

# Shambaugh Family News - Letter

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A letter from Jay and Floy Shambaugh of 2665 W. Greenbrier Ave., Anaheim, Calif. reporting: We went from Ohio (N-L #58 page 1) to Alexandria, La. visiting Madge Mundis, then to Houston, Texas with Katherine Trussell and Scott Shambaugh, leaving there for Odessa, where I have a cousin we had never seen before.

We left our trailer at Pecos and drove up to Carlsbad Caverns which we enjoyed very much, then Las Cruces where Floy has a cousin living. Tucson was next, to visit friends from Spencer, Iowa who is in Tucson for her health. Then Needles for a couple of days with Floy's sister and husband, then home in Anaheim.

In Oct. at Needles, we received a letter from our son Archey that Faye was real sick. And on Oct. 20, Archey had an operation taking 3½ hours.

(We hope all are Okay now.)

Our granddaughters, Ann and Rita Leightey and Merle Raymond were in the hospital for a couple of days each in Oct. and Nov. All are Okay now.

Jesse Shambaugh, R 1, Greenfield, Ind.

We expect to go to Florida after the holidays and stay until Spring. Our son Jesse Jr. lives in Palm Beach so will stay with them at 245 Gray Street.

Walter and Elsie Ruch, South Whitley, Ind.

We are very busy this fall as all farmers are. I call on Cora Shambaugh occasionally in C hurubusco, Ind. Bonar

George and Ruth Shambaugh,

Just a little note to let you know that we are all well. We have built a new ranch type home at 48 Hemlock Drive, Holliston, Mass. and expect to be in it by Oct. 31.

Amy is a little blue-eyed blond now, and Timmy sleeps through the night and is a good baby during the day.

We received our Shambaugh Coat of Arms in Oct.

Marlyn Mills, Cambridge, Ohio

I recently spent eleven weeks in Calif. visiting my sister Mildred Thompson, my son Robert Mills and a lot of friends, had a wonderful time.

I made the trip by buss from Cleveland to Calif. in 69 hours.

I missed the hay fever this year and that means a lot to me.

Bert Shambaugh, 539 So. Main, Richland Center, Wis.

I have a second cousin, Mr. Clarence Davis 314 West Seminary St., Richland Center, who has never received a Shambaugh news letter. He and Mr. Guy Kintz are first cousins, thier grandmother was my father's sister. Guy Kintz is no longer in the Evangelist work, but preaches in Boaz, which is eight miles west of Richland Center.

Charles E. Shambaugh, R.1, Neponset, Ill., has three sons and two daughters..

On Nov. 8 & 9 your editor and wife, and son's family, Howard, Dorothy, Linda, and Junior Leightey, drove to Euclid, Ohio, to visit Allen Raymond. Allen is a chemical engineer. He took us through the chemical plant in Euclid where he works.

We also visited on Sunday with Herman and Helena Shambaugh and daughter, Patricia, also Helene's mother.

The family is deeply interested in Shambaugh N-L and History. Herman is a grandson of the late George Shambaugh of Upper Sandusky, Ohio. (See N-L #39 page 2)

Leaving Wed. evening, Nov. 26, with Allen Raymond driving, Ann Leightey and your editor and wife left for Rossville, Georgia, to spend Thanksgiving with F. Guy Shambaugh and families, arriving there around 7:30 Thursday morning, enjoying the day emmencely, which includes the turkey and all the trimmings. Mary Lillian, who is teaching school in Marion, Va., and Emily Rose, nurse in training in Atlanta, Ga. were home for a few days, so all members were present excepting Bryen and Gene who are in training for Uncle Sam. Cleo Gerwin, from the Smoky Mts., was also present.

The household is very busy these days preparing for the marriage of Mary Lillian to Hugh Slagle of Va. on Dec. 20, 1958.

Then Sunday morning, with Cleo leading the way, we started for Ohio by way of the Smoky Mts., calling on Aunt Laude at Cleveland, Tenn., then to Cleo's new home in the Smokys for a couple of hours, also calling on the Kendall's of Toledo, Ohio, who have built a new home near Cleo's house. Starting for home after 6:00 and arriving home about 5:15 Monday morning. After entering Ohio we found snow and several miles of slippery roads north of Wilmington, Ohio. We had six inches of snow in Upper and a temperature of eight degrees.

