

All you Shambaughs that did not come to our National Reunion at Jewett, O. on Sept. 5, missed a grand time this year, so why not determine now that you will not miss the next one. There were around 160 present to enjoy the abundant basket dinner and fellowship together. The blessing was asked by Leah Tomlinson of Browntown, Wis. Some features of the dinner was a 'Shambaugh National Reunion' cake baked and presented to the reunion by Mrs Maxine Ager. Dale Shambaugh M. G'd the presenting of a birthday cake to Mrs Dorothy Leightey from her family, and singing the birthday song for her and for Charles Stewart who was 82 years old.

After dinner the meeting was called to order by the Pres. Ross Dosson, the group singing 'The More We Get Together'. Miss Iva Tomlinson entertained with the song 'My God Is Real' accompanied by her sister Leah. Drucilla Leightey gave a demonstration 'Equipping a Sewing Basket'. Misses Iva and Leah then sang 'It Is No Secret'. Mrs Marcus Lee of Jewett sang 'The Stranger Of Gallilee' accompanied by Mrs Frank Given. Mrs James Thompson gave a reading 'The Volunteer Organist'.

The next reunion was voted for Upper Sandusky, Ohio next Sept. 4th. 1955. Officers elected were: Verner Shambaugh, Pres. and Dale Shambaugh, Veep. both of Upr. Sen. F. Guy Shambaugh of Rossville, Ga. gave a few remarks and wondered if we would come to Rossville for our National Reunion, making it a two or three day affair, to include sight seeing trips, to Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge, both of which can be seen from Guy's home, Chickamauga Dam and other interesting places near Chattanooga, which adjoins Rossville. Guy would like to know what our readers think of this idea and how many of you would come if such plans were made for the near future.

Regrets were read from; Mildred Shambaugh, Archibald H. Shambaugh, Frank and Ethel Seeley, Maude L. Shambaugh, Cleo Gervin and Harry Gleim. (We'll be looking for all of you absentees next year).

Mr Gleim, former news letter editor wrote that it would be impossible for him to again edit the Shambaugh news, so F. A. Leightey was retained as your editor, and I sincerely ask each one of you to send me any kind of Shambaugh news for your N - L.

The number of events reported since the 1953 reunion were: 10 marriages, 25 births, 20 deaths, 3 wedding anniversaries, 3 in Service, and 17 vacations and gatherings also received 75.00 for N-L and have a mailing list of around 190.

Receipts during the year with starting balance was 169.80 less 142.75 expenses leaves a balance of 27.05.

Received at this 1954 reunion, a collection of 35.00 and 20.00 for news letters. Archibald M. Shambaugh 2.--, Maude L. Shambaugh 1.--, Frank and Ethel Seeley 1.--, Charles Linard 3.--, F. Guy Shambaugh 2.--, Bertha Slates 1.--, Sadie English 1.--, Sam A. Shambaugh 1.--, Earl H. Dome 1.--, Eva Henderson 1.--, Ralph Perry 1.--, Ross Dosson 2.--, Floyd Shambaugh 1.--, Margel Morvatz 1.--, Anna Stewart 1.--, Frank Yarnal 2.--, Mrs Mary Kohler 1.--, Iva and E. Leah Tomlinson 1.--, Jesse Shambaugh 1.--

Iva and E. Leah Tomlinson, Browntown, Wisc. written by Leah  
Greetings to all you nice people we met the week of, and at the 1954 reunion held Sept, 5th. at Jewett.

I find myself in a rather difficult position, just how to tell you what fine hosts and hostesses you all were to us while we visited in your homes, however just let me say, not all the wonderful Ohio folk became Presidents, such kindness, such real goodness of heart, that goes for each and every one who, we know, put themselves out to make our visit in Ohio a lovely thing to remember, Iva and I, as well as our cousins, the Hacketts, want to thank you thru this letter for all the thoughtfulness, gifts, wonderful eats, trips, EVERYTHING, we DO thank you.

We appreciated Anna Cogswill getting our schoolmates together, and her daughter Julia, who missed the reunion so we could enjoy a wonderful evening, I truly did myself proud, I ate three suppers at Anna's on Sunday evening.

As for Ross and Alice Dosson, and their daughter Ladelaine Quinn and daughter Peggy there too we were royally treated. One word in closing, there are so many that I met and loved, and admired, I can only say, along with Billy Graham, " May the Lord bless you real good." From your Wisconsin Cousins.

