

SHAMBAUGH FAMILIES NEWS - LETTER

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Flavius A. Leightey - Cleo Gerwin - Harry Gleim

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The 21st. National Shambaugh Families Reunion was held Sept. 5, 1965 under tent in the yard of F. Guy Shambaugh in Rossville. Ga. near Chattahoochee, with around 80 in attendance. At noon, following a prayer by Warren Scotten of Wabash, Ind., a beautiful dinner, prepared in part, by a catering service and the Rossville Shambaughs, was really enjoyed by all.

Due to the illness of the president F. Guy Shambaugh, the vice president Franklin Shambaugh presided, and called the meeting to order following the dinner.

After the minutes were read by the secretary Mrs Mary Alice Dantzler, they were approved. Mrs Bryan Dantzler was secretary during this reunion and for registration, assisted by Mrs Stanley Howard for pinning name tags on each person. Those attending were honored by walking on a long strip of RED carpet to register their names.

The News-Letter editor commented about how the members failed to send him their change of address, and MIP number, in order that he may have the correct address, asking for suggestions on how to solve this problem -- Mary Alice Dantzler suggested that he mail the letter only once, -- if after that, the member is not heard from, then the N - L should be stopped. This motion was made by Mary Dantzler, and seconded by Frances Shambaugh, motion was passed.

Dr. Gordon I. G. Shambaugh from Iowa brought greetings from Rev. Harry Gleim and M. Opal Fore, they could not be present. Dr. Shambaugh then introduced his wife Frances Shambaugh, who gave very gracious comments on superb hospitality of the south.

Flavius Leightey stated there were 72 subscriptions to the N - L for the year. A collection of 52.00 was received at the reunion, and applied to the expenses of the reunion. 17.00 was received at the reunion for the News - Letter.

The "Shambaugh International" treasurer, William H. Shambaugh, CPA. of Des Moines, Iowa reports - \$60.00 in dues from its members, plus other receipts from Shambaugh Crest Christmas Cards etc. of 478.80, less disbursements of - 1.00 sent to the N - L editor for automatic subscription to the N - L for Shambaugh International members, printing and supplies of 304.37 leaving a balance of 174.43 in S. I. (\$) treas.

Many of you will want to order the beautiful Shambaugh Crest cards for your Christmas mailing list, and don't forget to send in your 5.00 membership dues for 1966 to the Shambaugh International project, send both orders for cards and dues to Dr. Gordon Shambaugh, 1216 - 41st. St. Des Moines, Iowa 50311

Plans are being made for a Shambaugh Directory, and to make this possible, it is necessary for members to send their names, addresses and ZIPS (on 3 by 5 cards, please, for easier filing) to Dr. Shambaugh, at the above address.

Dr Shambaugh opened discussion on the possibility of publishing a book of Shambaugh History. Dr Nona Grapes made the motion that a committee be selected for that task, Motion seconded by Mrs Mary Dantzler, motion carried

Rev. Thomas Thompson, of Ohio, suggested that a chairman be appointed for the Shambaugh History committee, making the motion that Dr. Shambaugh be the chairman, seconded by Miss Grapes, and carried, also that Dr Shambaugh select his own committee.

There was an exchange of ideas how to gather this information for the history book, and how to raise funds for this project. This history would not be just family data only, but historic data also, from any member who had this valuable information. Among these would be -- Mrs Harry Gerwin, Dr Nona Grapes, Rev Harry Gleim, Edna Baker, Rev. Thompson, Katherine Trussell and many other members. All information pertaining to this subject to be sent to Dr. G.I.G. Shambaugh, 1216 - 41st. St. Des Moines, Iowa 50311

Gene Shambaugh made the motion that a fund for the history book be started by personal contribution of interested members, then through the coming months, gathering and compiling the information, then at the 1966 Shambaugh Reunion a report should be given on the progress made. If, by then sufficient funds are not available for this project, then others may contribute, and other ideas will be given on how to raise more funds. This motion was seconded by Bryan Dantzler and passed.

Rev. Thomas Thompson made a very enthusiastic talk about his interest in the Shambaugh families. Harold Shambaugh told of not knowing about this National Shambaugh Reunion or of the News Letter until recently, so came to the reunion to find out more about it. Dr. Shambaugh gave a nice pep talk, urging more interest in Shambaugh History and Shambaugh news items for the news letter.

