

SHAMBAUGH FAMILY NEWS - LETTER

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Some time ago your editor received a Magazine 'Hearthstone' from Mrs Clara Dick

they live now in Smithfield, Pa., containing an article about her husband, Rev. R. Harry Dick and his work while they lived in Oneston, Pa., so here it is in part, titled 'God's Humble Servant'. In the picture, Rev. Dick was in the midst of several boys and girls under a tree at Camp Venture, Newtown Square, Pa., as summer camping for the youngsters was one of the outstanding plans included with his church work.

Some other items listed for the busy pastor were choir rehearsal, taking a Miss Young to an eye hospital in Philadelphia, the Bibbs baby to a clinic twice a week, mediator in a marital dispute, vacation Bible School, Boy Scouts, fixing up a nursery and hospital calls, also a prison chaplain, besides averaging 900 pastoral calls a year.

This Emmanuel Baptist Church has progressed greatly in every department under his able leadership. Two young men have been ordained as ministers and a third is now in training. There has been a steady increase in membership and in giving since 1945. Support of Missions has increased 250 per cent over the same period. He provided material aid for the destitute, some from the fellowship fund of the church, but much from his own purse. Also giving in aid of welfare agencies and with school authorities.

Carl and Jennie Shambaugh Sr., 2995 Frank Rd. Columbus 21, Ohio. We were so thrilled to receive the new letter. Carl Sr. is from a family of eleven, and is employed at the Marble Cliff Quarries since 1947. Our 33rd anniversary was March 26, and we have 4 girls and 5 boys. - ROSIE M. Donald Kelly, a minister, they Donna Rose and Donald Sr. - ANNA M. Henry Miller, they have Jerry, Milse, Juanita, and Doris. - DOROTHY at home. - GEORGE M. Southerton, Jr. b. 1952. He is doing Research work with the Army in Woburn, Mass. and will be on O. S. Service in Sept. CARL Jr. recently returned after four years in the Navy. He is an Electronic Engineer. PAUL, m. Barbara Kinry, they have Paul Jr. and Debora Kay. - ROBERT M. Barbara Riddle, in Sept. 1955. - HAROLD in High School at Hilliard, O. and - SHAMBAUGH who is 10 yrs. old. Carl Sr. has a brother, Ernest and wife Mae at 10 E. Russell St. and a sister Bertha Wells at 904 Cleveland Ave. both in Columbus, Ind. at 1081 St. 1st St.

James H. and Nancy Jane (Blue) Lawrence of 505 Wagner St., Wapakoneta, O. have 3 children - Rebecca Ann, b. April 2, 1948, Rhonda Ann, b. July 16, 1949, and Regena Kay b. June 26, 1951. Nancy Jane is the daughter of Merle and Odella Blue of Dunkirk, O. Quilla belongs to the Upper Sandusky clan of Shambaughs.

Following are the families of Ruy F. and Core B. (Wilch) Trautwein of 5 } Arlington, O. Ruy was born July 10, 1897 and Core, born April 22, 1899. They were married Feb. 17, 1923. Their six children and their families are - BETTY JEAN born Sept. 4, 1925 and is married to Rev. Charles George, children are - Sharon Jean born Jan 25, 1943, Patricia Ann, b. June 25, 1948, Gerald Franklin b. Aug. 6, 1950. They live at 2217 Alliance Rd. Canton N. E. Canton, Ohio. BONNY JEAN b. Nov. 2, 1927, married Eugene Grohoske, children are - Judy Arlene born Jan. 15, 1949, Donald Eugene b. July 19, 1950, Ju Ellen b. May 14, 1953. They live at 415 Edith Ave. Findlay Ohio. RUBY MARIE b. Oct. 25, 1929, m. Raymond Cole, children - Robert Dean b. June 25, 1950. They live at 55 Glenwood Ave. Apt. A. Cincinnati 19, Ohio. ROSE MARY b. March 12, 1933, m. Wayne Ebler, children - Kenneth Wayne b. June 18, 1952. Kathy Ann b. March 16, 1954, Becky Lou b. July 8, 1955. They live at 630 West Hobart St. Findlay Ohio. SHIRLEY ANN b. Dec 10, 1936, m. Carl Rand, children - Bruce Allen b. July 29, 1955. They live at 3044 Ohio Ave., Canton N. E. Canton, Ohio. And CHARLES JOHN at home, b. Oct. 12, 1943. Ruy is a son of the late Charles and Mary Shambaugh Trautwein, near Upr. Sand. O

Mathew Morvatz and Margel Wenner were married Sept. 16, 1945. They have a daughter Janet Ann, b. Sept. 26, 1948. They live in Carrollton, Ohio.