Frank and Elsie Yarnal, Box 215, Alburn, Ill.  
We want to say thank you one and all, for making us feel so very welcome at the Shambaugh reunion. It was a queer feeling indeed, walking in to a group of people and proclaiming here is one more relative from another state. To us the reception was all we could desire, and the hospitality was wonderful. Believe me when I say we were sorry to have gotten our dinner in Jewett before coming to the reunion.

We do hope relatives passing our way on 47 will call so we may become better acquainted.

More news about the Frank and Ethel Seeley anniversary. Mason City, Iowa  
There were nearly 30 relatives that came and attended church with us, then we had a

~~Wabash News~~ We decided to quit farming, so we had a sale back in Greenwood, Ind. and later on decided to come to Florida for the winter. Our son Jesse Jr. and family live here in West Palm Beach, also P. J. Scotten and family. We got here on Oct. 2nd. The temperature is from 80 to 85 in daytime and 70 to 72 at night.

I want to report the death of my sister Eva Shambaugh Scotten of Wabash. She was the daughter of Lewis and Maria (Cullers) Shambaugh and was 82 years old. She died on Oct. 13th. The funeral was held in the First E.U.B. Church in Wabash, Ind. She is survived by three brothers, John of Wabash, Ned of California and Jesse of Florida, three sisters and three brothers have preceeded her in death. She leaves five children, P.J. Scotten of Florida, Warren Scotten, Josephine Hiatt, Mable Voss and Cecil Lower, all of Wabash County. Her husband preceeded her seven years ago. He was John W. Scotten.

Archibald M. Shambaugh, 2128 Halleck Ave. S. W., Seattle 6, Wash.

I am always glad to receive the news letter. I was interested in the correction made by Miss Laura Grim of New Rumley, O. Catherine Arbaugh sounds correct for the maiden name of Philip Shambaugh's wife. I have heard it many times.

Sam Finnicum who passed away recently, I remember well. I met both Sam and Ed in Scio where they were running a livery stable in the 1890's

One of the coldest summers I have ever seen here this year, Morning temperatures have usually been around 52 to 55 and that is tough on gardens.

Mrs Maude L. (W. I.) Shambaugh, 128 C. St. Carlisle, Pa.

I want to announce the arrival of another grandson, Bruce C. Long II, born Aug. 11, 1954 to Bruce and Grace Louise Shambaugh Long. Grace is the daughter of William Ira, youngest son of Levi, of this Cumberland County group.

I note folks have been traveling this summer, I'd be glad to have them stop with me some time.

A PRETTY BALDWIN -- WALLACE COLLEGE QUEEN

Patricia Ann Peake, a senior, was elected by her fellow students to reign at the home coming on Oct. 23, 1954 when Heidelberg College played the Berea College football team. Patricia Ann is the granddaughter of Mr and Mrs Frank Thompson of Jewett.

B. Frank Thompson of Jewett, O. was treated in a Dennison, O. hospital for injuries received in a two car accident on Sept. 4, 1954.

Received, an announcement of the Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary of Mr and Mrs Orin C. Shambaugh of Booneville, Iowa, observed at home on September 26, 1954.

TWINS, born July 31, 1954 to Virgil and Maxine Ager. Their names are: Debora Lue and Cathy Sue. Maxine is the daughter of Orton and Mary Kohler of New Rumley, O.

A son, Wayne Jeffry, born to Mr and Mrs Harold Weisenauer of Bloomville, O. on Oct. 31, 1954. Mrs Weisenauer is the former Betty Shambaugh.

Norman Diefenderfer and Florence \_\_\_\_ of Warren, O. were married July 26, 1954.

John Perry is in the Navy and stationed at Norfolk, Va.

Donald Stoneburner of near Loudenville, O. was in a Mansfield hospital a few days, a couple months ago, for an operation on one of his heels.

Rev. Harry and Ina Gleim of \_\_\_\_, writes:

We are Methodists, and a Methodist minister finds out that he is amenable to the Annual Conference and the District Superintendent. Well, it so happens that there was a charge located about 36 miles from here whose pastor decided to change to another state.

Since I have been here in Hardy for nearly eight years, and after about three weeks deliberation on my part and with the church here, I asked for a release, and they granted it as of Oct. 1st. I am taking on in this new appointment, the heaviest work I have ever done, so I simply could not return to my old post to again edit the Shambaugh News-Letter at this time, perhaps at some later date, but not now.

The weather man gave us a good beating up for the lack of rain during June and July, but gave us ample rain during August. Our crops in this section are looking wonderful.

(Harry has not reported yet what their new address is.)

The news letter to Mrs Edna Mills of Los Angeles was returned.

Will be waiting for more Shambaugh news from you, and you, & YOU. How many of you will do it now?. You'll get another N-L very soon if you will take me up on this.