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MIDDLETOWN HOME



Ms. Pennsylvania and her children pose with Clair Houseknecht.

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ROXANNA REBEKAH LODGE #356

The October 1, 2003 meeting of Roxanna Rebekah Lodge #356 located in Everett PA was a very special time. Five members received the Rebekah Assembly Degree.

Officers for the coming year were installed by Tamara Schlott, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Pennsylvania. She also presented one member of the Lodge with her 50 year award. Mrs. Betty Clark become a Rebekah on September 7, 1953. During her 50 years she held various Lodge Offices. She has faithfully attended the meetings and supported the projects. She actively visits those unable to come to Lodge.

Others in attendance were: Past President, Mary Jane Chonko, Lady Berlin #277; Vice President, Izetta McGill; Secretary, Laura Locke; Treasurer, Sara Bonson; Marshal, Elaine Weekly; Chaplain, Carolyn Barger; Outside Guardian, Patricia Newman; Color Bearer, Myra Adams; and Soloist, Vera Crump.

Roxanna Rebekah Lodge #356 had the following Sisters present: Betty Clark, Donna Dicken, Mary Dicken, Kay Smith, Leah Wible, and Wanda Watkins.



In photo, left to right, Wanda R. Watkins, Noble Grand, Rebekah Lodge No. 356; Betty Clark, honoree receiving her 50 year pin from Tamara R. Schlott, President Rebekah Assembly of Pennsylvania; in the background

Lazetta Sidwell, District Deputy President.

PLACES TO GO – PEOPLE TO SEE

2004

APRIL

* Saturday, 24, Five County Rally, Indiana, PA

JUNE

21st to 24th - Unified Session
details to follow

SEPTEMBER

Saturday, 25th - Fred M. See - Testimonial
details to follow

*denotes furnished by Planning Board



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**SOUTHEASTERN
DINNER DANCE****TO ALL ODD FELLOWS,
REBEKAHS AND FRIENDS**

The Southeastern Association of Pennsylvania invites all Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and friends to the annual Southern Dinner Dance to be held May 8, 2004 at the Constatler Volksfest Verein at 9130 Academy Road, Philadelphia, PA. The social hour starts at 5:30 pm with the dinner to follow at 6:30 pm. There will be entertainment following the dinner. The menu choices are Turkey and Salmon and the price is \$20 per person. Send reservations to Nancy Tucker, 549 Norwyck Drive, King of Prussia, PA 19406. A program leaflet will be made and we request you send all booster names at \$1 each, names with a title at \$2 each, and the lodge name at \$15 to Joe Sweeney, 70 Laurel Avenue, Birdsboro, PA 19508.

Makes checks payable to SOUTHEASTERN ASSOCIATION OF PENNSYLVANIA and the deadline for booster names is April 10th and the deadline for the dinner by April 20th.

Send in your response early. We hope to have a great evening of Odd Fellowship and a good time for all. See you all there.

Fraternally,
Mary Landes, Sec.
Southeastern Association

**TWO REASONS
FOR WORRY!**

Either you are successful or you are not successful. If you are successful, there is nothing to worry about; if you are not successful there are only two things to worry about. Your health is either good or you're sick. If your health is good there is nothing to worry about; if you are sick there are only two things to worry about. You are either going to get better or you are going to die; if you are going to get well there is nothing to worry about; if you are going to die there are only two things to worry about. You are either going to heaven or you are not going to heaven; and if you are going to heaven there is nothing to worry about; if you are going to the other place you'll be so damn busy shaking hands with old friends you won't have time to worry – so WHY WORRY?

Joseph Leonard DeRamo, Publicity

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TRI-COUNTY PAST GRANDS ASSOCIATION

The 78th Annual Banquet of the Tri-County Past Grands Association of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was held on November 8, 2003 in the Mahanoy Lodge Hall at Dornsife, PA. A delicious full course turkey dinner was served by the Sisters of Idella Lodge #58.

President of the Past Grands Association during 2003, Brother Daniel Schock of Mahanoy Lodge #551, was the Master of Ceremony. President Schock welcomed everyone extending his "Thanks" for their attendance. Everyone joined in singing one verse of "America." A roll call of Past Presidents of the Association was held. The oldest President in attendance was Brother Robert G. Betzer who served as President in 1964 from Lewisburg Lodge #96.

The guest of the evening for Mahanoy Lodge was Travis J. Smink, a junior student at Line Mountain High School, who was selected as the Lodges United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth delegate to New York City. The trip started in Harrisburg, Pa. Other cities visited were Philadelphia, Gettysburg, Niagara Falls, New York, Ottawa, Canada, Boston, Mass., and New York City. While in New York City they visited the United Nations building. They observed a business session of the World's delegates to the United Nations in attempting to solve some of the problems presented to them. They visited the Empire State

Building and the site of the Twin Towers tragedy at ground zero. This was a humbling experience for him and his fellow delegates.