Invitations for the 1966 Shambaugh Reunion came from Upper Sandusky, Ohio -- West Palm Beach, Fla. and Jewett. O. Jewett won the vote, a phone call later said it was changed to Cadiz, a town nearby, in the fairground.

New officers elected were -- President, Raymond Rose -- Vice Pres. Alice Dosson and Secretary, Dolly Rose. So from North, East, West and South, come to Cadiz, 1966.

This ending business for the day, the meeting adjourned. Immediately followed a short program -- Devotions by Mrs Bryan (Margaret) Dantzler, Mac Shambaugh gave a

welcoming speech, Mrs Dantzier and Mrs Susie Howard sang a duet, and Bryan Dantzier sang a solo. All was very much appreciated by those present, and a good time was had by all. Those of you who could have come, missed a wonderful day.

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Your editor and wife, with our son Howard and Dorothy Leightey with their son Junior of Upper Sandusky, O. left early Saturday morning (2:) for the National Shambaugh Reunion in Rossville, Ga. arriving at 3: P M, 535 miles. Including time out for eats etc. The Shambaughs all had a grand time visiting former acquaintances, also several new faces, which we were all glad to meet, and hope all can be at the 1966 reunion in Cadiz, O. There were also two car loads present from near Cadiz and Jewett -- Mr and Mrs David Quinn, Carl, Tina Jo and Mary Lynn of Jewett. Mr and Mrs Raymond Rose, Dale, Donnie and Darwin, Mr and Mrs Ross Bosson all of Cadiz, which made Ohio nicely represented.

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Mrs Rachel Nipple of Albany, Wis. and Mrs Emily McGrath of Argyle, Wis. (daughters of the former Gene and Alma Laughridge) visited with James and Opal Shotwell, and to help William and Clyde Kelley celebrate their 71st. wedding anniversary, Oct. 31st. Mrs Alice Dosson of Cadiz went back to Wis. with Emily and Rachel to visit with relatives -- Iva Tomlinson of Browntown, Wis., she is feeling real good and hopes to come to the reunion next year. Also visited Mrs Eva (Dosson) Green of Wisconsin Rapids, but found Eva and her granddaughter in the hospital in Friendship. Eva has arthritis of the spine. Visited with Ray, Donald and Ruby (Laughridge). Ray and Allie Hackett of Beloit, and Mrs Achsa Erickson at the Caravella rest home between Janesville and Beloit, Wis.

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Miss Nona Grapes, 732 Selma, Ave. Selma Ala.

I came back to Selma from the reunion for a busy week end, then flew to N. Y. after a strenuous two weeks there, I had a brief visit with my nephew's family and a few days in Williamsburg. The leaves I had hopes to enjoy in color were late, so I missed that part of my plan.

I enjoyed the trip back across north Georgia and saw two close friends in north Alabama. Saw the "Cathedral Caverns" in Grant, Ala. (north of Guntersville), the best yet in caves.

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Perlman and Grace Scotten, Box 245, Port Salerno, Fla.

We want to tell you that we thoroughly enjoyed the National Reunion. Such a lot of nice friendly folks, and just think "they are all Shambaugh's", we are very proud that we are a part of them.

We had a nice visit with my brother and wife, Warren and Harriet Scotten, my sister and her husband, Josephine and George Hiatt of Wabash, Ind. all were at the reunion. They left for wabash, Monday at 4: a. m.

We were in the car ready to leave for Macon, Ga. at 6:30 A. M. Monday, intending to spend the night there visiting relatives, and continue home on Tuesday. We turned the radio on and found that our gal "Betsy Hurricane" that had passed us and gone on north had turned around and started back south, and would take the lower East coast.

So we stopped in Macon one hour and drove right through home, we had not put our storm shutters up, as Betsy had passed, but our daughter and husband had put them up they live 30 miles from us.

