; Ruth Betz, vice grand, and her daughter Elaine Jones.

dents. They signed autographs and shared a video performance of their wrestling. Many residents were eager to have their photo taken with J-Money, who wore his wrestling attire.

Residents look forward to the activities scheduled for the month of May!



A. Katherine Marshall (Susannah Rebekah #247) awaits the Representatives Day Meeting.



Thelma M. May (Lansdowne #282) all dressed up for Representatives Day.

The following is a list of donations made to the Arthritis Committee Fund 4/1/03 through 5/31/03.

Kathryn Bush	\$	15.00
Lady Elam Reb. #2		10.00
Lady Lillie Best Reb. #222		5.00
Hopkins Lodge #87		200.00
Fall Creek Lodge #957		25.00
Idella Reb. #58		100.00
Lady Wittenmyer Reb. #20		10.00
Shillington Lodge #1175		250.00
Greater Governor Mifflin League		250.00
Star of Hope Lodge #199		50.00
West Sunbury Reb. #19		10.00
Henry Disston #8		500.00
Checks send through Grand Lodge		175.00
Malvern Pocahontas #201		25.00
Lewisburg Lodge #96		25.00
Walker Lodge #306		300.00
Department Association		80.00
Jeannette Lodge #701		15.00
Total donations 4/1/03-5/41/03	\$2	,045.00

Total donations 4/1/02-5/31/02, \$12,551.65, we are \$10,506.65 behind last year. We have a lot to make up to keep pace with last year's donations but I know that we can do it. Keep up the good work and we will top last year's donations which were a grand total of \$45,616.72.

STEAMBOATING CAPTAIN LOOKING FOR ODD FELLOWS

By Maj. Gen (Ret) John A. Kunkleman, Past Department Commander

On May 6 Lady Reta and I boarded the legendary Steamboat Delta Queen in Cincinnati for a six-night cruise to Pittsburgh. It was our 18th steamboating cruise.

At the captain's reception on the second night, when we reached Capt. Mike Williams in the receiving line, he greeted us by asking:

"Did you bring us any Odd Fellows this time?"

Capt. Mike was master of the Delta Queen back in September 2000 when 42 Odd Fellows and friends, headed by the then Grand

Master Nevin W. Adams, spent seven nights steaming from St. Louis to St. Paul. The captain also remembers the Department Association President, Lady Myra Adams, who shares her first name with the captain's wife.

The 76-year-old boat is looking great. She is all freshly painted, new custom-built benches are being installed on the Texas and Cabin Decks. The forward cabin lounge has been rearranged.

I think its time for Brother Adams to begin planning a cruise for 2004. Next year's schedule should soon be available. I know we

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R349 Lady Lawrence	10.00	R452 Lady Emily	25.00	
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R123 Phoebe	25.00	R222 Lady Lillie Best	25.00	
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would be welcomed back.

A few of those 42 people have been back steamboating since that 2000 trip. Several of the crew members remember some of the Odd Fellow group.

Jazzou Jones, sometime cruise director and a top notch ragtime piano player, still remembers Sister Avalion Bossler and thinks her first name is a very pretty name and wonders why more people do not give the name to their daughters.

Dennis Bruce, cabin attendant, remembers his



"Did you bring us any Odd Fellows this time?" Capt. Mike Williams asked as he greeted John and Reta Kunkleman aboard the Steamboat Delta Queen on a river cruise in May.

early morning deck conversations with PDDGM Robert Rahn.

And of course a number of crew members remember Grand Scribe Leon Stamm and Sister Laudine, who in July will become "five-timers" in the Paddlewheel Steamboatin' Society of America.

Entertainer Annie Lebeaux was not on board on this cruise. She was in Hershey directing a musical show.

Riverlorian Karen "Toots" Maloy, left the boat on leave when we did. She is scheduled to make appearances as a guest educational lecturer at the Smithsonian Institute in Washington, D.C.

When the boat made stops on this cruise, Reta and I skipped the guided tours and spent our time walking around the towns or cities.

In Maysville, KY, we would a tall building with Odd Fellow emblems on the front. The first floor contained a recreation center.

On the door to the stairwell was the name "Ringgold Lodge." There were several mail boxes, including one for Ringgold Lodge and it had mail in it. I left our card and the name and number of our home lodges in the box.