Travis gave an interesting informative report of his daily activities. He enjoyed the Niagara Falls area as it was his first visit to the falls. He was able to meet new friends as the delegates came from all over the United States, Canada and some foreign countries. He expressed his appreciation for the opportunity given to him by the Lodge to participate in this interesting trip.

Travis is the son of James and Jodi Smink of R.R. #1, Dalmatia, PA. He has a sister Jaclyn who also is a student in Line Mountain High School. The family were the guests of Mahanoy Lodge. Travis is a member of the Line Mountain High School basketball team. He also plays baseball as a pitcher and first basemen for the High School team. He is a member of the Line Mountain Legion baseball team. He took advantage of the opportunity to play in the fall American Legion League with the Susquehanna Valley Tornados who play at a higher level of competition. The team is made up of players from various communities in the central Pennsylvania area. He is a member of the Himmel's Lutheran Church, Rebuck, Pa. where he serves as an acolyte. He is a Grandson of James and Beverly Snyder. James is a member of Mahanoy Lodge and Beverly is a member of Idella Rebekah Lodge. James



Brother James A. Snyder (left), Chairman of UN Committee of Mahanoy Lodge, presenting his grandson, Travis J. Smink with his certificate and group picture.

presented Travis with a Certificate commemorating his United Nations trip along with a group photo of all delegates attending the trip. He will also receive a United Nations Pin.

The guest speaker of the evening was Mr. George Groff from Sunbury, Pa. He was a long time Goods Potato Chip dealer in the local area. He is a retired Life Insurance Agent for the Prudential Life Insurance Company. He is currently serving as a lay minister. He is active in serving various Churches when he is needed. His topic he chose to speak about was "worry." He explained how many things we worry about and they turn out to be less serious than we expected. He referred to several scriptures in the Bible to eliminate the need to worry. His remarks were very informative which provided guidance for our lives. He used some humorous anecdotes to make his point. Everyone enjoyed Mr. Groff's speech. President Schock extended a "Thank You" on behalf of the Tri-County Past Grands Association to the guest speaker Mr. Groff, and everyone for their attendance.



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MT. ZION HOLDS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mt. Zion #74, York, PA had their annual Christmas party on December 16th. There were 28 adults and 13 children. It was the best party ever, as expressed by many that were there.

Goodies galore, cookies, pretzels, candies, chips, nuts, cake, hot-dogs, punch, chocolate milk and orange drink. Everyone got an orange.

Santa the grand old man himself, presented each child with a \$10 gift certificate for Toys R Us. Mr. Mel Conrade, a cartoonist, drew pictures of just about everyone there. A good time was had by all, singing Christmas Carols.



Justin Shaffer held by his mother Holly Shaffer.



Group picture of children including Santa.

MARCH



WISHES

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|---------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 - Paul Stewart/#347 | 11 - Peggy Walters/R#558 | Myra Fay Adams/R#182 |
| Norman Winters/#347 | Ernest Wilson/#510 | Lena Shade/R#58 |
| Paul Bekavac/#209 | 12 - Edward Mioduski/#1107 | Lena Klinger/R#58 |
| Kenneth McGavitt/#1030 | 13 - Charles Kelly/#541 | 22 - Jean Wieand/R#222 |
| George Fairchild/#1152 | James Seyler/#74 | Leon Work/#348 |
| 2 - Douglas Lightner/#153 | Lauren Weed/#510 | Walter Reeher/#739 |
| 3 - Donna Campbell/R#58 | Dorothy Byerly/R#58 | Joan Snyder/R#58 |
| Alma Klinger/R#58 | 15 - Leonard Santini/#1030 | 23 - Brigitte Shipman/R#58 |
| Dorothy Scholl/R#202 | Charles Wood/#51 | 24 - Darlene Snyder/R#58 |
| Kenneth Erbe/#1107 | 16 - Joseph Plasko/#86 | Leon Pipher/#1152 |
| Marian Hickman/R#198 | Dan Swift/#510 | Cloyd Bordner/#551 |
| 4 - William Goodwin/#1125 | 17 - Al Martinez/#802 | Carrol Goodling/#74 |
| Robert Spadell/#457 | Henry Vulcan/#51 | Rebecca Stettler/R#202 |
| Clair Wagner/#74 | George Bishop/#510 | Lloyd Huffman/#1152 |
| 5 - Dale Singer/#74 | 18 - Hazen H. Wilson/#812 | 25 - Wayde Spangler/#74 |
| Robert Murphy/#209 | Barry Shirey/#541 | Robert Graham/#701 |
| Leah Smeltz/R#58 | Edward Kukovich/#51 | 26 - George Lynn/#773 |
| 6 - Jane Reisinger/R#247 | Blaine May/#74 | Alfred Bright/#591 |
| Harold Reiss/#488 | Josh Wells/#74 | Robert Reed/#551 |
| Donald Brisco/#348 | Richard Gregory/#348 | 27 - Palmer Jacobs/#74 |
| James Logan/#348 | 19 - Dorothy Struchern/R#110 | Jon Zizelmann/#86 |
| Mariam Lahr/R#58 | Blaine May/#74 | Ray Pond/#1152 |
| 7 - Craig Walters/#86 | Mathias Hartman/#541 | 28 - Donald Zerbe/#551 |
| Leonard Hetrick/#250 | 20 - Roasile Kessler/R#58 | Robert Rumbaugh/#510 |
| 9 - Rolla Walters/R#123 | Mary Lou Rebuck/R#58 | 29 - Marvin McCluski/#457 |
| Joseph Strausser/#306 | Ethan Culp/#1030 | Donald Kunkel/#74 |
| David Harris/#87 | Earl Morrow/#1004 | Irene Umholtz/R#58 |
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| Esther Kershner/R#20 | Roland Wolf/#510 | 31 - William Clements/#74 |
| David Bradstock/#87 | 21 - William Klingensmith/#1116 | Richard Kleintop/#488 |
| Charles Marks/#701 | Clarence Kiffer/#551 | Charles Jones/#804 |
| William Woessner/#1004 | Joseph Korz/#87 | Alton Homan/#1152 |
| Charles Barnes/#1152 | John McAvenna/#37 | Rebecca Noecker/R#58 |