Mrs Anna Cogsil of Lamartine, O. was in the Dennison, O. hospital a few days the last of February.

Paul and Kathleen Yoder of Wabash, Ind. report they are moving to Florida and will send us their address as soon as they get settled.

On March 24, 1956, Clem McCarty fell and broke his hip, and was taken to the hospital in Carrollton, Ohio.

Mr. B. Frank Thompson, 81, of Jewett, Ohio died Feb. 24, 1956. Funeral services were held by Selter Funeral Home at Jewett with Rev. R. S. McCutchen officiating. Interment in Jewett Cemetery. Mr Thompson died of complications at Twin City Hospital. He was born in Cadiz, O. Aug. 28, 1874, the son of the late H. L. and Maria Shambaugh Thompson.

Mr. Thompson was married Sept. 11, 1901 to Charlotte Probert of Richmond, who survives along with one daughter, Mrs Doris Ann Peake of Berea, O., one son H. Duard Thompson of Maple Heights, four grandchildren and two brothers, J. Paul of Cleveland, and Fred of Montrose. Mr Thompson had been employed as assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Cadiz, 1911 - 12. Assistant secretary of the Buckeye Savings and Loan of Bellairs 1912 - 13. Was in the retail grocery business in Jewett 1913 - 32. Was Postmaster of Jewett 1924 - 33, and County Treasurer from 1937 - 49 when he retired. Mr Thompson had been in an auto accident Sept. 4, 1954.

William Curtis Trachsel, 76, died March 17, 1956. Death resulting from a stroke. Services were held at the Bringman Funeral Home in Upper Sandusky, O. Rev Stanley H. McGilliard officiated, burial in Oak Hill Cemetery. Born March 26, 1879, in Salem Twp, Wyandot Co.. He was a son of Jacob and Margaret Shambaugh Trachsel. Surviving are five children; Quilla, wife of Merle Blue of Dunkirk; Iberia, wife of W. E. Beach of Findlay; Urban W. of San Luis Obispo, Calif.; Byron Q. of Los Angeles and Paul O. of Dunkirk, O. six grandchildren and seven great grandchildren; and a brother Delmer of Upper Sandusky. A brother Jacob Jr. and a sister Anna are deceased.

Mr Trachsel had been employed as a mechanic for the Goodyear Rubber Co. at Akron, O. until his retirement about four years ago when he moved to Upper Sandusky.

Miss Carrie Lavina Stewart, 89 yrs, 11 mo, and 25 days, died March 26, 1956 in Twin City Hospital, Dennison. Miss Stewart was born April 1, 1866, the daughter of James H. and Eliza J. Shambaugh Stewart. A member of the Methodist Church and the Foreign Missionary Society of that church.

She leaves one sister, Miss Anna Mary Stewart at home, Charles Stewart, at home, Rev. William H. Stewart of Dennison. Three sisters and two brothers preceded her in death. Services were held at the Telfer Funeral Home with Rev R. S. McCutchen officiating. Burial in the Jewett Cemetery.

Oscar E. Shambaugh, 71, died early on April 20, 1956 at his home near Widowville, O. following a long illness. The son of Thomas and Alice Spade Shambaugh, was born July 18, 1884 in Ashland Co. He was a farmer and lived in the area for 49 yrs. Surviving are his wife, Alice (Weltner), Mrs Charles Glass of Widowville, Mrs Frances Hershey of Pavaonia, Mrs Ernest Thomas of Ashland, Thomas and Leroy of Widowville, Wayne of Galion and Oscar Jr. of Ashland; twenty four grandchildren, ten great grandchildren; a sister, Mrs Carrie Smith of R 1, Perryville and a brother Floyd of Wooster, O. Services were held at the Vermillion Baptist Church of which he was a member. The Rev Frank McCullough of Col umbus, a former pastor officiated. Burial was in Greenlawn Cemetery near Perryville, Ohio.

Miss Laura Grim of New Rumley, O. reports that Ray W. Hilbert, a son of Harry and Emma (McAfee) Hilbert of Jewett was married to Lena Davis in a church wedding at Stafford, Va. on March 31, 1956.

On April 20, they were given a reception in the dining room of the Methodist church in Jewett with about 100 present for the occasion.

Jesse Shambaugh of West Palm Beach, Fla. 722 Fern St. writes: My wife was on the sick list for a while before Christmas, but is feeling much better now. We both enjoyed the winter here, had a few frosts and a little ice too. I have been working steady all winter with a landscape company.