In Huntingdon, WVA, there was a three-story building on which was painted a sign "IOOF Meets Tuesday at 7:30." The upper two floors appeared abandoned and there was a Chinese restaurant in part of the first floor. We were there early in the day before the restaurant opened and could not check on whether there is a lodge there.

At the outset of this story we said we were heading for Pittsburgh. We didn't make it.

Heavy rains raised the river (11 feet in one 24-hour period), and we were unable to pass under a suspension bridge at Wheeling, WVA. And the riverfront park and landing area in Wheeling were under water so we tied up to the bank on Wheeling Island. We spent the last night tied up there and were then taken by bus to the Pittsburgh Airport.

Steamboating is still as good as ever. If you have never tried it, you should. And if you have done it – do it again.

If you have any interest in another Odd Fellow Delta Queen trip, let Brother Adams know and perhaps he will put together another package. I am sure Cindy Leibensperger, manager of Bieber Tours, Inc., Kutztown, will be happy to work with us if we want to make another cruise.

Let me leave you with this toast:
Here's to you all and I want you to know
My sentiments are honest and real.
May your days be as bright and your hearts be as light
As the spray from the old PADDLEWHEEL!

FROM BIBLE BEARER TO SOLDIER

JUSTIN C. BAILEY "A FATHER'S PRIDE"

I thought I would run picture by picture. So many remember that little boy who walked in front of me and Laura at Butler in June 1996. I felt for those who weren't aware of what became of that boy — he is now a man defending our Country in the quest for freedom. He is stationed in Mosul, Iraq.

From day one, the I.O.O.F. has been a part of Justin's life. So many times when a young couple mixes a child with an older generation, they loose their tolerance for them. That was never the case with our children. I always felt if you keep



them with you instead of sending them away every time you go to a lodge function they would resent the Odd Fellows. We decided to try it and found out that our children, Justin and Ashley, were welcomed and grew to love Odd Fellowship.

The day of his 16th birthday, he signed his application and was initiated soon into Harmony Lodge #86, Tamaqua and it wasn't long until he followed my footsteps by becoming their Secretary. A position he held until he left for the Army.

Justin graduated last year in June and left for his basic training in the U.S. Army in August. He graduated from Basic training in October from Fort Benning, Georgia. Many knew it was his desire to follow with the Army band, however with his computer grades in school and the salary difference, he was persuaded to pursue a career in the computer field. He graduated from his Advance Training as a Signal Support Systems Specialist from Fort Gordon, Georgia in March, 2003. From there he was assigned to the 101st Airborne "Screaming Eagles" at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. Justin will however, following his schooling in the music field.

On May 20th, he left Fort Campbell for Mosul, Iraq. Although the calls are few, he manages to make contact. The weather most of the time is 130 degrees. It has been an eye opening experience for him. And I am sure he will be glad to share with his brothers and sisters some of those experiences.

For now I want to say thank you to those who have contacted us with concerns on his well being. I want to thank you for the spirit of "Odd Fellowship" shown to him the past 19 years and let you know we feel that it is what helped mold him onto the fine young man he has become.

I must mention, times have changed since the stories of Odd Fellowship from the wars of past. So many seemed to find a lot of brothers that they could bind with. So far within three military bases Justin hasn't found a "Brother," but he keeps looking and encouraging those he meets to seek out the Odd Fellows in their home town.

Justin will turn 19 on July 25th – this will be his first birthday away from home and alone. Perhaps you could add some cheer by remembering him with a card.

PVŽ Bailey, Justin C. HSB 2/320 FA 101st ABNDIV (ASSLT) Unit #96023 APO AE 09325-6032

My Brothers and Sisters, thank you for letting me share this with you and thank you for the cards, calls and prayers I have received the past few months. Every day brings new challenges but I thank God every day I can get out of bed.