ODD FELLOWS – MIDDLETOWN HOME

Residents at The Middletown Home enjoyed the holidays – Oh so much! They even posed with Santa Clause and Ms. Pennsylvania, Ms. Maria Frisby. Ms. Frisby and her two children gave presents to residents and they really enjoyed and appreciated her visit. Many enjoyed visiting with her children as well.

When the New Year began residents continued to be involved. Special groups visits and performed at The Home. Residents stuck to their routines which included physical and occupational therapy and favorite activities.

The residents look forward to next month's activities!



Ms. Pennsylvania and her children pose with Dushan "Duke" Taleff.



Sara Weidman and Santa Clause (volunteer, Bill Logan).



Lucy Rines, Lady Canton #362, works out with Roberta Hollenbeck, Physical Therapist.

JANUARY DONATIONS

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#510	Edinboro	50.00
#306	Walker	250.00
R#328	Lady Worth	25.00
R#202	Lady Hall	50.00
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#1152	Wysox	50.00
#282	Lansdowne	500.00
#74	Mount Zion	300.00
R#107	Marinda	10.00
R#378	Lady Selin	10.00
R#116	Thalia	30.00
#1179	Bowmansdale	50.00
		<u>1,560.00</u>

UN PILGRIMAGE

#802	East Brunswick	100.00
#348	Clover	100.00
		<u>200.00</u>

ARTHRITIS

#1004	Hampton	25.00
R#182	Lady Colfax in memory of Marguerite Middlecamp	25.00
		<u>50.00</u>

EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENT FUND

#2	Unified	200.00
#1004	Hampton	25.00
		<u>225.00</u>

MARCH IS I.O.O.F. ARTHRITIS MONTH

The I.O.O.F – Arthritis Foundation linkage goes back a good many years. When the Sovereign Grand Lodge selected the Arthritis Foundation as one of its focus programs, they also selected the month of **March** to highlight it. Each year the Sovereign Grand Master issues a Proclamation naming March as Arthritis Month for the I.O.O.F. The PA Arthritis Committee has asked each Lodge to use the “**Change A Life**” theme and collect pocket change at your meetings and send what you have collected to date to the IOOF Arthritis Committee Treasurer by **March 31st**. We must submit an accounting to the Sovereign Grand Lodge and that is the cut off date for this year.

A recent letter from the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Arthritis Advisory Board Chair, Les Roberson, states that he was pleased to go to the National Arthritis Foundation meeting in Baltimore and present the check in the amount of \$645,919.93 from the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs. There are many (millions) who suffer from

arthritis: all ages, both sexes and all nationalities. The disease shows no compassion. It takes almost \$300 million to take an idea from a scientist's mind to a pill or injection that can be given to those with arthritis. Help where you can and whenever you can. Please start your “**Change A Life**” program today and continue it. Just remember to send your first donations in by **March 31st**.

We'd like to thank **Variety Lodge #37** for its generous donation to the PA Arthritis Committee for Camp JRA. Pictured (l-r) are Alan Freed, NG, Charles Danihel, PA Arthritis Comm Chair, John Eric Stamm, PG and Donald Lapinson, PG, members of the Lodge's Charity Committee.

Reminder: Returning, by way of popular demand, will be our “**Christmas in June**” theme tree at the Unified Session. We will have the bells for sale in the Lobby and a tree to decorate. Watch for the announcement and order form in a mailing from the Grand Lodge office. For all project and general donations, please make your checks payable to the **PA IOOF Jurisdictional Arthritis Committee** and mark the specific project or “general” on the check. Mail all donations to Nevin Adams, 951 Shoemakersville Road, Shoemakersville, PA 19555.

For more details about any event or questions about Arthritis, contact the Chapters directly at the addresses and telephone numbers below.