My niece and her husband, Mildred and Lewis Clark from Six Lakes, Mich visited us a few days. Mildred is the daughter of my oldest brother Frank of Wabash Co. Ind. He and his family moved to Six Lakes in 1919 where he died about nine years ago. His wife Della passed away a couple of years later. Two other daughters, Grace and Grover Johnson of Six Lakes and Lenore and Lewis Cornell, of 153 Dwight St. Pontiac, Mich. There is also a son Elvert of Anderson, Ind.

Our son Paul and his wife of Greenfield, Ind. plan to come down for a short vacation this spring, we expect to go back when they go.

Our grand son, George David, son of George and Mary Ellen Sprague of Indianapolis has been in bed all winter with rheumatic fever, sometimes with temperatures up to 105. The doctor thought he should stay in bed until June.

We frequently see the P. J. Scotten's who live only a few squares from us.

Arthur and Orel Trautwein of Upper Sandusky, have returned home safely, March 13, from a winter vacation in Arizona.

Mary Alice Dantzler writes that the F. Guy Shambaugh family of Rossville, Ga. spent New Years with Guy's sister, Mrs Cleo Gervin, at her home in the Smoky Mts. enjoying the snow and relaxation for a few days.

M. A. has gone back to work again after a months time out for an operation and recovery. Her son Bryan was indisposed at college for a week, and daughter Mary Lillian was home from her college in La. for a few days, Emily is quite busy with her High School activities.

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A letter from Cleo Gervin of Gervinwold-on-the-Norton in the Smoky Mts. says: She has been quite busy and really enjoying the mountains too this winter. Also was glad to have had her brother Guy, Mary Alice and her family with her over New Years.

But still contemplating about building her new home this summer.

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Misses Iva and Leah Tomlinson of Browntown, Wis. writes that they have enjoyed reasonably good health this past winter, and other excitements going on around them have kept them on their toes.

Leah says her church bought a new organ and a piano last March, it does a lot for our Service.

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The Wayne Leightey family had been down with the measles then the mumps, but now are able to be about again. Also your editor and wife were down a few days with the flu. Fred and Beatrice Fortney of Galion gave us a short visit last Friday May 17. Fred still has some trouble with his leg, but otherwise both are O. K.

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James P. Shambaugh, 189 Bay Ave. Huntington, N. Y.

My father was William Ira, originally from Blosserville, Pa. son of Livi J. Shambaugh. My oldest son, John Curtis, is at M. I. T. as a freshman in Chemical Engineering. A second son J. P. Junior, a junior in high school at East Wood School in Oyster Bay.

I was recently made manager of Process Promotion Division of Socony Mobil Oil Co. Inc., 26 Broadway, N. Y. and in charge of licensing all of our processes to all other companies.

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Roscoe G. Shambaugh, 3460 St. Joe Rd. Ft. Wayne, Ind.

It seems that my great grandfather Daniel, and his two brothers, Isaac and Henry came from Ohio. Daniel lived at Leo. Henry lived at Wabash and Isaac lived at Avilla.

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Mrs Eva M. Mahon, 611 - 9th. Ave. Clinton, Iowa

She writes for information that she may join the D. A. R. (Can you supply this info.)?

Special Attention - A lot of those questionnaire slips are still out yet, we can't do very much about the Shambaugh History until we know what the Shambaugh's want to do. So please fill out and mail them in just as soon as you get through reading this note.

Our National Reunion is almost here, Sept. 2, at Upper Sandusky Fairgrounds again this year. So begin putting things in that old kit bag now, and be ready to come, it is your reunion too, so lets make a good one.

Write in, or bring the information you have gathered about getting our Shambaugh History compiled and published. For, TO DO, or NOT TO DO, will likely be decided upon at this reunion, ~~So Don't Miss It.~~ You may be a C-R-I-Y.

Dollars for News - Letters : Margel Morvatz 1.--, Mrs V. M. Crowner 2.--, Jesse Shambaugh 1.--, Mrs Carl Shambaugh Sr. 5.--, Mrs Quilla Blue 2.--

Letters returned - Mrs Robert Watkins, Ruth Shambaugh of Martins Ferry, O.

I was talking to our President about preparations for our reunion, he is going to appoint the committees soon, but for entertainment, he was wondering if we could have some volunteers among our Shambaugh's for instrumental selections, or readings, etc. excepting vocal selections which would need other accompaniment, for, yes, we have no piano here.

Here

is where

some

of your

news items

could

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sent them

in.

Leon Trautwein, President of  
Shambaugh National Reunion - 1956

Please have your news items here, not later than July 20th. if you want another issue before our reunion.