

# Shambaugh Family News - Letter

— EDITORIAL STAFF —

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A Christmas Card with note from Miss Katherine Trussell, 4709 Walker St. Houston, Texas.

She is continuing their custom of a Christmas Tree surrounded with gifts and home baked fruit cake and a party for the children.

Katherine also reports that a tribute to her mother, Lois Shambaugh Castleberry, has been put on her marker, "Beloved Mother and Family Historian"

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Miss Betty Marie, daughter of Albert Shambaugh of Upper Sandusky, O. and Harold John Weisenauer, a farmer, near Bloomville, O. were married Dec. 17, 1950 and left on a wedding trip to Florida, visited her brother Marion Shambaugh and family in Clearwater over Christmas. They also journeyed along the east coast and visited Washington D. C.

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A Christmas Card with note from Mrs. Bertha Frank, Box 491, Redlands, Calif. Saying - She had been sick and in a hospital for about three weeks, but is practically O. K. now again. (She is of the Wyandot Co. clan)

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Rev and Mrs Harry Gleim, Hardy, Nebr.

The last N - L was unusually interesting to me because of the reference to the Capon Mountain area. I can well remember the wild but interesting trip that we took in that area hoping to find a trace of our earliest ancestor, George Shambaugh, who undoubtedly died and was buried in that region. I hope that Mrs Gerwin uncovered some new data on her recent trip. It will be most interesting.

The middle of Nov. I conducted a week of evangelistic meetings in the northern part of this state. This meeting was held in the lower part of what we call the sand hills country. It is a section where large ranches are the order of the day. I found lots of wide open spaces and really had a most interesting time.

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Ruth Shambaugh, Box 263, Alma, Nebr.

I had better start the New Year right, so am sending a dollar to keep us on the mailing list for the N - L.

Sorry we hav'nt met more Shambaugh's. My sister Irene (Rev and Mrs M. R. Willis and four children) were here from Ainsworth for several days at Christmas time.

My brother Ralph is a doctor at Burns, Oregon since August. Mother and I are feeling fine. Wishing for all of you health and happiness for 1951.

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Mrs Frank E. Mills, 214 So. 11th. St. Cambridge, Ohio

I sure do enjoy reading all about my relatives. We were sorry we could not be at the last reunion.

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Ruth (Shambaugh) Nave, daughter of F. Guy Shambaugh, is with her husband "Bud" who is stationed at camp Le Jeune, they are living at 203 Draxal Ave. Decatur, Ga. They spent a few days with their folks in Rossville at Christmas time.

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Karl F. Shambaugh, a plumbing and heating contractor, of Mansfield, Ohio died of a heart attack on Dec. 15, 1950. He leaves his widow, Pearle and two sons, Arden and James, a daughter Mrs Richard Budd, of Ashland, O. and two brothers and four sisters.

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Mrs Stanley E. Morrison, Box 8, East Springfield, Ohio sends in the following news items -

Mr and Mrs E. W. Finnicum observed their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary last Dec. 5, 1950 with their daughter Mrs James H. Cramer and family at their home on Marland Heights, Weirton, Ohio.

They were married near Scio, O. Dec. 5, 1900. Mrs Finnicum is the daughter of the late Mr and Mrs J. J. Arbaugh of Scio. Mr Finnicum is the son of the late Mr and Mrs W. L. Finnicum of New Rumley, O. The Finnicum and Arbaugh families were pioneer settlers of Harrison Co, Ohio.

Mr Finnicum was postmaster of New Rumley for 33 years in addition to his mercantile business.

Moving to Jewett, O. in 1946. He works daily at Stewarts hardware store, and

his wife is active in civic and church work. They both enjoy excellent health.  
Genealogy - Mr Finnicum, Mary Shambaugh Finnicum, Philip Shambaugh, George and George.

Some Shambaugh Revolutionary records sent in by Mrs Morrison -  
Pennsylvania Archives

George Shambaugh -

*My line  
about Philip*

Associators and Militia Eastern Division of Hilltown in the first four classes  
of Captain Griers Company ( C ). Vol. 5, Page 344

Philip Shambaugh <sup>5<sup>th</sup></sup> Private Shrawders Rangers. Vol. 4, Page 774

George Shambach -

Lancaster County, Page 145, Vol. 7

First Class Captain Bulzer Orth

Ensign Daniel Tauffer

? Phillip Shambaugh, Fifth Class

Between the ages 18 and 53 from 1872 ( Same List )

County of Lancaster

?? ✓ Ludwick Wertenburg *(Mrs Morrison wonders if I might have seen Ludwig Wertenburg)*

Fourth Class, Captain John Gassett

First Lieutenant, John Tiel

Ensign, Jacob Lehm

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A son, Howard Alton, Jr. born Dec. 1, 1950 to Howard and Dorothy Leightay of  
Upper Sandusky, Ohio. (Your editor and wife are the proud grandparents )

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Dollars for the News - Letters

Ruth Shambaugh, 1. -- , Mrs Frank E. Mills 1. -- , Myron Spade 1. -- , Robert F. Sham-  
baugh 2. -- , Mrs Stanley Morrison 1. --

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Letter returned -- Charles F. Shambaugh, 3728 W. 5th. St. Ft. Worth, Texas

If our readers know of any one who might enjoy reading our News -- Letters and  
will send me their name and address, I will mail them a couple of copies, if they  
want them continued, they can let me know.

We have around 125 readers at this time.

A card received from Mrs Cleo Gerwin says we can look for an article from her  
for our next News -- Letter .