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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



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P.O.F. DAYS GONE BY**75 YEARS AGO****(March 1929)**

OUT OF THE PENNSYLVANIA ODD FELLOW

NOTES FROM SUNBURY

We have been utilizing the frost and snow to haul by sled, timbers out of the woods for our new cow shed. Quite a respectable pile of sawn timbers are on the site, and we only await open weather to get up our cement walls, also we are busy grading past the school house for extension of the driveway. Some of our cattle are surprising us by the milk yield. One 2-year-old is producing about 55 lbs. a day and then some are surprising us the other way.

Trapping at the orphanage was very successful again this year. Most all of the larger and some of the younger boys found enough time to trap. They got up early in the morning to tend to their traps and I would say they had about three hundred traps covering five square miles of ponds and woods. Altogether the boys caught 85 muskrats and I caught the most skunks. Most all of the furs go to St. Louis, Kansas City, and New York, and we received a fair price for them. All the boys together made one hundred seventy five dollars, which was spent for the different articles they needed. Harland Simonds.

With the coming of March we have made up our hot-bed and hope to soon have many plants showing their heads above the ground there. We already have 35 flats seeded with tomatoes, peppers, cabbage, celery, cauliflower, and parsley, which are at present occupying some of the shopbenches; for the shops room is warm, watering is convenient, and there is more room there than in the class-room.

A few days ago we were notified that Mary Frantz Rebekah Lodge No. 370, Berwick, had a piano which they were donating to the Home, this is filling a long felt want and the Sisters deserve, and have the hearty thanks of every boy and girl, as well as the officials on the grounds. This will give us a piano in the children's dining room, as at special seasons we were hampered without one.

Bugle Notes

25 YEARS AGO**(March 1979)**OUT OF THE PENNSYLVANIA ODD FELLOW
AND REBEKAH MAGAZINE**PHILADELPHIA ORPHANAGE
CELEBRATES 96TH BIRTHDAY**

On Saturday evening, March 31, 1979, about 200 members of the Order and their friends gathered in the Chapel of the Home and enjoyed an evening of fellowship with a banquet.

The guest of the evening was Eugene Mount, Deputy Sovereign Grand Master, who delivered a most inspiring and challenging address. He spoke of using modern approaches to rebuild our membership.

The tables were all decorated for the event and a pretty flowering plant was in the midst of each eight guests. Following the entertainment they were awarded to one person on each group.

Remarks were made by George Phillips who has been President of the Home Board for many years. He thanked the Directors for their fine cooperation in the operation and to I. Martin Dubson who is serving as Secretary of the Home Board

Representing the various Branches wer: Lady Alice M. O'Brien, L.A.P.M.; Frank Stanley, Department Commanders; Robert Perry, Grand Treasurer of the Grand Encampment; Florence L. Carlon Assembly Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly; and our Grand Master, Gilbert A. Rand.

CHRISTMAS IN CASSVILLE

Christmas time in Cassville, PA. was definitely showing with the Brothers at Mt. Hor Lodge #736. Our Brothers got together with the true meaning of giving. A total of 37 pints of blood were collected at the Blood Mobile that was held through the American Red Cross on December 13th. We were even able to get our District Deputy Grand Master, William Ramsey and our Past Grand William Rhodenizer on the table even though they needed their hands held while things got started up. American Red Cross was very pleased with the turn out and they hope that the Brothers make this another annual event. Brothers that assisted in the Blood Drive were Thomas Creswell, William L. Ramsey, Jr., William Rhodenizer, Robert Werner, Scott Parks, Jack Keller and Joseph Giebel, Sr.



District Deputy Grand Master William Ramsey – Past Grand William Rhodenizer giving blood.



Left to right: Thomas Creswell, William Ramsey, Jr., William Rhodenizer, Jr., Robert Werner, Scott Parks, Jack Keller, and Joseph Giebel, Sr.

LOCAL GROUP DONATES TO JOB CORPS

By Jim Dino

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A local civic organization has donated a piece of emergency medical equipment to the Keystone Job Corps Center.

Independent Order of Odd Fellows Chapter 308 of Conyngham has put up \$1,720 to donate an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) to the Job Corps Center.

The donation came about when Gerald Guscott Jr., a security officer at the campus who is also an Odd Fellows member, saw the need. He brought it to the club, and club members decided to make the donation.

"It will benefit the safety and security of the Center's students and staff," Guscott said. "We can keep everything in community."

Center Director Tom Fitzwater said the unit will be available to a lot of people.

"We have 600 students and about 250 staff at the center," Fitzwater said. "It's nice to have this equipment. The Keystone Job Corps Center does a lot for the community, and it's nice when someone does something for the center."

Kelly Yahner, the Center's human resources director, said she and Center staff member Chad Zehner are both certified cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and AED instructors, and will instruct the rest of the staff how to use the machine.

"It will take four to six months to train everybody," Yahner said. "First, we will train the center's 17 security officers."

Ken Murphy of the Odd Fellows said the money to purchase the machine was raised through club member dues, donations, and

investments the club has made over the years.