Fraternally with Love, Charlie Bailey, PGM/PGS

CASSVILLE BROTHERS HOLD ANNUAL EGG HUNT

On Saturday, April 19, the brothers of Mt. Hor Lodge held their second annual Easter egg hunt. Plans were started weeks before with candy, eggs and other supplies being donated or purchased in anticipation for the event. On April 11 the brothers came to lodge about two hours before our regular meeting and began to stuff eleven hundred Easter eggs. Each egg was filled with chocolates, gum or some other savory candy. The morning of the event began about 8:00 A.M. with the preparing of a kettle of homemade vegetable soup. Then we began to hide all the eggs. There were eggs everywhere around the lodge. There were blue, green, purple, orange, yellow, red and pink specks all through the little town of Cassville. It took about an hour to hide all the eggs. As a side note on this process, some of the brothers decided to wear cat in the hat hats so as to recognize the Odd Fellows from our lodge. So try to imagine grown men walking around our lodge, hiding eggs and proudly displaying these huge hats on our heads. It got us lots of

The local sheriff's office was contacted and asked to provide a deputy for parking control. The deputy arrived around 11:30 and began to park cars. The grill was fired at around 11:30 also with anticipation of people coming early for lunch. At 11:35 people started arriving by the car loads. Egg hunters, parents, and grandparents stormed Mt. Hor with great excitement. The look in the kids eyes as they scanned the yards around the lodge filled with all those eggs made the whole event worth while right then. The grills were soon overcome with orders as the brothers worked feverishly to keep up with demands for hot dogs and hamburgers. All food was free to the kids as was everything else we did that day. We sold raffle tickets to the parents for twelve Easter baskets that we prepared. They were filled with stuffed animals, small toys and candy. We sold them for a dollar a piece or three tickets for five dollars. It was pointed out to me toward the end of the drawing that three for five was a terrible deal but nobody seemed to mind. I must admit that I (the writer) set the price and was really putting my accounting degree to good use. Shippensburg University would be real proud of this graduate.

The hunt was scheduled to start at 12:30 and this is when organized chaos began. It just so happens that one of our brothers has the name of Joe. Well, for some reason someone yelled, HEY JOE!! Joe did not respond to this call so someone yelled "HEY JOE" again. Some of the parents took this as GO! All of a sudden, kids were running everywhere trying to get eggs. In about ten minutes all the eggs were gathered. It all turned out great in the end. There were kids sharing eggs with others who did not get any. I explained to everyone what had happened and the parents just laughed. It turned out that we had around one hundred forty kids and over one



Brother Scott Parks, Vice Grand, handing out homemade peanut butter eggs.



Brother Tom Creswell with his bunny ears and his oar.

hundred parents. We had a really nice attendance with about forty more kids than last year. All the kids received a homemade chocolate egg made by some of the lodge members wives and mothers. We cooked over two hundred hot dogs, one hundred fifty hamburgers, a kettle of soup and twelve cases of soda. The Easter Bunny made a special appearance for the kids as he handed out more goodies.

I had parents come up to me and thanked the IOOF Lodge for having this event and hoped we would do it again. We had a lot of people come from nearby cabins visiting Raystown Lake for the weekend. They also thanked us for the hunt because it gave their kids something fun to do. Many questions were asked about the IOOF and we gave our three petitions. The deputy was so impressed with our turnout that he started asking questions and we gave him a petition.

This was another great day at Mt. Hor. It was all about Odd Fellowship. The brothers at Mt. Hor always enjoy community activities and we always have a great time. Mt. Hor has scheduled a pig roast for August 9, 2003 at 3:00 PM. We would like to invite any other lodge in PA to attend. It's a good time, just ask Past Grand Master Nevin Adams who attended last year. Just call our lodge secretary William Ramsey Jr. so we know how many to prepare for. His number is (814) 448-3505. As for the egg hunt, we will hold this every for many more years to come.

FL&T Scott R. Parks, Vice Grand



Brother Tom Creswell and his oar working with the soup.

NEWS FROM MAHONEY REBEKAH LODGE #428

New Bloomfield, PA

The lodge has been active with various programs.

Anna Jean Rhoades was installed as Noble Grand at the October Meeting and she has kept us involved with interesting meetings and projects.

Our November meeting we celebrated our 56th Birthday with entertainment, and of course a beautifully decorated cake served with ice cream and other goodies. We were honored to have our Rebekah Assembly President, Sister Ruth ?Good, along with several of her staff, visit with us and help us celebrate our Birthday.

It was a delightful and rewarding afternoon of Rebekah Odd-Fellowship.

Our December meeting was interesting with games and readings, and rather than exchange Christmas gifts, each member gave a monetary gift to the Children and Youth Services to purchase gifts for the needy children of Perry County. We also enjoyed a Christmas Dinner at Benners Restaurant, with lots of food, entertainment, and fellowship. Noble Grand, Anna Jean, presented each one present with an adorable snowman made from baby food jars, stating that she had to eat some baby food to get enough snowmen for everyone.