Mrs. Vernon Shambaugh, Wilmington, Ohio  
I'm a little late in reporting the death of Vernon's Uncle Joe Shambaugh of this city, who passed away March 19 of this year, at the age of ninety. He was born in Clinton Co. and spent most of his life here. He leaves his wife and eight children, 20 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

I had to have a major operation in September but got along fine and doing most of my housework now.

Vernon and I took a fine trip, two weeks ago, with a group of two-hundred persons to Waterloo, Iowa. We went by plane and spent two days at Waterloo and then on to Moline, Ill., for two days. Vernon is a salesman for the John Deere Co. and that is why we got to go.

Billy, our only son, a sophomore in Wilmington College, was married to Miss Wanda Jenkins on Dec. 6, 1958. We like his selection of winning such a fine girl. We enjoy the News-Letters very much.

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Fred and Beatrice Fortney, Dice Rd. MR 8, Galion, Ohio  
We left home on the morning of Sept. 6, going to Elkhart, Ind. where we were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Wiltrout. A local flower show was enjoyed too. (We were back to Elkhart on Nov. 18 & 19, attending Joel Wiltrout's funeral. He died Nov. 16, at age 82, following a stroke suffered two days before.) On Monday we drove north through the central part of Michigan and experienced the thrill of crossing the big new bridge over the Straits. Then about 95 miles west to Indian Lake where we spent a week with a Crestline friend. Upper Michigan was beautiful at this season; We saw the ruins at Garden Point, the ships on Lake Michigan come into port and unload cargo, gathered birch bark on which we wrote a letter home and saw several deer. Leaving there early Sat. Morning, we headed for the Wisconsin Dells. Arrived just in time to take the late sight-seeing boat trip on the River. The heavy rain and wet highway made us decide against leaving U. S. R. 3 and going down to Dike to look up the Gleims. Fort Dodge was our destination where the C. W. Goodriches had been expecting us for some time. (Both Mrs. Goodrich and Mr. Wiltrout are Guthrie kinfolk.) While in Iowa, side trips took us to Des Moines, Spirit Lake and into Minnesota, the gypsum plants and other "cousins." The last week-end was spent with very good friends in Kankakee, Illinois. In all, we travelled some 2800 miles, had fine weather except that one day in Iowa and did a "heap of talking."

Edwin Applegate and Barbara Koogle were united in marriage in the Mifflin Church early in October by Rev. Birdie Lasley of Ashland. Edwin is the son of Russel and Genevieve Guthrie Applegate of Perrysville and at present is serving in the United States Army, stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky.

John W. Ricklefs, Harlingen Air Force Base, Texas  
I forgot to send you my change of address when I rotated. I left Thule on the morning of July the 30th, and arrived on the night of the same day in New Jersey. I am now at Harlingen, still doing the same kind of work. This base is a training command, and a Navigator training base.

My family is still in New York, where the children are in school. But I hope to have them with me again as soon as permissible.

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Just received a Christmas card from Floy and Jay Shambaugh. They have moved from Anaheim to Bull Head City, Ariz. P.O. Box 19. Located 27 miles N.W. of Needles on the Colorado River, and Mts. all around us. Bull Head City has no railroads, so no noise from that. P.O., 2 groceries, 3 cafes, couple of bars, a drug store, couple filling stations, real estate office, 2 motels and the Colorado River lined with Trailer parks. The one we are at has room for 100 trailers. Nites get cold and the days real warm. No smog.

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\$ 4 N-L, Jesse Shambaugh \$1, Sadie English \$1, Elsie and Walter Ruch \$2, Clarence Davis \$1, Marlyn Mills \$1, Herman and Helene Shambaugh \$2.

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Mrs. Carrie Smith, Perrysville, O., reports the death of Dr. Carl Stein, 52, Loudenville, O., on Oct. 20, 1958 at the Mansfield General Hospital. He had been ill about two weeks, due to Hepatitis. On Feb. 24, 1957 he married Fannie Smith, daughter of Mrs. Carrie Shambaugh Smith. Ceremony performed by Rev. Laman, Baptist Minister of Loudenville.

Dr. Stein was a veteran of World War II, A captain in the U.S. Medical corps, where he received the Purple Heart. He is survived by his wife, two sisters and three brothers. Funeral services were held at the Banks Funeral Home, conducted by the Rabbi A. Hartstein of Mansfield.

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We hope all our Shambaugh's had a nice Thanksgiving too, and we wish each of our readers a really Merry Christmas, also a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Remember each of you to report your news events among the Shambaughs. Trips, Marriages, births, deaths, etc.

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