"We appreciate what the Job Corps does for the community," Murphy said. "The members wanted to do something for the Job Corps."

The AED machine helps people who are having heart problems until medical personnel can get to them.



Chad Zehner, far left, of the Keystone Job Corps Center in Drums, accepted the donation of an Automated Defibrillator (AED) from the Independent Order of Odd Fellows Chapter 308 of Conyngh on December 12, 2003. Also pictured, from left: Gerald Guscott Sr., Odd Fellows; Gerald Guscott Jr., KJCC and Odd Fellows member; Tom Fitzwater, director of the center; Kelly Yahner, the center's human resources director who, along with Zehner, will train Center staff; Donald Hunsinger, Kenneth MacNeal and Ken Murphy, Odd Fellows. The AED unit is on the table in front of the group.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

GEORGE CARLIN POST 9-11 (His wife recently died . . .) Isn't it amazing that George Carlin – gross and mouthy comedian of the 70's and 80's – could write something so very eloquent . . . and so very appropriate post 9-11.

A wonderful Message by George Carlin:

The paradox of our time in history that we have taller buildings but shorter tempers, wider freeways, but narrower viewpoints. We spend more, but have less, we buy more, but enjoy less. We have bigger houses and smaller families, more conveniences, but less time. We have more degrees but less sense, more knowledge, but less judgment, more experts, yet more problems, more medicine, but less wellness.

We drink too much, smoke too much, spend too recklessly, laugh too little, drive too fast, get too angry, stay up too late, get up too tired, read too little, watch TV too much, and pray too seldom. We have multiplied our possession, but reduced our values. We talk too much, love too seldom, and hate too often.

We've learned how to make a living, but not a life. We've added years to life not life to years. We've been all the way to the moon and back, but have trouble crossing the street to meet a new neighbor. We conquered outer space but not inner space. We've done larger things, but not better things.

We've cleaned up the air, but polluted the soul. We've conquered the atom, but not our prejudice. We write more, but learn less. We plan more, but accomplish less. We've learned to rush, but not to wait. We build more computers to hold more information, to produce more copies than ever, but we communicate less and less.

These are the times of fast foods and slow digestion, big men and small character, steep profits and shallow relationships. These are the days of two incomes but more divorce, fancier houses, but

broken homes. . . .

These are days of quick trips, disposable diapers, throwaway morality, one night stands, overweight bodies, and pills that do everything from cheer, to quiet, to kill. It is a time when there is much in the showroom window and nothing in the stockroom. A time when technology can bring this letter to you, and a time when you can choose either to share this insight, or just hit delete.

Remember, spend some time with your loved ones, because they are not going to be around forever. Remember, say a kind word to someone who looks up to you in awe, because that little person soon will grow up and leave your side. Remember, to give a warm hug to the one next to you, because that is the only treasure you can give with your heart and it doesn't cost a cent.

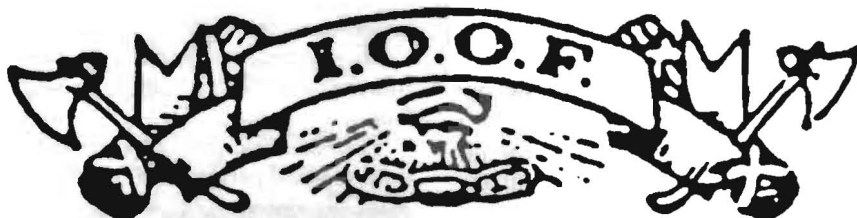
Remember, to say "I love you" to your partner and your loved ones, but most of all mean it. A kiss, an embrace will mend hurt when it comes from deep inside of you. Remember to hold hands and cherish the moment for someday that person will not be there again. Give time to love, give time to speak, and give time to share the precious thoughts in your mind.

Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the moments that take our breath away.

HOW TO STAY YOUNG

1. Throw out nonessential numbers. This includes, age, weight and height. Let the doctor worry about them. This is why you pay him/her.
2. Keep only cheerful friends. The grouches pull you down.
3. Keep learning. Learn more about the computer, crafts,

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I.O.O.F. Alma Lodge No. 523

442 Main Street, 2nd Floor

Johnstown, PA 15901

MEETS EVERY FRIDAY AT 7:30 P.M.

Except July and August 1st and 3rd Friday

LODGE MEMBERS:

Dear Brother,

The Annual Ernie Ribblett Oyster Dinner will be held – Friday, March 19, 2004 – at 6:00 P.M. sharp.

Last day to sign up at Lodge is Friday, March 12, 2004.

LODGE MEMBERS:

Dear Brother,

The Lodge will host a dinner for the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge Officers (their spouse or guest) Friday, April 23, 2004 – at 6:00 P.M. sharp.

The dinner is for Lodge Members and their spouse or guest and Widows of deceased Members.

You can come to Lodge and sign up – Widows can call the Lodge Secretary at (814) 536-8341.

Last day to sign up – Friday, April 16, 2004.