On Sunday Sept. 12, we had our annual reunion here, all 34 in the family, plus two visitors attended, we had it at the home of our daughter and husband, Russell and Dorothy Merchant, they have a lovely home in the country. We had a clipping from a Chattanooga paper, they all read it and they had attended also, especially when we told them of the wonderful food. (wished)

We would like for the Shambaugh's that come to Florida to send us their addresses it may be that they are near enough to visit us.

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Mrs Alma Ross, Box 116, Arlington, Iowa 50606

I am much better than last year, I wait on myself and do necessary things, but not overdoing with work. I go to church and activities, but don't walk far any more. My sister Bertha Knoerr went to Milwaukee the middle of August to visit, and then go to the National Reunion.

The 44th. annual Shambaugh- Derflinger Reunion and picnic, a branch of the Barrow Family was held Sunday July 25, 1965 at the Park in Arlington, Iowa.

There were 25 Shambaugh's and 12 Derflinger's present. Mattie Carnall, nearly 95 was the oldest Derflinger and Alma Ross, past 84 was the oldest Shambaugh present. Robin Sue Frederick, 9 weeks old, grand daughter of Frank Shambaugh, the youngest.

Bertha Knoerr, Durham, N. C. came the farthest to the reunion. James Carnall, the president, presided. Two deaths, one wedding and six births were reported.

Election of officers were -- James Carnall Pres., Ethel Sealey Vice Pres. Alma Ross, Sec'y and Hazel Manchester Treas. for 1966.

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Bobby and wife Billie Shambaugh, of Upper Sandusky, O. have returned to Upper from an extended trip to California.

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Franklin Guy Shambaugh, 81, passed away Oct. 14, 1965 at his home in Rossville, Ga. Services were held in the McFarland Memorial Methodist Church in Rossville, with Rev. Kenneth Davis and Rev. James Hart officiating. Interment in Forest Hills Cem. Mr. Shambaugh had been a resident of Rossville for the past 60 years, and a member of the McFarland Memorial Methodist Church. He was a salesman for Allison Motor Co. and belonged to the Rossville Lodge RR&M, Rossville Exchange Club, Chattanooga Boy Scout Executive Board, Chattanooga Engineers Club, Chattanooga Half-Century Club, was on the board of Christian Education, and a member of the Larkin Brown Bible Class. Surviving are two sons, Franklin R. and Mac A. Shambaugh, both of Rossville; two daughters, Mrs Mary Alice Dantzler and Mrs Ruth Nave, both of Rossville; one sister, Mrs Harry A. (Cleo) Gerwin, Gatlinburg, Tenn.; 10 grand children, six great -- grand children, several nieces and nephews. Honorary pallbearers were members of 14 different Clubs, Classes, Councils and individuals.

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Ed. Note - In the passing of F. Guy Shambaugh our National Shambaugh Reunion has lost a most faithful and energetic member of the Shambaugh clan, always striving for a better fellowship among all Shambaughs, and for the best Reunions possible, missing only one reunion in the past 25 years of our National Reunions.

Guy was very faithful to his church, a teacher and a member of the choir, and beloved by all. Many reunion members have said "He's a wonderful Guy", or "He's a great Guy" and we all agree.

Your editor and wife have been very close to Guy and his families, visiting often in our own home and in their homes in Rossville, and we shall miss Guy very much.

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Services for Lt. Dale K. Shambaugh, 23, of 1823 N. Tyler, Topeka, Kan. were held at Davidson-Eslinger-Duff Funeral Home with Rev. Terry Hodges officiating. Interment Rochester Cemetery. Mr Shambaugh served with the U.S. Marines on Van Tuong Peninsula in Viet Nam.

He was born July 21, 1942 at Denver, Colo. the son of Mr and Mrs Iryin L. Shambaugh. Lt. Shambaugh graduated from the Seaman Rural High School in 1960, was president of the Student Council, and a member of the North Topeka Baptist Church. He graduated from the Univ. of Kan. in 1964, and had since been in the Marine Corp.

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Mr and Mrs Clark O. Bender, 1131 Oakmont Dr. Manor 40-7, Walnut Creek, Calif.