Following our January meeting, our Noble Grand kept us busy making a huge stack of valentines to send to the Veterans Hospital to cheer our disabled veterans.

Our February meeting was topped off with our Noble Grand surprising us with a valentine treat – a beautiful decorated table



Anna Jean Rhoads, Noble Grand, preparing the table in green for her St. Patrick's Day treat.



Mary Weldon, LSNG and Anna Jean Rhoads, NG, preparing for Valentine's treat.

with red roses as a centerpiece. A cake topped with red cherries and red candies and lots of red items to make an attractive table.

Again in March, we were treated with a beautiful "Green Table" for St. Patrick's Day. Green plates, green napkins, green cups, and a really delicious "Green" cake.

We are now looking forward to our APRIL meeting. Will we have an Eastern Bunny hopping around? Or perhaps an Easter Bunny Cake? We are all looking forward to our Easter celebration. Stay tuned!

Submitted by Sara Jones Mahoney Rebekah Lodge #438

FIVE COUNTY RALLY

The Five County Rally was held Saturday, April 26, 2003 at the Best Western University Inn in Indiana, PA. The Odd Fellows meeting was held in the Ballroom. Monongahela Degree Lodge #88 performed the opening and closing of the Odd Fellow meeting. Greetings was extended by Acting Chairman Charles Kelly. The First, Second and Third Degrees were conferred by Monongahela Degree Lodge #88. Six brothers received the degrees. Introductions included Past Grand Masters; Brig. Gen. Adams, Department Commander, Patriarch Militant Department Council; Grand Patriarch Moyer, Grand Encampment; and Grand Master Strausser, Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania.

The Rebekah meeting was held in the Evergreen Room. President Ruth Good and her officers conferred the Rebekah Assembly Degree on one brother and one sister. The meeting was opened and closed by Sisters of District 36. Co-chairman Lee Etta Mansberry extended greetings to all brothers and sisters present. The Welcome was given by Sister Doris Buchanan and President Ruth Good gave the response to the Welcome. The Rebekah Degree was conferred by The Faithful Rebekahs, under the guidance of Elaine Weekley. The degree was conferred on one Brother. The dignitaries were introduced by Past President Irene Kelly. There were six Past Presidents and eleven appointed officers present. The elected officers present were President Ruth Good; Vice President Tamara Schlott; Warden Izetta McGill; Secretary Laura Locke, Treasurer Sara Bonson; Junior Past President Irene Kelly; and Representative to I.A.R.A. Lee Etta Mansberry Past President.

The Banquet was held in the Ballroom. Milford and Bobbi Johnson escorted the dignitaries to the head table. The Invocation was given by Barbara Krizinsky, Chaplain of the Rebekah Assembly of Pennsylvania. Entertainment was provided by Dan Haynes. Acting Chairman Charles Kelly and Co-Chairman Lee Etta Mansberry introduced the officers of the various branches of the order. Brig. Gen. Nevin W. Adams, Department Commander, Patriarchs Militant Department Council; Lady Myra Adams, President, Department Association, L.A.P.M.; Grand Patriarch Arthur R. Moyer, Grand Encampment; President Ruth Good, Rebekah Assembly; and Grand Master Joseph M. Strausser, Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania.

The evening activities concluded with the Benediction by Barbara Krizinsky, Chaplain of the Rebekah Assembly of Pennsylvania

Howard B. Brewer Bobbi Johnson

SPRING ALL STATE RALLY

On Saturday, May 17, 2003, the Spring All State Rally was held in Boyertown Lodge #708 hall. The Odd Fellows had 66 Brothers and Sisters registered and the Rebekah's had 34 Sisters and Brothers registered. The Grand Lodge of PA did the opening and closing for the Odd Fellows and The Rebekah Assembly of PA did the opening and closing for the Rebekahs.

At 12:00 Noon, the Grand Lodge Conferred the Grand Lodge Degree on four Brothers, which was followed by the Walker Lodge Degree Team conferring the 1st, 2nd & 3rd Degrees on 23 Brothers

and Sisters.

The following received all three degrees for the Odd Fellows – David Sellers and Sean Patrick Quinn, Shillington Lodge #1175; Shirley Severcool, Barbara L. Lees, Marie Meador and Donald Mason, Tunkhannoc Lodge #699; Charles Chase and Anthony V. Wojnar, Askam Lodge #899; Thomas E. Wooden, Sr., Rush Lodge #471; J. Conrad Barker, Merion Lodge #210; Justin Linn, Bryan Roma, Eric Datter and Jeffrey Bodack, Jordan Lodge #192; Keith S. White, Thomas W. Brown and Dustin M. Cobb, Wysox Lodge #1152; Robert Lehr, Victory Lodge #655; Joseph Hardisky, Oneida Lodge #371; Joseph Danihel and Zachary Behr, Walker Lodge #306; Dante S. Costanzo and Howard Mellman, Variety Lodge #37.

The Rebekahs on The Road conferred the Rebekah Degree on



President RA Ruth A. Good, center, with new Rebekahs James Blaney and Nikole Guido.



Grand Master Joseph Strausser with some of the Odd Fellow candidates.

Nikole Guido, Lady Colfax Rebekah Lodge #182 and James Blaney, Letitia Penn Rebekah Lodge #173.

After all the degree work was done, 72 Odd Fellows and Rebekahs enjoyed a great home style dinner of Roast Beef and Turkey at the Washington Inn in Boyertown. We the committee would like to take this time to thank the Brothers from Boyertown Lodge #708 for all the help that they gave to everyone and thank you for the use of your hall.



Grand Master Strausser with more of the Odd Fellow candidates.

RUTH A. GOOD TESTIMONIAL

Greetings to all Rebekahs and Oddfellows:

You are cordially invited to attend a Testimonial Dinner honoring Jr. Past President, Ruth A. Good, on Saturday, September 20, 2003, to be held at the Best Western University Inn, 1545 Wayne Avenue, Indiana, Pennsylvania. Room reservations must be made directly with the hotel – phone 724-349-9620. You must mention the "Odd Fellows and Rebekahs" to obtain the special rate of \$65.00 plus tax. Deadline September 1, 2003.

For your Dinner Entree you have a choice of "Stuffed Pork Chops" or "Chicken with Orange Sauce." Dinner tickets will be \$20.00 each. Please indicate your choice of Entree and send all Dinner reservations with payment to Sally Walter, P.O. Box 142, Clarion, PA 16214 (phone 814-745-2998). Deadline for reservations will be September 1, 2003.

We are having a Program Booklet and appreciate your support. Send all ads and booster names (typed or legibly printed) with payment to Candy Walter-Bowser, 2833 Rt. 536, Mayport, PA 16240. Deadline for ads will be August 20, 2003. Prices are:

Full page (no pictures)	\$30.00
Hall Page	
Quarter Page	\$10.00
Eighth Page	\$5.00
Booster Names	\$1.00

Make all checks payable to Sally Walter.

Please plan to attend and help us honor Sister Ruth A. Good.

Testimonial Committee

P.O.F. DAYS GONE BY

75 YEARS AGO

(July 1928)

GRAND SIRE Leon Merrill, Maine will be coming to Pennsylvania to hold a conference with the Grand Lodge Officers regarding the state of the Order. It is his hope this will strengthen Odd Fellowship in PA.

CANTON POTTSTOWN Touring Club will be traveling by the Pennsylvania Railroad to Montreal to participate in the parade for Sovereign Grand Lodge Session.

ODD FELLOWS & REBEKAHS OF NAZARETH CELEBRATE LIVING LEGACY

Aluta Lodge #488 and Lady Hall Rebekah #202, Nazareth, PA supported this years "Living Legacy" program by planting two trees on the grounds of the Lodge Hall. A Dogwood and Bradfor Pear tree were planted in Memory of Nine Brothers and One Sister.



Sisters of Lady Hall #202 planting the Dogwood tree were, left to right: Dolores Keller, Catherine Teel, Dorothy Miller, Kathleen Ernst, Donna Kotz, Kathleen Wentzell, Sylvia DeRea, Evelyn Houck and Pearl Hahn. Kneeling in front is Andrea Tanner.



Brothers of Aluta #488 planting the Pear tree were, left to right: Thomas Hahn, Howard Miller, George Kratzer, Rev. Emmett Wentzell, Maynard Ernst, Harold Teel and Grover Fehr.

400 from the Lehigh Valley Past Grand's Association made their annual pilgrimage to the Middletown Home to conduct the religious services.

ARCHIE MAXWELL LODGE #145, Altoona dedicated their new Lodge Hall which cost \$90,000.00.

HEBRON LODGE NO. 437 recently hosted 300 Odd Fellows, family and friends at the First District Chester County's Open Air Meeting. This proved a great success and will become an annual event.

25 YEARS AGO

(July 1978)

SURPRISE DINNER FOR 20 YEARS OF SERVICE – Grand Lodge Officer Accountant Jane Reisinger was recently honored at a dinner at the Penn Harris Motor Lodge. The entire Board of Grand Lodge Officers, Finance Committee, wives and Rebekah Assembly Office Staff were present.

IRENE GITHENS THETA RHO, Linwood recently visited Friendships Theta Rho Club, Delaware and the girls of Delaware entertained with skits and dancing.

H. FRANK STANLEY was named "Odd Fellows Man of the Year" at the Chester County Odd Fellows Assoc. recently.

CLOVER LODGE #348 – recently held their Annual Past Grand's night and Fish Fry. 49 members and 18 visitors were present.

IN MEMORIAM

D. WALTER SMITH Mt. Zion Lodge No. 74 April 27, 2003



Brother Walter Smith, 90, of York was initiated into Mt. Zion Lodge #74, York on March 15, 1947. He was a Past Grand of that Lodge.

He was a U.S. Navy Veteran of World War II. He was a member of St. Matthew Lutheran Church.

He is survived by his wife of 68 years, the former Sarah Luckenbaugh, one son, one daughter, seven grandchildren, twelve great grand-

children and two Sisters.

Burial was in the Mt. Rose Cemetery.

ROY L. GOSS Alert Lodge No. 936 May 7, 2003

Brother Roy "Red" Goss, 74, of Hillsdale was initiated into Palladium Lodge #346, Indiana on April 1, 1968. He became a Past Grand of that Lodge and received his Grand Lodge Degree on November 30, 1977. At the time of his death he was a member of Alert Lodge #936, Rochester Mills through consolidation this past January.

He was an Army Veteran of the Korean War and a member of the Purchase Line U.M. Church.

He is survived by his wife of 40 years, the former Nancy Neale, one son, two daughters, three grandchildren, three sisters and one brother.

Burial was in the Rowley Cemetery, Hillsdale.

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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. 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, Rte. 2030, off Rte. 53, Allport. Barbara McClellan, 3731 Casanova Rd., Munson, PA 16860, pastprez@pennswoods.net

AMBRIDGE—CLOVER LODGE, #348,meets 1st and 3rd Friday at 7:30 P.M. at 625 Merchant St., Ambridge, PA 15033. Sec'y, Arthur Brown, 52 Grandview Ave., Baden, PA 15005, 724-869-9117.

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.

BELLEFONTE—CRYSTAL SPRING REBEKAH LODGE, #25, meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 8:00 PM at I.O.O.F. Hall, 756 Axemann Rd., Eugene Bennett, Sec'y, 3030 Buffalo Run Rd., Bellefonte. PA 16823.

BELLEVILLE—LADY GREENWOOD LODGE, #308, meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 8:00 P.M. A-S, 7:30 O-M at Senior Citizen Bldg., 50 S. Kishacoquillas St. (Rear). Hannah Hassinger, Sec'y, 4470 E. Main St., Belleville, PA 17004.

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. Livio V. Ruggieri, Sec'y, 45 33 Avenrowe Ct., Fairless Hills, PA 19030.

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, Hayertown. PA 19083.

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 Tanglewood Senior Center, 10 Austin Avenue, Lyndora, PA. Alvin Waters, Sec'y, 218 E. Water St., Slippery Rock, PA 16057.

CASSVILLE—LADY EVELYN 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, Jr., Sec'y, HCR1 Box 6, Calvin, PA 16622.

COCHRANVILLE—HEBRON LODGE, #437, meets 2nd and 4th Monday, 7:30 P.M., IOOF Hall, 173 Cochran St. Dale E. Binkley, Sec'y, 106 Glenloch Dr., Landenberg, PA 19350, dbinkley@kennett.net

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.

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, 2 West Main Street, Suite 517, Uniontown, PA 15401.

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. Jane Blair, Sec'y, RR #1, Box 91, Klingerstown, PA 17941.

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., 7:30 P.M., Masonic Hall, 101 Walker Dr., Edinboro. Lawrence Pieper, Sec'y, 7216 Crane Rd., Edinboro, PA 16412.

ELIZABETH—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 1st Monday at 8:00 PM at Roberts Hollow Rd. Ellwood L. McCorkle, Clerk, 1833 Woodcove Place, Pittsburgh, PA 15216-2913.

MONONGAHELA L.E.A., # 109, meets the 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. of each month at Roberts Hallow Rd., Mary Louise Rudman, Scribe, 20-A Greenwood Heights, Connellsville, PA 15425.

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 16505

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. Edward Lydick, Sec'y, 203 McWilliams Dr., Natrona Heights, PA 15065.

GASTONVILLE—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.

NUCLEUS LODGE, #377, meets every Thursday, 8:00 P.M., IOOF Hall, Finleyville-Elrama Rd. Allen J. Cushey, Sec'y, 339 Springdale Rd., Venetia, PA 15367.

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—SUSANNAH REBEKAH LODGE, #247, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 1:00 P.M. at Christ Lutheran Church, 124 S. 13th St., Harrisburg. Kathryn Bush, Sec'y, 3532 N. 4th St., Harrisburg, PA 17110.

HONESDALE—FREEDOM LODGE, #88, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:00 P.M., Masonic Hall, 112 9th St. Howard Goodenough, Sec'y, PO Box 191, Honesdale, PA 18431. hgoodenough@martinacctg.com

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. Jack J. Bort, Sec'y, 12141 W. Main St., E. Springfield, PA 16411.

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 47, Lake Como, PA 18437.

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—JOHN E. NACE ENCAMPMENT, #199, meets 2nd Thursday at 7:00 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 2nd and 4th 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 Tuesday, 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 10523

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, 7:30 P.M., IOOF Hall, 27 Railroad Ave. Leon Stamm, Sec'y, 315 Governor Dr., Mifflin Park, Reading, PA 19607. 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.

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.

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

CHOSEN FRIENDS ENCAMPMENT #88, meets 3rd Wednesday at 111 Church St. Robert Vaughn, Scribe, 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.

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., Harry Stoll, Sec'y, 678 Thoburn Ct. North, Meadville, PA 16335.

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

RED ROSE REBEKAH LODGE, #586, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 1:00 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, criswell@ptd.net

MILLBROOK—LADY WORTH REBEKAH LODGE, #328, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday, 7:30 P.M. at the Millbrook Grange. Linda Dickson, Sec'y, 433 Liberty St., Grove City, PA 16127-2206.

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, Sec'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—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.

BRADY LODGE, #116, meets every Friday, 8:00 P.M., at 13 S. Main St. Leon Fenstermaker, Sec'y, RR 3 Box 553, Muncy, PA 17756-9023.

NAZARETH—ALUTA LODGE, #488, meets every Friday at 8:00 P.M. at 1068 Bushkill Center Road. Mellis Zellner, Sec'y, 1110 Marfield Dr., Nazareth, PA 18064.

LADY HALL REBEKAH, #202, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 P.M. at Aluta Hall, Dolores Keller, Sec'y, 106 Jackson Ave., Pen Argyl, PA 18072-1606.

BUSHKILL ENCAMPMENT, #55, meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday, 8:00 P.M. at 1068 Bushkill Ctr. Rd., Bushkill Twp. Maynard J. Ernst, Sec'y, PO Box 105, Tatamy, PA 18085-0105.

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, 1760 Shermans Valley Rd., Elliotsburg, PA 17024.

MAHONEY REBEKAH LODGE, #428, meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. (May-Oct) & 1:30 P.M. (Nov-Apr) in Odd Fellows Hall, 18 W. Main Street. Martha Rice, See'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—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.

NORRISTOWN—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, 1919 Muhlenburg Dr., Lansdale, PA 19446.

NORRISTOWN ENCAMPMENT, #37, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday, IOOF Hall. George Quier, Scribe, 1005 Forest Ave., Norristown, PA 19403.

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. Dave Harte, Sec'y, PO Box 52572, Philadelphia, PA 19115-7572.

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 DISSTON LODGE, #8, meets 1st & 3rd Monday at 8:00 PM at Disston Presbyterian Church, Tyson and Glenloch Sts. Paul Crossley, Sec'y, 27 Saddle Dr., Mount Laurel, NJ 08054.

VARIETY LODGE, #37, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 8:00 PM at 1290 Southampton Rd., Philadelphia. Gilbert A. Rand, Sec'y, 8641 Ferndale St., Philadelphia, PA 19149.

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, Dtallone2@aol.com

UNIFIED LODGE, #2, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. at 3219 Central Ave. Ronald J. Collins, Sec'y, 1432 Eckert St., Pittsburgh, PA 15212.

LADY UNITED REBEKAH LODGE, #3, meets 2nd and 4th Monday, 7:30 P.M., Greater Pittsburgh Masonic Ctr., 3579 Masonic Way. Anne Dihlman, Sec'y, 841 Calif. Ave., Apt. 310, Pittsburgh, PA 15202.

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., Scranton, 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, meets1st and 3rd Monday at 7:00 PM in the Odd Fellows Lodge, 5242 Lake Street, Sandy Lake, PA 16145. James Donley, Sec'y., 440 Boyd Rd, Stoneboro, PA 16153.

OIL CITY ENCAMPMENT, #182, meets the 1st Thursday at 10:00 AM at the Sandy Lake Lodge Hall, 5242 Lake St., Sandy Lake, PA. Leland Dorchester, Scribe, 114 Riber St., Cochranton, PA 16314.

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

LADY LILLIE BEST REBEKAH LODGE, #222, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday, Schnecksville Fire Hall, Main Street. Jill 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., Greg F. Dimick, Sec'y, 20 W. Lincoln Ave., Hatfield, PA 19440.

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. Rod Faust, Sec'y, PO Box 417, Shamokin, PA 17872.

SHARON—SHARON LODGE, #347, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 25 W. Shenango Street, Sharpsville. William B. Struchen, 93 Smith Ave., Sharon, PA 16146.

SHARPSVILLE—ADONIRAM LODGE, #739, meets the 1st and 3rd Friday at 7:30 P.M. at St. Paul's U.C.C., 159 Todd Ave., Hermitage, PA. 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 St. Paul's U.C.C., 159 Todd Ave., Hermitage, PA. 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

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 & 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at 111 Main St., Spring City, PA. Gary Yerger, Sec'y, 111 Main St., Spring City, PA 19426.

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

RIDGELY CANTON #8, meets 2nd Wednesday, 8:00 P.M., Windmere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr., State College, PA 16801.

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, 454 Rolling Ridge Drive, State College, PA 16801 – ken@khkulp.com

STONY FORK—MARINDA REBEKAH LODGE #107 meets the 1st & 3rd Monday 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 #361 meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 9A E. Main St. Donald A. Bachman, Sec'y, 117 Miller Street, Strasburg, PA 17579.

SUMMERVILLE—LADY EVANGELINE REBEKAH LODGE, #146, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. in Civic Center, West Penn Street. Teresa Reitz Swineford, Sec'y, 3083 Airport Rd., Punxsutawney, PA 15767.

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, 223 Hunter St., Tamaqua, PA

SCOTT ENCAMPMENT, #132, meets the 1st Thursday at 7:00 PM, Harmony Hall, 503 W. Broad St. Donald R. Serfass, Scribe, 242 W. Broad St., Tamaqua, PA 18252, ironstep@ptd.net.

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

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,

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. 1, Bernard L. Myers, Sec'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. Pat Newman, Sec'y, 976 Mounts Rd., Washington, PA 15301.

NATIONAL LODGE, #81, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday, 8:00 P.M., 696 Fayette St. James Ragan, Sec'y, 84 Woodrow Dr., 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 7:00 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Road. Dale Singer, Sec'y, 801 Locust St., Wrightsville, PA 17368.

YORK CANTON, #14, meets 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Rd. William McElwain, Clerk, 136 Crown Pt. Dr., York, PA 17402. Bill83049@aol.com

MOUNT VERNON ENCAMPMENT, #14, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:00 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Road. James Keller, Scribe, 620 Greenwood Rd., York, PA 17404

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.

To all my Friends, Sisters and Brothers in Rebekah Odd Fellowship. The following poem expresses my feelings better than I could.

THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES

Thanks for all the memories
In which you've played a part,
For they are always nearest
And dearest to my heart...
Thanks for all the memories
That are yours and mine alone,
For they recall so many
Special moments I have known...
Thanks for all the memories
That time can never dime...
I never could repay you
For the joy I've found in them!
Mary Dawson Hughes

I will always remember the year I served as your President. Thanks for all my memories.

May the Bluebird of Happiness be with you always.

In F.L. & T. Ruth A. Good

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