LODGE MEMBERS:

The Five County Rally will be held on Saturday, April 24, 2004, at the Best Western, Indiana, PA.

If you plan on going, the Lodge will pay for your banquet ticket – sign up at the Lodge.

LODGE AND ENCAMPMENT MEMBERS:

Dear Brothers:

The summer picnic this year will be held, once again, at the Church of the Brethren picnic grounds – Benshoff Hill on Saturday, August 21, 2004. (More information on this later.)

**DON'T FORGET TO GO TO CHURCH
THIS SUNDAY****IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING FOR THE
NEWSLETTER CONTACT:**

Carl E. Thomas Jr.
310 Durant Street
Johnstown, PA 15906
(814) 335-1943

NOTICE:

Can you help us locate: Olive M. Hughes
5925 N.W. Queens Way
Canton, Ohio 44718

The mail we are sending to her is coming back – not deliverable as addressed – unable to forward.

We would welcome any help you can give us.

LODGE MEMBERS:

The Annual Pilgrimage to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington, VA will be on Sunday, May 2, 2004.

We would like to plan a bus trip if enough brothers would be interested. We also would like to see the World War II Memorial (if open) on this trip.

We would like to know what you think – we need your input. Let us know!

SHUT-INS:

I guess are all guilty – myself included – as to when the last time we visited, called or sent a card to someone injured, sick or shut-in. We should always remember that these Brothers and Sisters names are read off at every meeting. I'm going to try to do better – how about you?

We have some Brothers who go out of their way to visit – and we say "Thank You."

SPEED BUMP

Dave Coverly



A LITTLE MIXED UP:

Just a line to say I'm living
that I'm not among the dead,
tho' I'm getting more forgetful
and mixed up in my head.

For sometimes I can't remember
when I stand at foot of stairs
if I must go up for something
or I've just come down from there.

And before the "frig" so often
my poor mind is filled with doubt,
have I just put some food away or
have I come to take some out.

And there is times when it is dark out
with my nightcap on my head
I don't know if I'm retiring
or just getting out of bed.

So if it's my turn to write to you
there's no need in getting sore
I think I may have written
and don't want to be a bore.

So remember I do love you
and I wish that you were here
but now it's nearly mail time
so I must say "good bye" dear.

Here I stand beside the mail box
with a face so very red
instead of mailing you my letter
I opened it instead!
Submitted to the newsletter by Dennis Miller

NEW OFFICE:

In case you did not know, our Secretary is getting a new office. It will still be on the second floor, but facing main street.

Our Trustees: Roy Barron, David Blough and Dick Dunkle along with our Secretary John Pearce have been hard at work getting the new office in shape.

I think it is only fitting that we take the time to thank these Brothers for their effort. After all, it is Brothers like this that make our Lodge what it is. Thanks!!!!

HOW PROUD CAN WE BE!

Member Post #155 V.F.W. has been known to boast that they have two buglers to play Taps, when some posts have none. And proud they should be.

The two buglers – Ben Arlano and Walter (Petey) McClelland – are also long time members of Alma Lodge and that makes us double proud.

These two go out in all kinds of weather, sometimes several times a day and many times a week to play Taps for our great American Veterans.

Thanks Ben – Thanks Petey – How proud can we be!

RECAP – DATES TO REMEMBER:

March 29, 2004	6:00 PM	Ernie Ribblett Oyster Dinner
April 23, 2004	6:00 PM	Grand Master Dinner
April 24, 2004	12:00 Noon	Five (5) County Rally
May 2, 2004	(Possible)	Trip to Tomb of Unknown
August 21, 2004	Summer Picnic – Benshoff Hill	(Details later)

REMEMBER:

"IF EVERYONE IN YOUR LODGE WAS LIKE YOU, WHAT WOULD YOU LODGE BE LIKE?"

HAVE A HAPPY AND HEALTHY 2004

FOOD FOR THOUGHT *continued from page 9*

gardening, whatever. Never let the brain idle. "An idle mind is the devil's workshop." And the devil's name is Alzheimer's.

4. Enjoy the simple things.
5. Laugh often, long and loud. Laugh until you gasp for breath.
6. The tear happen. Endure, grieve and move on. The only person who is with us our entire life, is ourselves. Be ALIVE while your alive.
7. Surround yourself with what you love, whether it's family, pets, keepsakes, music, plants, hobbies, whatever. Your home is your refuge.
8. Cherish your health: If it is good, preserve it. If it is unstable, improve it. If it is beyond what you can improve, get help.
9. Don't take guilt trips. Take a trip to the mall, to the next county, to a foreign country, but NOT to where the guilt is.
10. Tell the people you love that you love them. at every opportunity.

AND ALWAYS REMEMBER: Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the moments that take our breath away. If you don't send this to at least 8 people . . . who cares?

– George Carlin

UNITED NATIONS PILGRIMAGE FOR YOUTH

The Committee for the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth in Pennsylvania thanks all lodges and individuals. who have given donations between the dates of November 2002 to December 2003 to promote the UN program.