A letter dated Sept. 21, says - I am here in Spears Hospital, Denver, Colo. and am almost completely unable to walk. We'll probably be here for an indefinite time. Florence is taking a leave of absence from her school and will stay as long as she can. A card dated Nov. 7, - I am making improvement and we are planning to return home on the 19th. and will continue treatments from local doctors. I am much better, but still necessary to get around in a wheel chair. I have a walker and will get parallel bars to use at home. It will likely take a year to walk normal again.

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Thompson - Aubihl wedding.

Rev. Thomas Thompson of Utica, O. and Mrs Ida Florence Aubihl Of New Philadelphia, O. were married July 10, 1965 at New Phila. in the Broadway Methodist Church.

Our five children and 18 grand children were at the wedding. Had to limit the invitations because the relatives were "Limitless" in number. We started for Ft. Wayne, Ind. the same day and stayed with a cousin who rented us a room for ten days, attended World Vision Festival of Missions at Winona Lake, Ind. Among the many places we visited in Ind., the most interesting were the Lime Stone quarries, and Lincoln City, before returning home.

We attended the Zachariah Thompson family reunion over the second Sunday in Aug. at Arlington, Iowa. Then to Rossville, Ga. for the National Shambaugh reunion over Labor Day, seeing many places of interest around Chattanooga. On the way home we had a most enjoyable trip in the Smoky's, as well as a nice visit with Mrs Cleo Gerwin in her lovely mountain home near Gatlinburg, Tenn.

Our home address is 122 Commercial Ave. S. W., New Philadelphia, Ohio. 44663

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Shambaugh - Lawrence wedding

Miss Mary Sue Shambaugh, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Shambaugh of 2000 Matheny Ave. Marion, Ohio, was married to Vale Jerome Lawrence on Aug. 7, 1965 in St. Mary Catholic Church. He is the son of Mrs Elizabeth of Springfield, O. and the late Harold Lawrence. Rev. Charles Wells officiated for the double ring ceremony. Miss Marcia Shambaugh, organist, presented a program of wedding selections.

Miss Judy Shambaugh was maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Mrs Jerry Shambaugh and Mrs J. Stephan Shambaugh. Miss Meredith Shambaugh, niece of the bride, was flower girl, and Neal Shambaugh, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Columbus, O. and will reside at 4863 Ridge-wood Rd. E. in Springfield, O. Mrs Lawrence graduated from Harding High School in Marion, and the Springfield City Hospital School of Nursing. Mr Lawrence, a graduate of Catholic Central High School in Springfield, and is employed by Bauer Brothers Co.

Shambaugh - Gallagher wedding

Wedding vows were exchanged Aug. 28, 1965 in St. Mary Catholic Church by Miss Judith Kay Shambaugh and Francis James Gallagher Jr. Rev. Colby Grimes performed the ceremony, following a program of nuptial music by Miss Kathleen Kelleher, organist, and the St. Mary Choir.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Lowell Shambaugh of 435 So. Seffner Ave. Marion, O. The bridegroom's parents are Mr and Mrs Francis James Gallagher of Milton, Mass. Mrs Lowell Chapman of Wilmington, O. sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Marcia Shambaugh, sister of the bride, and Mary Lee Ruppel of Parkersburg, W. Va. The junior bridesmaid was Miss Carole Gallagher of Milton, Mass. sister of the bridegroom.

The couple left on a trip through southern Ohio, and will reside at 2511 Arlington Blvd. in Arlington, Va.

Mrs Gallagher, a graduate of Marion Catholic High School, received a bachelor of arts degree from the College of Mount St. Joseph, and a Master of Science degree from Boston College. Mr. Gallagher, who attended Boston College High School and received a bachelor of science degree from Boston College, is a medical student at Georgetown University.

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Shambaugh - Holup wedding.

of Belleville, O.

Dr. and Mrs Charles H. Shambaugh announce the marriage of their daughter, Teresa Lynn, to Robert A. Holup, son of Mr and Mrs John P. Holup of Toledo, O. The wedding took place Sept. 11, 1965 in St. Aloysius Catholic Church in Bowling Green, Ohio.

Immediately following the wedding, the families of the bride and groom had dinner at Pette's Alpine Village in Bowling Green.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Rosemary Croll, sister of the groom. Mr Donald Koraska, Toledo, O. friend of both bride and groom, was best man.

Both bride and groom are graduates of Bowling Green State University. Mr Holup is studying for a Master's Degree in Health and Physical Education. Mrs Holup is teaching English and Speech in Swanton, O. They are at home at 428 No. Prospect St. Bowling Green, Ohio.

[Ed. Note -- These three Shambaugh's, John, Lowell and Charles are sons of the late O. Guy Shambaugh of Mt. Gilead, Ohio.] (See News-Letter No. 49)

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Harold S. Shambaugh, 510 Thayer Ave. Silver Spring, Md. 20910

To introduce myself, I am a son of Walter T. Shambaugh and a great-great-great grandson of Valentine Shamback of Lower Providence Township, Montgomery Co. Pa.

I was recently "discovered" by the family and, as a result, my wife Evelyn, and I attended the National Shambaugh reunion in Rossville, Ga. in Sept. This was a wonderful experience--meeting so many fine persons and finding the family so well organized and dedicated to the pursuit of the family genealogy. We hope to contribute to both the unity and history of this dedicated family.

Genealogy: Valentine Shamback was a farmer in Pennsylvania. He died Aug. 31, 1808, at the age of 83 yr. 8mo. He and his wife Agnes, had three known children: Philip, Mary (wife of John Hugler) and Dorothy (wife of John Pennebaker).

Philip was my great-great grandfather. He was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. He died Oct. 20, 1822 at the age of 75 yrs. 4 mo. 26 days. He and his wife Lydia, had three known children: Valentine II, Philip Jr., and Ann (wife of John Getty).

Philip Jr. was my great grandfather. He died Nov. 13, 1847 at the age of 50 yr. 8 mo. 14 days. He and his wife Hannah Summers, had ten known children: Angelina, Lydia A., Jackson S., Harriet E., Albanus W., Martin L., Charles Philip, Hannah R., Sarah Jane, and Jones D.

Charles Philip was my grandfather. He was born Nov. 4, 1836 and died Aug. 9, 1867. He and his wife Sarah Schwenk had two known children: Howard N. and Walter T.

Walter T. was my father. He was born May 25, 1866 and died Nov. 16, 1931. He and his first wife, Alice Platt, had six children: Walter R., Elmer R., Viola May, Mary Edith, Sarah Emma and Herbert Thomas. He and his second wife, Nora J. Snyder, had one child: Harold S. (myself), born Oct. 26, 1921.

After 1800 the predominant spelling of the surname is Shambough.

Of the other branches of the family I know only of Valentine II, grandson of Valentine Shamback. He and his wife Mary, had six known children: William, Lydia, Ann, Margaret, Elizabeth and Joseph. I would appreciate hearing from anyone who has information which would help complete the family tree.

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Jay and Floy Shambough, "Rancho-Glen"--728-9962. 202 Ammunition Road, Fallbrook, Calif.

I have been so busy doing nothing. (Ed.-- Doesn't Floy help you at all, while you are so busy?, come on out, my wife and I will take time off and help you). I was in the hospital 5 days last Sept. 1964. so the extra long trips are a thing of the past. In May, we went to Nebr. and on down to Alexandria, La. to see our cousin Madge Mundis. Spent several days with her, then to Houston, 2 C Katherine and Elsie. We enjoyed our visits and had no car trouble and no storms. Gone six weeks.

ME. F. GUY SHAMBAUGH
A Boy was born in Albion, Indiana in 1884.
The Shambaugh family did not know what they had in store.
Right after he was born, he began to sound his call,
So they named the little fello "GUY SHAMBAUGH".
A mischievous little fello, tobacco he once liked to chew,
He did many things even hopped a freight or two.
Before long he moved to Cleveland in the land of the South.
He studied his lessons and learned in the old school house.
He met a little lady whose name was Lela McFarland,
And it was not long until he took her by the hand.
They got married and moved still further south,
They moved to Rossville, Georgia and built them a house.
Five children, Franklin, Mary Alice, Mac, Marcia and Ruth came along,
and all of them together made a mighty fine home.
He taught the "golden rule" and what was right and wrong,
For he knew the time would come fast when they would marry and leave home.
His family was very happy and the years flew by fast,
Then, as he knew it would, his little family did not last.
Franklin, went to Slygo, Georgia and found him a wife,
He asked Edith to be his the rest of her life.
Along came a son, they named Franklin Eugene.
He grew up straight, tall and lean.
Then came Wanda Sue, to complete his little clan,
Now she has two, Stanley and Suzanne, and a husband named Stan.
Mary Alice got married to a Dantzler man,
They brought three to live in this fine land.
Her man walked out, but don't think him a louse,
She and her three moved into her father's house.
Mary Lillian is older than the other two,
She has a daughter, Cindy, and a man named Hugh.
Between the two girls came a boy named Bryan,
He has a wife named Margaret who is mighty fine.
Then there is Emily the last to come along,
She has a husband, Jack, and a daughter named Dawn.
Mac, went roaming and found Polly one day,
They have two daughters, Jeanene and Paula Faye.
They are too young to be married, but it won't be long.
Their men will appear, goodlooking and strong.
Marcia helped us all when she was well and strong,
But her health has gone down, since her mother went along,
We have placed the burden of her on her sister and her dad,
But we should do our part both willing and glad.
Ruth was the youngest and the last to marry,
She fell in love with a Nave named Harry.
With three children, they are blessed, two daughters and a son,
Diane, Debra and David who have a lot of fun.
They are all very young and Rossville School they attend,
Soon they will start dating and Ruth and Harry will wonder where they have been.
Quite a large family and proud we are all,
That the head of the family is, "Guy Shambaugh."
He has worked and worked hard all of his days,
That we should all follow in the Master's way.
Each of us have been blessed by this man among men,
Whether father, grandfather, great-grandfather or just a friend.
The world has been made better with him around,
No better man among men have I ever found.
As a man, a parent or a friend he is true,
How we follow in his footsteps, depends on me and you,
He has given us the plan prepared by Jesus Christ,
He has taught it to us by his words and his life.
This Christmas I propose a toast to a man loved by all,
A great and wonderful fellow by the name of ... "Guy Shambaugh".
This toast I propose is simple, short and true,
Just three little words . . . **WE LOVE YOU!**

Taken in part from the Chattanooga Times -

On Sept. 5, 1965, the Shambaugh families of Rossville, Ga., whose forebears in this country antedate the Revolutionary War, was host to the 21st National family reunion under a canvas tent to accommodate some 75 kinfolk from 11 states. The colorful "gathering of the clan" featured a bountiful dinner table stocked by a catering service, formal business sessions with reports on vital statistics such as deaths, births and changes of address, along with a steady flow of warm embraces by "kissin' cousins" and the shouted delight of renewing old family ties.

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The event took place throughout most of the day at the home of family patriarch 81-year-old Franklin Guy Shambaugh, who resides at 1407 McFarland Ave., and who retired only last year from employment with Allison Motor Co.

The family representatives came from Georgia, Tennessee, Virginia, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Florida, Texas, Alabama, Maryland and Iowa. It was the first time they have assembled for a reunion in a Southern setting. Virtually all of the previous reunions have been held in Ohio and Indiana.

The first of the family to come to this country arrived in 1729 from Europe, landing in Philadelphia. The family, which then spelled its name variously as Shambau and Shambach, was of French and German origin and was fleeing from religious persecution.

In this century the family members have come together to share the sense of belonging, deep roots in native soil, and rare blend of joy, friendly humor and mystique of kinsmanship that emerges from such reunions.

A key factor in maintaining the esprit of the National Shambaugh Society, which was formally organized in 1940, is the newsletter that is distributed to all subscribers every two or three months. It gives up-to-date reports on deaths, births, changes of address, and anecdotes that range in subject from Shambaugh child to Shambaugh elder. This publication is handled by Flavius Leightey of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, who is a Shambaugh on his mother's side.

Those Shambaugh family members of the Rossville clan are; Franklin Guy Shambaugh and his sister, Mrs. Cleo Gervin, of Gatlinburg, Tenn.; a son, Franklin R. Shambaugh, of Rossville, who is with Home Beneficial Life Insurance Co.; a son, Mac Allen Shambaugh, of Rossville, who is with Cherokee warehouses, Inc.; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Alice Dantzler of Rossville.; a daughter, Mrs. