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2004

JULY

*Sunday, 18th - Middletown Home Day *Saturday, 24th - Fun Day '04, Knoebels Park

AUGUS7

*Saturday, 7th - Lady Myra Adams Testimonial, Shartlesville *14th to 20th / 8G/ Session *

SAPTEMBER

Saturday, 17th Philadelphi Orobans Home Meeting
Saturday, 25th - Fred Alice From Parker Locker #306

*Saturday 9th of Encompanent Rally, Alluta turday, 10th - Horman & Tamara Schlott Testimonial,

NOVEMBER

*Saturday, 6th - Fall Allstate Rally *Saturday, 13th - P.M. & L.A.P.M. Rally

DECEMBER

Saturday, 11th - Philadelphia Orphans Home Meeting
*denotes furnished by Planning Board

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All State Rally
Living Legacy Program
Alma Lodge #523 Visits Arlington Cemetery
Five County Rally

And so much more!

ODD FELLOWS – MIDDLETOWN HOME



Residents enjoy their baseball outing at City Island, Harrisburg. The Harrisburg Senators played the Binghamton Mets.

More Middletown Home News on page 6.

TO ALL LODGES:

The Jurisdictional Planning Board is requesting that all lodges go through the Planning Board when planning any special function. By doing this, the function can be placed on the calendar of coming events and there be less chance of several functions being planned for the same day.

To find out if there is anything scheduled for the day that you would like to use, you may call the secretary of the Planning Board, Ruth A. Good, at one of the following numbers:

Cell phone: 814-229-6448 Home phone: 814-275-4614 Thank you for all your cooperation.

In F.L. & T.

Ruth A. Good, Secretary

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To the Odd Fellow-Rebekah Scholarship Committee:

It was a great honor to be the recipient of the Odd Fellow Rebekah Scholarship for the academic year of Fall 2003-Spring 2004. The scholarship is greatly appreciated and has helped me to achieve my goals for my first year at Temple University. In the past year, I have become an active member of Sigma Chi Delta, a local service sorority and was inducted into National Society of Collegiate Scholars, NSCS. Spring semester, I was elected co-chair of philanthropy and chairwomen of insignia of Sigma Chi Delta. The philanthropy committee was very successful raising money for organizations such as March of Dimes and Sunshine Foundation. We organized various events for the local orphanage to provide them with positive role models. This past year we volunteered at a local dog show, March of Dimes, and a new event "Dress Me Up For Prom," where prom dresses and accessories were donated and distributed to teens that could not afford the costs of prom. Because of our community involvement we won Organization of the Year at Temple's Annual Awards Banquet.

My GPA and campus involvement aided in my nomination and induction into NSCS. The society provides community and academic services to the local area and its members. It is an honor that will hopefully be of assistance toward my academic goals and provide me with amazing, new experiences.

All of my academic and extracurricular achievements in the past year would not have been possible without your financial assistance. I greatly appreciate the financial assistance of the Odd Fellow Rebekah Scholarship. I hope you are able to assist other students financially in the years to come so that they too will be able to achieve their goals.

Thank you,

Lindsay A. Bottorf





FROM THE DESK OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

Dear Readers,

It is a good chance by the time this is out we will have a new Grand Master along with his new officers. If he is trying to change something for the good of the Order, give him your help. Don't say we never did it that way before. Try it, it might be just the thing we need to turn things around. We all know we have to do something to get the membership to go the other way, we need to be increasing not decreasing. So let us all pull together to bring Odd Fellowship back to being strong. To all the District Deputy Grand Masters, remember you are representing the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge and in doing so, you should be making sure your Lodges are meeting on a regular basis, and following the Laws of the Order.

As always, I am asking for your help. I need anything you can send to put in your Magazine. Keep the articles coming!

Fraternally, William L. Locke, Grand Secretary

BE ODD

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, Be Odd. Be so strong that nothing can disturb your tranquility, your peace of mind.

Always talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person you meet.

Make all your members feel that there is much good in them and that they are needed. Look at the bright side of everything.

Think the best, believe the best, work for the best and expect the best.

Be more enthusiastic about the success of your brothers and sisters than you are about your own.

Forget the mistakes of the past and press on to greater achievements.

Wear a cheerful look and give everyone you meet a smile.

Spend so much time improving yourself that you will have no time to criticize others. Be too big for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear.

Avoid trouble by being too happy for it to appear.

Be Odd!

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FIVE COUNTY RALLY

The Five County Rally was held Saturday, April 24, 2004 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 Fellows meeting. Greetings were extended by Acting Chairman Charles Kelly. The First, Second and Third Degrees was conferred by Monongahela Degree Lodge #88. Ten members received the degrees. Introductions included Past Grand Masters; Brig. Gen. Nevin Adams, Department Commander, Patriarchs Militant Department Council; Grand Patriarch Fred See, Grand Encampment; and Grand Master Herman Schlott, Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania.

The Rebekah meeting was held in the Evergreen Room. The meeting was opened and closed by Sisters of District 36. Co-Chairman Lee Etta Mansberry extended greetings to all members present. The Welcome was given by Sister Myra McCorkle and President Tamara Schlott gave the Response to the Welcome. The Reebkah Degree was conferred by Faithful Rebekahs. The degree was conferred on two members. There were seven Past Presidents and eight appointed officers in attendance. The elected officers present were President Tamara Schlott; Vice President Izetta McGill: Warden Doris Goerlitz: Treasurer Sara Bonson; and Representative to I.A.R.A. Ruth Good.

The Banquet was held in the Ballroom. Milford and Bobbi Johnson escorted the dignitaries to the head table. The Invocation was given by Carolyn Barger, 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 Adams, Department Commander, Patriarchs Militant Department Council; Lady Myra Adams, President, Department Association L.A.P.M.; Grand Patriarch Fred See, Grand Encampment; President Tamara Schlott, Rebekah Assembly; and Grand Master Herman Schlott, Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania.

The evening activities concluded with the Benediction by Francis Watt, Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania.

> Publicity Howard B. Brewer Bobbi Johnson

MT. ZION LODGE NO. 74, I.O.O.F.

Installation of our new electric sign at Mt. Zion Lodge No. 74, York, PA was completed on Monday, May 17, 2004. And as you can see by the photograph, it was just in time for our visit from the Grand Master, Herman Schlott, and President of the Rebekah Assembly, Tamara Schlott.



Following dinner, of Oysters and Chicken, Mt. Zion welcomed the Grand Master and Noble Grand; Wayne Fair presented him with a check of \$500.00 for support to the Special Olympics.

Salome Rebekah Lodge No. 30 welcomed the Assembly President, Tamara Schlott to their meeting, and presented her with a

monetary gift for cause of Seeing Eye Dogs.

Invitations went out to the Lodges of District 6 and District 15. Past Grand Master, Robert Derr of Lititz Lodge No. 1050 was also in attendance.



JULY



WISHES

1 – Joseph Acton/#1030 Wayde Spangler/#74 Don Spangler/#74

2 – William Miller/#81 Mark Ferster/#551 Keith & Kevin Rill - Twins/#74 Donald Reinert/#214

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 Howard McCollough/#333 William Wells/#333 John Mohney/#739 William Paules, Sr./#374

5 – Larry Skinner/#457 James Ragan/#81 Bruce Eakin/#304

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

7 – Sue Millet/R#29
Betty Michael/R#58
Timothy Musser/#74
Patricia Edwards/R#202
Keith Ehman/#1004
Ross Orton/#510
Raymond Ellis/#74

8 - Bob Nester/#802

Calvin Stewart/#733 Allen Long/#773

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

10 – Ray Ness/#74 Lawrence Jackson/#199

11 – John Redfoot/#1128 Darryl Bates/#348

12 – Melvin Wach/#1107 Luke Rebuck/#551

13 - Amy Behler/R#29

14 – William Metzgar/#488 Lee McDonald/#282

15 - William Wylie/#1107 Richard Ball/#510

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

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

18 – Fred Meier/#457 Richard Gensamer/#733 Louis Tyger/#936 William Coombe/#74

19 – Robert Rhodes/#254 Gerlene Warfield/R#58 Warren Windham/#290 Dale Stock/#74 James Stutler/#74

20 – Kenneth Wiser/#957 Dan Freeman/#802 John Smith/#936

21 – Wayne McVeagh/#199

23 – Donald Houck/#773 Maynard Schreffler/#551

24 – Marvin Klinger/#551 Randy Gormley/#86 F. Reed McFadden/#333 Vernon Miller/#1004

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26 – Helen Dinco/R#134 Ernest Klinger/#551 James Oaks/#739 Marvin Hildebrand/#74

27 – John Gross/#306 Albert Marriner/#469 Gerald W. States/#348

28 – Mary Longstreth/R#342 Raymond Fallquist/#209 Don Trulick/#733 Douglas Earich/#74 Brian Johnson/#290

29 – Dennis C. Miller/#488 Mark H. Werner/#488

30 – Vernon Edwards/#1004 Harold Hennen/#469 Todd Bordner/#551 George Pifer/#74

31 – Bob Dunn/#802 David Oleary/#199

ODD FELLOWS - MIDDLETOWN HOME

Residents enjoyed the month of May! They enjoyed cocktail hour, 50's day, and a baseball outing to City Island, Harrisburg.

Many special groups entertained as well, such as The Feaser Select Chorus, Garden Chapel Youth Group, and Open Door Bible Church. Pet Therapy was also a big hit. The residents love to give and receive affection to such cuddley creatures.

The Mom's enjoyed "Mother's Day Tea" and the Dad's enjoyed "Father's Day Coffee." They look forward to Summer activities!



(L to R) Great Friends, Florence Cox and Ruth Smith "Salute" during Cocktail Hour.



Mary Sosnoskie enjoys her Pink Cadillac lunch on 50's Day.



Gwen and Shawn from dietary "cut a rug" on 50's Day!

REBEKAH LODGE 125 YEARS OLD

The Sisters of Phoebe Reebkah Lodge #123 (Clarion County) celebrated the 125th Anniversary of the granting of their charter with a dinner, 6 p.m., at the Cherry Run Methodist Campground near Rimbersburg, PA on May 13, 2004. State Officers attending were Doris Georlitz, Warden RA; Laura J. Locke, Secretary RA; Sara V. Bonson, Treasurer RA; Ruth A. Good PP, Representative to I.A.R.A.; Lady Audrey Hutchison, Vice President Department Association L.A.P.M.; William Locke, PGM, PGP, Grand Secretary of Grand Lodge; Marcia LaVan PP, Representative Meadville Home; and Linda Dickson Representative to Odd Fellow & Rebekah Home of Western Pa. Also attending were Donna L. Anthony DDP, Phoebe #123; Marie Harnish DDP, Lady Worth #328; Lee Etta Mansberry PPRA; Irene Kelly PPRA; and Charles Kelly PGM & PGP. Noble Grand Candy Walter-Bowser was in charge of the celebration. Lodge was held at 7:30 p.m. and a good time was had by all in attendance.

Submitted by Sally Walter, Secretary Phoebe Rebekah Lodge #123



NICKEL PLATE LODGE #1125

Nickel Plate Lodge #1125 held their annual Oyster and Shrimp Supper on Wednesday, February 11, 2004. The supper was at 6:00 p.m. followed by the Lodge Meeting at 8:00 p.m.

Grand Master Herman Schlott was there along with Past Grand Master Robert Love and Past Grand Master and Grand Representative of the Encampment Clyde Barger of Nucleus Lodge #377. Also attending was General Commanding of the Military Council Robert Graf of Conneaut Lodge #773.

There were Brothers from Edinboro Lodge #510 and Cussewaga Lodge #108 from Meadville in attendance also.

A few of the Brothers gave some very interesting remarks and in closing a very interesting talk by Grand Master Schlott.

It was a fun evening of a good meal and good Oddfellowship being enjoyed by all who attended.



L-R: PGM Robert Love, General Commanding Robert Graf, GM Herman Schlott, NG Jack Bort, PGM Clyde Barger.

306 Walker

74 Mt. Zion

282 Lansdowne

ALL STATE RALLY - BOYERTOWN, PA

On May 15, 2004 the Delaware Valley Degree team put on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd degrees with the help of a few substitutes. Thank you for your help. There were three members receiving the Grand Lodge Degree. Fifteen candidates received the Odd Fellow degrees. There were four candidates that received the Rebekah Degree.

MAY DONATIONS

VISUAL ASSISTANCE

551	Mahanoy	50.00
1004	Hampton	25.00
348	Clover	25.00
R384	Lady Lafayette	20.00
R107	Marinda	20.00
773	Waterfall	17.00
R356	Roxana	15.00
541	Latrobe	8.74
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SPECIAL OLYMPICS (Grand Master Schlott's Project)

-02	Barroad Wife	500.00
51	Brownsville	200.00
488	Aluta	100.00
523	Alma	100.00
192	Jordan	100.00
1050	Lititz	100.00
	Henry Disston	100.00
57	Montgomery Curtis-Norris	75.00
762	Vincent	50.00
551	Mahanoy	50.00
270	Mystic	50.00
557	Caemarvon	50.00
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348	Clover	25.00
1004	Hampton	25.00
1030	Charleroi	25.00
591	Shenandoah	25.00
469	Waynesburg	25.00
486	Peter Fritz	10.00
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U.N. PILGRIMAGE

116	Brady	200.00
192	Jordan	100.00
658	Victory	100.00
488	Aluta	25.00
		425.00

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153 Centre 50.00

Members, I thank you for the great support to the new members. Thanks to the sisters and brothers who traveled a great distance. It was good to see each and every one of you. Hope to see you at the next rally with more candidates.

Lady Colfax of Leesport had two candidates and Lady Sellers of Sellersville had two candidates. The Rebekah Degree was put on by "Rebekahs on the Road."

Congratulations to all the new members. I would like to thank you all from the north, south, east and west for coming to the Rally. Doesn't it make your heart feel good that we are building a new foundation for Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

Robert E. Raffensberger Rally Committee Chairman



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P.O.F. DAYS GONE BY

75 YEARS AGO (July 1929)

PENNSYLVANIA DEPUTIES' ASSOCIATION

A letter has been mailed to District Deputy Grand Masters whose addresses could be obtained outlining some of the purposes for forming this needed link between all lodges and their Deputies in Pennsylvania. All present and past Deputies are urged to join, and anyone who did not receive notice to join are requested to notify the secretary. The next regular meeting of the temporary association will be in October during Grand Encampment session in Reading.

TWO-COUNTY FIELD DAY AT ALLENTOWN

Odd Fellows of Lehigh and Northampton Counties were scheduled to hold a Two-County Field Day and Picnic at the Allentown Fair Grounds on Saturday, July 20.

All Odd Fellows are invited to participate who are in this vicinity at that time. The committee is preparing for a bigger and better picnic, and nice prizes will be awarded to the winners in the various sporting events, which are open to any Odd Fellow who cares to participate in them.

PITTSBURGH

The Lodges of the Second District of Allegheny County, located in the Bot-Ton district of the city of Pittsburgh, have made all plans and preparations for a motor caravan to visit Wayside Inn at Grove City on Sunday morning, September 8th. The assemblage will meet at Washington Boulevard and Frankstown Ave. at 8:30 A.M. Pittsburgh time. This promises to be one of the largest delegations ever leaving the city for a visit to this Old Monument of Odd Fellowship. The Grand Master George B. McDowell and his wife, Grand Guardian Harvey Riley, Grand Herald Harvey Case and many other Grand Lodge Officers are very enthusiastic about making this trip an unparalleled success.

25 YEARS AGO

(July 1979)

ANNUAL PICNIC AT ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAH HOME OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

The annual picnic at the Odd Fellows and Rebekah Home of Western Pennsylvania at Grove City, Pennsylvania, will be held on Saturday, August 18, 1979, on the Home grounds. All Odd Fellows, Rebekahs, and friends are invited to come to the picnic, visit with the Residents of the Home, and if you have not visited the Home before we encourage you to tour the facilities.

ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAHS ATTEND HOMECOMING DAY

Ruth Frederick, D.D.P. of Wayne County, contacted her lodges, also lodges of Susquehanna County and arranged for a bus trip to the Middletown Odd Fellows and Rebekah Home of Pennsylvania on July 15th to attend the Homecoming Day and barbecue.

All the Rebekah Lodges, many of the Odd Fellow Lodgers of Wayne Co. and some from Susquehanna were represented as 41 members enjoyed the trip, the friendship, the barbecue, and the

beautiful home and surroundings. They saw the lovely new office building, talked to some guests at the home, greeted old friends and acquaintances and made new ones. All in all it was a most delightful day.

LIVING LEGACY PROGRAM

Aluta Lodge #488 IOOF and Lady Hall Rebekah Lodge #202 of Nazareth gathered on a beautiful Saturday morning, May 1st, to honor our "Living Legacy" Program. We planted two trees along our property line alongside those from previous years – a dogwood and a Bradford pear. We offer prayer and a brief memorial ceremony for our dear departed brothers and sisters who died during the past year. We had about 17 in attendance.





L to R: Maynard Ernst, Harold Teel, Kathleen Ernst, Sylvia DeRea.



L to R: Charles Miller, Richard Pritchard, Harold Teel, Thomas Hahn, Howard Miller, Maynard Ernst.

Department Association of Pennsylvania Ladies Auxiliaries Patriarchs Militant Testimonial to honor

LADY MYRA FAY ADAMS, PRESIDENT - 2002-2004

Saturday, August 7, 2004 at 6:30 p.m. Date:

Location: Blue Mountain Family Restaurant

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DO YOU HAVE A.A.A.D.D.?

(Submitted by Anonymous)

Hooray! I've recently been diagnosed with AAADD! (Age Activated Attention Deficit Disorder) This is how it goes: I decide to wash the car. I start toward the garage and I notice the mail on the table. Ok, I'm going to wash the car, but first I'm going to go through the mail. I lay the car keys down on the desk, discard the junk mail and I notice the trash can is full. Ok, I'll just put the bills on my desk and take the trash can out. But since I'm going to be near the mailbox anyway, I'll pay these few bills first. Now, where is my checkbook? Oops, there's only one check left. My extra checks are in my desk. Oh, there's the coke I was drinking. I'm going to look for those checks. But first I need to put my coke further away from the computer. Oh, maybe I'll pop it into the fridge to keep it cold for a while. I head towards the kitchen and my flowers catch my eye; they need some water. I set the coke on the counter and uh oh! There are my glasses. I was looking for them all morning! I'd better put them away first. I fill a container with water and head for the flower pots-Aaaaaagh! The TV remote was left in the kitchen. I'll never think to look in the kitchen tonight when I want to watch television so I'd better put it back where it belongs. I splash some water into the pots and onto the floor, I throw the remote onto a soft cushion on the sofa and I head back down the hall trying to figure out what it was I was going to do. At the end of the day: The car isn't washed, the bills are unpaid, the coke is sitting on the kitchen counter, the flowers are half watered, the checkbook still only has one check in it and I can't seem to find my car keys! When I try to figure out why nothing got done today, I'm baffled because I know I was busy all day long!!!

ORCHARD MANOR



Sister Karen Brobander and other "free spirits" pose in the tiedied shirts they made to wear during the '60s celebration at Orchard Manor.



Chef Pete checks with Personal Care Residents to make sure everything is just right during a recent "Chef's Special" Shrimp Scampi luncheon.



Brothers Ken Anthony, Carl Lasher and George Wary, of Freeport Lodge #379, "clown" around with Residents, showing off their "balloon animal" talents!

MAHANOY LODGE #551 AND IDELLA REBEKAHS #58 HOLD ANNUAL SPRING CHICKEN BAR-B-Q EVENT

The Odd Fellows of Mahanoy. Lodge and Rebekahs of Idella hold two chicken bar-b-q's annually for fundraisers. On April 24, 2004, the spring event was held with a very successful outcome. Six hundred halves with all of the trimmings were sold with a net profit of approximately \$1,775 to be split between the two organizations. In addition to the fund raised, as can be seen in the following photos, the folks have a good time!



This photo shows that Brother Dan Schock thinks that the pit will become ready all by itself. We would say that he is trying to imitate a Penn Dot worker, but we can't say that because we would offend the two brothers in the Lodge who are or were Penn Dot workers.



Here we see the start of the first batch of the best chicken barb-q in the Susquehanna Valley. The brothers are (from left to right) Greg Erdman, Bill Straub, District Deputy Barry Snyder, Dan Schock (again), and Terry Snyder.





Brothers, from left to right, Dan Schock (is he everywhere?) and Ernest Klinger are flipping the racks one of many times.



Brothers taking a break in between breaks (working?). (again from left to right) Dean Oxenrider, John Kerstetter, Terry Snyder, Bill Straub, Bernie Graybill, Secretary Don Zerbe, Noble Grand Jim Snyder, and Maynard Schreffler. The Lodge building can be seen in the background.



Here is one of the Penn Dot workers, Brother Greg Erdman, applying the special juices. We forgot to mention that the other Penn Dot worker (now retired) is Noble Grand Jim Snyder.

ALMA LODGE #523, JOHNSTOWN, VISITS ARLINGTON CEMETERY

On May 2, Alma Lodge sponsored a bus trip from Johnstown to Arlington National Cemetery to observe the placing of the wreaths



Brother Carl Thomas (center) organized the entire trip from renting the bus to supplying the box lunches. He is flanked by Jake and Bobbi Johnson.



Brother Kermit Thomas from Highland Lodge #428, Ebensburg, PA and his traveling companion, Lois Morris, made the trip.



Grand Patriarch Fred See (center) made the trip with his Grand Inside Sentinel, Warren E. Ribblett (left).

ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknowns. There were 27 people on the bus including Lodge Members, wives and guests. The other Lodges in District 21 were invited to participate and at least one Member accepted.

The accompanying photos and captions tell the story as well as would a long narrative.

submitted by Glenn L. Campbell



A Solemn Moment. Milford "Jake" Johnson, a WWII vet and a longtime member of Alma Lodge #523, reflects among the tombstones in Arlington National Cemetery.



Art Moyer from State College Lodge #1032 was there to take part in the wreath placing ceremony.

SEARCHING FOR JOURNALS

I am searching for PA Grand Lodge Journals. If anyone knows where I could acquire Grand Lodge Journals from past years it would be greatly appreciated. I have a couple journals from the 1880's, early 1900's, and four from the 1990's, and wish to add to my collection. Please contact me by telephone (724) 258-5176; address – 46 Snyder Avenue, Monongahela, PA 15063 or email – JBUBBA7229@aol.com.

Thank You,

Jim Barnhart - #377

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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 Tucsday 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 Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. at 625 Merchant St., Ambridge, PA 15033. Arthur Brown, Sec'y, 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., See'y, 330 Beaumont Street, Warrior Run, PA 18706.

BELLEFONTE—CRYSTAL SPRING REBEKAH LODGE, #25, meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 7:30 PM at I.O.O.F. Hall, 756 Axemann Rd., Eugene Bennett, Sec'y, 3030 Buffalo Run Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823.

BELLEVILLE—LADY GREENWOOD REBEKAH LODGE, #308, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. in the Senior Citizens Building, 50 S. Kishacoquillas Street, Belleville; Hannah Hassinger, Sec'y, 4470 East Main Street, 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. Mae D. Judy, Sec'y, 123 Westside Dr., Bellefonte, PA 16823.

BOWMANSDALE—BOWMANSDALE LODGE, #1179, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 P.M. at the IOOF Hall, 37 Lisburn Road. Harry R. Kennedy, See'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 the Elks Lodge on Wood St. in Bristol, Livio V. Ruggieri, Sec'y, 33 Avenrowe Ct., Fairless Hills, PA 19030.

BUTLER—CONNOQUENESSING LODGE, #278, meets 2nd and 4th Tucsday 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

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.

STAR OF GLASSPORT REBEKAH LODGE, #563, meets 2nd and 4th Fridays at 7:00 P.M. at Roberts Hollow Rd., Dianne Rosche, Sec'y, 21 Shady Lane, 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.

OLD MONONGAHELA LODGE, #209, meets every Tucsday night at 8:00 P.M., Roberts Hollow Road, Elizabeth, PA 15037. Les Salzman, Secretary, 706 Rt. 481, Monongahela, PA 15063; Phone 724-258-2724.

MONONGAHELA L.E.A., # 109, meets the 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. of each month at Roberts Hallow Rd. Lee Etta Mansberry, Scribe, PO Box 79, Brownfield, PA 15416.

FREEDOM—EDITH LODGE, #812, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M., 625 Third Ave., Freedom, PA. Herbert Heineman, Sec'y, 1049 Catherine Drive, 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—MONONGAHFLA 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, 800 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, See 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, 2247, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 1:00 P.M. at Christ Lutheran Church, 124 S. 13th St., Harrisburg, Kathryn Bush, See'y, 3532 N. 4th St., Harrisburg, PA 17110.

HERMITAGE—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 Stater, Sec'y, 814 Pearl Street, Sharon, PA 16146.

SHARON LODGE, #347, meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 7-30 P.M., St. Pauls UCC, 159 Todd Ave. James A. Housman, See'y, 1192 Bedford Rd., Masary, OH 44438.

SHARPSVILLE REBEKAH LODGE, #110, meets the 2nd Thursday at 3:00 P.M. and the 4th Thursday at 1:00 P.M. at St. Paul's U.C.C., 159 Todd Ave. Hermitage, PA. Florence Paddock, See'y, 7626 Stewart Sharon Rd., Masury, OH 44338.

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, meet every friday evening (except July and August meetings held 1st and 3rd Fridays only) at 440-42 Man Street John P. Pearce, Sec'y, 355 Edith Ave., Johnstown, PA 15906.

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

LAKE CITY—NICKEL PLATE LODGE, #1125, meets every Wednesday at 8:00 P.M., at the Lodge Hall, 2180 Rice Ave. Paul W. Crosby, Secretary, #130 Keefer Road, Girard, PA 16417.

LAKE COMO—NAKOMIS REBEKAH LODGE, 447, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall, Rt. 247. Violet Maholchic, Sec. 9, D. 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, 1111 Jefferson St., Apt. 101, 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, 111 Jefferson St., Apt. 101, Latrobe, PA 15650, fredseeatlave@webtv.net

LEESPORT—LEESPORT LODGE, #141, meets every Tuesday, May-Oct. 8:00 PM, Nov-Apr. 7:30 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., Mirffin 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.

CANTON LEESPORT, #2, meets 4th Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall. Capt. (R) Nevin W. Adams, Clerk, 951 Shoemakersville Rd., Shoemakersville, PA 19555.

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 Odd Fellows Hall, Mill and Market Streets. Harry Howell, Sec'y, Osage Lodge #712, 70 Camp Ground Rd., Dallas, PA 18612.

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

FAITH, HOPE, & CHARITY REBEKAH LODGE #15, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesdays at 7:30 P.M., at the Mazeppa Union Church, 3200 Johnson Mill Road, Lewisburg, PA 17837. Molly M. Criswell, Sec'y, 714 Church Road, Mifflinburg, PA 17844, criswell@ptd.net

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.

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 AUXILIARY, #47, meets the 4th Sarurday 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, See'y, P.O. Box 612, Middletown, PA 17057.

RED ROSE REBEKAH LODGE, #586, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 1:00 P.M. in 1.O.O.F. Hall, 47 W. Emaus Street. Cordia Bechtel, Finan. Sec'y, 1830 Kaylor Rd., Hummelstown, PA 17036.

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.

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.

MORGANTOWN—CAERNARVON LODGE #557, neets 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 1st and 3rd Friday at 8:00 P.M. at 13 S. Main St. William E. Smedley, Sec'y, P.O. Box 463, 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., Duboisctown, PA 17701.

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, EASAB, 676 American Banbor Road, Apt. A 210, Bangor, PA 18013.

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. October 1st to April 1st and 8:00 P.M. April 1st to October 1st, 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 1:30 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, 18 W. Main Street. Martha Rice, Sec'y, 26 W. Shortcut Rd., Newport, PA 17074.

NEWFOUNDLAND—LADIES of PAUPACK REBEKAH LODGE, #559, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M. in the American Legion Hall, Nadine Hager, Sec.Y., Box 19, Sterling, PA 18463.

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, 134 Red Hill Rd., 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, See'y, 1919 Muhlenburg Dr., Lansdale, PA 19446.

PHILADELPHIA—CANTON PHILADELPHIA, #I, 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, nieets 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.

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 Carhon 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.

PETER FRITZ LODGE, #486, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M., in the American Legion Hall, 1751 Arlington Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15203. Myra W. McCorkle, Sec'y, 1833 Woodcover Place, Pittsburgh, PA 15216-2913. Myell2@aol.com

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—THALIA REBEKAH LODGE, #116, meets 1st and 3rd Wedneday at 7:30 P.M. in the I.O.O.F. Hall at 59 South Main Street, Pittston, PA; Sue Trudnak, Sec'y, 156 South Street, Hanover Twp., PA 18706. Phone (570) 825-6556.

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.

ROCHESTER MILLS—ALERT LODGE, #936, meets 2nd and 4th 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, Stonehoro, 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 Riher 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, See'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, I N. High St., Hilda Mull, See'y, RD 2, Box 298B, Middleburg, PA 17842.

SELLERSVILLE—VICTORY LODGE, #658, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 PM at Main and Temple Sts., Greg F. Dimick, See'y, 20 W. Lincoln Ave., Hatfield, PA 19440.

LADY SELLERS REBEKAH LODGE, #558, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30 PM, 203 N. Main & Temple. Mary Landes, Sec'y, 316 S. Main St., Sellersville, AP 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. Rod Faust, Sec'y, PO Box 417, Shamokin, PA 17872.

SHENANDOAH—SHENANDOAH LODGE, #591, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M., OF Cemetery Chapel, Cemetery Rd., Shenandoah Heights. Robert Beddall, Sec³y, 34 S. Jardin St., Shenandoah, PA 17976.

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

SMETHPORT —SMETHPORT LODGE #389, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M., in IOOF Hall, 406 w. Main St., Arthur Paulson Jr., Sec'Y., I 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 & 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at 111 Main St., Spring City, PA. Park K. Snyder, Jr., See'y, 1222 Monroe Avenue, Phoenixville, PA 19460.

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

BELLEFONTE ENCAMPMENT #72, meets 2nd, Wednesday, 7:00 P.M. Widmere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr.; Donald Trulick, Scribe, 161 Stover Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823.

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 Social rooms of the Baptist Church of Stony Fork, Elva Maines, Sec'y, 67 Sylvan Glen, Tioga, PA 16946.

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.

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, See'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., Robert Leibensperger, Sec'y, 421 Hauto Hwy., Tamaqua, PA 18252.

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, PA 18252.

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 6:00 P.M. at Lemon Community Hall, Route 29, Lemon, PA. Susan Palmer, Sec'y, 144 Rague Rd., Tunkhannock, PA 18657, ri@epix.net.

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.

WARREN—WARREN LODGE, #339, meets Tuesday at 7:30 P.M., 208-210 Hickory Street. Wayne E. Russ, Sec'y,82 Kamp Street, 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. Wayne E. Russ, Scribe, 82 Kamp Street, 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, Sec²y, 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 Christ Community United Methodist Church, 205 N, Duffy Road, Butler, PA 16001. Audean Byers, Sec'y, 1066 Hooker Rd., Kams City, PA 16041-1314.

WHITE HAVEN—WHITE HAVE LODGE, #457, meets 2nd and 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. James Keller, Fin. Sec'y, 620 Greenwood Rd., York, PA 17404.

YORK CANTON, #14, meets 4th Monday as 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.

IN MEMORIAM

EARL L. MORROW Hampton Lodge No. 1004 May 14, 2004

Brother Earl L. Morrow, 83, of Butler, was initiated into Hampton Lodge No. 1004 of Allison Park, PA; on October 18, 1948. He was preceded in death by his wife, the former Margaret Keil.

He is survived by two sons and four grandchildren.

Services were held in Bakerstown, PA.

ROBERT E. SMITH Connoquenessing Lodge No. 278 May 22, 2004

Brother Robert "Smitty" Smith, 73, of Zelienople, was initiated into Zelienople Lodge #1166 on March 5, 1952. He became a member of Connoquenessing Lodge #278, Butler through consolidation. He became a Past Grand of that Lodge and received his Grand Lodge Degree November 4, 1978. He had also served on the Board of Directors at Orchard Manor.

He was preceded in death by his wife, the former Mary Henshaw. He is survived by a son, two daughters, a sister, seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in St. Peter's Reformed Church Cemetery, Zelienople with IOOF services the evening before.

RONALD R. CUNNINGHAM SR. General Worth Lodge No. 386 May 31, 2004

Brother Ronald Cunningham, 67, of Connellsville, was initiated into General Worth Lodge #386, Connellsville on April 15, 1958

He was a member of Trinity Evangelical Church, Connellsville and preceded in death by his wife, the former Joyce Addis, and a daughter Christine Short.

He is survived by his mother, two sons, one daughter and four grandchildren.

Burial was in Green Ridge Memorial Park, Pennsville, with IOOF services the evening before.