Pennsylvania Odd Fellows and Rebekahs host the delegates prior to leaving on the tour Sunday morning. These donations are used for room and board at the Wingate Inn and hosting a dinner on Saturday evening.

Again, thanks for all the financial support received for hosting the Pennsylvania delegates to the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth. Pennsylvania is the only state to host their delegates overnight.

Donald R. Trulick and Mae D. Judy



SANTA VISITS MT. HOR LODGE #736

While the month of December is busy for everyone, especially that Jolly Old Saint Nick, our Brothers at Mt. Hor Lodge #736 in Cassville were surprised when they received a letter from the North Pole indicating that Santa would be stopping in to visit everyone and to get some last minute requests. As the guest entered they heard the sounds of Christmas carols being played and were welcomed by our Brother Elves with Santa hats on. Our lodge hall was decorated for the festive season and lots of goodies were offered to nibble on and drink as they were waiting to see Santa. A guessing jar of holiday Hershey Kisses was done up for the children to guess on the amount that was in the jar. Our winning candidate was our Noble Grand Scott Parks son, Mason who received a special gift.



Santa, Joseph Giebel and Noble Grand Scott Parks.

It was such a sight to see the children's faces as they caught an eye of Santa. Some were glowing from ear to ear, others wanted to keep one eye on him, but keep a distance as they held on to their mothers and fathers. Then there were the ones that couldn't wait to get on his lap and get their last minute request in. Santa amazed the children as he spoke to each one and greeted them with items to hold them off until he arrived on Christmas Eve. Santa, Brother Joseph

Giebel heard requests for everything from doll houses, four-wheelers and even a new truck from one of our Brothers. As the children were leaving Santa they were even more excited as they handed a photo of them sitting on Santa's lap, taken by none other than our photographer Vice Grand Jack Keller. Mt. Hor Lodge welcomed a total of 44 visitors to our lodge and it was great as everyone stayed after seeing Santa and mingled to enjoy the Christmas season.

Before Santa got on his way a group picture was taken of Santa and his Brother Elves – Jack Keller, Derrick Erwin, William Ramsey, Jr., Michael Drenning and William Rhodenizer. Noble Grand Scot Parks even gave Santa the chance to express his wishes for the holiday season and invited him to plan on visiting Mt. Hor Lodge #736 in Cassville next December. Santa said he would see that Mrs. Clause puts it on his schedule.



PARK BENCHES FOR THE MIDDLETOWN HOME

During the fall of 2003 Brother Gerald Bortner of Mt. Zion Lodge #74, York, PA, reported to the Lodge that park benches at the Middletown Home were in poor condition.



A committee of DDGM Donald Spangler, PGG Robert Raffensberger and Noble Grand Richard Dibble responded to the Home, reviewed what was needed, met with J. David Bell, Administrator and agreed to provide 24 park benches.

After a drop shipment of the park bench kits to the Home by Sporty's of Claremont, Ohio and precutting of treated lumber, discounted by Lowe's. Brothers Robert Raffensberger, Richard Dibble, James Keller, Financial Secretary, Charles Loper, Outside Guardian, and Gerald Bortner, Conductor, re-



sponded to the Home and spent several hours, including lunch provided by the Home, fabricating the park benches.

Each of the benches display either a commemorative plaque to Brother Frank H. Stare, of Mt. Zion Lodge #74, or given in F.L.T. by Mt. Zion Lodge #74.

Each of the brothers were personally thanked by J. David Bell upon their completion and presentation.



Left to right: Gerald Bortner, Richard Dibble, James Keller, Charles Loper, and Robert Raffensberger.

MT. HOR #736 HAS A BUSY YEAR

The brothers of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows from the Mt. Hor Lodge #736 in Cassville have been very busy this past year. They've sponsored an Easter Egg Hunt, participated in Trick or Treat Night, and had pony rides at the Cassville Oktoberfest.

On Saturday, December 13th, the Brothers of the Mt. Hor Lodge sponsored their first annual Blood Drive through the American Red Cross. This took place at the Trough Creek Valley Elementary School. Members and community came out and gave the gift of life. Hunters even came in off the fields to donate to this life giving cause. Special thanks go out to the Southern Huntingdon School Board, Trough Creek Valley Elementary School, and Principal Tim Miller. They generously allowed the IOOF Lodge Brothers to use the building and even opened it up for us bright and early Saturday morning. Thank you also to the Cassville Superette and McDonald's of Huntingdon for their donations of refreshments to our Canteen. Most of all, the Lodge Brothers would like to thank the community for their support and coming out on a cold winter day to give the gift of life. You made it the success it was!

But December still had some time left and the Brothers had more they wanted to do for the community. So on Saturday, December 20th, Santa came to the Lodge to visit with the area children and their Christmas wishes back to the North Pole. The Lodge was

decked out with all the Christmas trimming, including a brightly lit tree decorated with many homemade ornaments. Children were greeted by "Elves" who offered them cookies, chex mix, juice, and hot chocolate. The children waited patiently for their visit with the "Jolly Old Elf" by coloring holiday pictures and listening to Christmas carols. Children were invited to take a guess on how many Hershey Kisses were in a jar to receive a special prize. Each child who met with Santa had their picture taken and were given a special holiday gift. The children were amazed by how much Santa knew about each of them and all promised to be extra good for their moms and dads.

Can't wait to see what the Brothers have planned for 2004! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Respectfully submitted by:

Brother Joe Giebel

41 Lucy Anna Street, Box 49

Cassville, PA 16623

(814) 448-0120



Happy Spring!



IN MEMORIAM

ROBERT L. KING

Mt. Zion Lodge #74

March 2, 2003

Robert L. King, 73, died Sunday, March 2, 2003 at Memorial Hospital. He was the husband of Ruth Ann (Wagner) King.

Mr. King was born June 29, 1929 in Spring Grove. He was a son of the late C. Edgar and Martha K. (Dicks) King.

He was a retired truck driver, having worked at A.D. Frey in Hanover, R.H. Crawford in Hanover, Halls Motor Freight in Mechanicsburg, and A.B.F. in Mechanicsburg. After retirement, he worked part-time at Wells Brothers in York. He was a member of Teamsters Local No. 403 York and No. 776 Harrisburg.

He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Stoverstown, the Independent Order of Odd Fellows Mount Zion Lodge No. 71 in York; Mount Vernon Encampment No. 14 in York; and he served as Chevalier for York Canton No. 14. He was a crew member for Team I.O.O.F. Arthritis Foundation Grand Prix.

He was a member of Loyal Order of Moose Hanover Lodge No. 227; Pvt. Allen J. Beck Jr., Spring Grove Post No. 5265 VFW; Western York County Democratic Club; and Jefferson Chapter No. 3699 AARP.

He served in the United States Naval Reserves; and was a member of the East Berlin High School Class of 1947.

Mr. King also leaves four sons, Duane L. King of Pagosa Springs, Colo., Bret W. King of New Oxford, Kevin E. King of Fort Collins, Colo., and Craig E. King of York New Salem; three daughters, Karen D. Lawrence of Hanover, Tandra L. Wagman of York and Penny L. Wagman of Hanover; 15 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; three nieces and a nephew. He was preceded in death by two sisters and a brother.



Cara Defibaugh, William Ramsey, and Jeffrey Ruby.



Danielle Ramsey, Santa, and Samantha Ramsey.

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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 Elstons 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., 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 7:30 PM at I.O.O.F. Hall, 756 Axemann Rd., Eugene Bennett, Sec'y, 3030 Buffalo Run Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823.

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 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 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.

CONNELLVILLE—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—MAHANAY 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 Tuesday 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 Hollow 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—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.

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 at 8:00 P.M., at the Lodge Hall, 2180 Rice Ave. Paul W. Crosby, Secretary, 8130 Keefer Road, Girard, PA 16417.

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.

LANDSDOWNE—LANDSDOWNE 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

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., 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, 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

LEWISBURG—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

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.

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, Cochran, 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.

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., Dubois, 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., Elliptsburg, 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, 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.

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 Southampton 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

LETTIA 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. Mary Landes, Sec'y, 316 S. Main Street, Sellersville, PA 18960.

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, Dtlallone2@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

LADY UNITED REBEKAH LODGE, #3, meets 2nd and 4th Monday, 7:30 P.M., Greater Pittsburgh Masonic Ctr., 3579 Masonic Way. Anne Dhillman, 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 Woodcover Place, Pittsburgh, PA 15216, myell2@aol.com

PITTSBURGH—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.

THALIA REBEKAH LODGE, #116, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday 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 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 15711-8135.

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

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

SANDY LAKE—SANDY LAKE LODGE, #573, meets 1st 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., Cochran, 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.

SELINGROVE—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—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. Tahor #125 Lodge Hall, Trevorton Rd., Jeardean 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, Sharpville. 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

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., 1 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., Sec'y, 1222 Monroe Avenue, Phoenixville, PA 19460.

STATE COLLEGE—LADY EMILY REBEKAH LODGE #452, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in Windmere 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 #361 meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 9A E. Main St. Donald A. Bachman, Sec'y, 117 Miller Street, Strassburg, 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, 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., 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. Shirley Severcool, Sec'y, RR 4, Box 4219, Meshoppen, PA 18630.

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 Conewango 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 Christ Community United Methodist Church, 205 N. Duffy Road, Butler, PA 16001. Audéan 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.

DO YOU KNOW?

Do you know who the senior (in point of service) past presiding officers of each branch of the order in Pennsylvania are? In other words who is the senior surviving Past Grand Master, Past Assembly President, Past Grand Patriarch, Past Department Command and Past Association President?

ANSWER to last month's "Do You Know?"

The Sister who served both the Pennsylvania and international units of the Order was Lois D. Elmore, who was Assembly President for the 1941-1942 term; was President of the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies in 1960-1961; and served a number of years as Assembly Secretary.

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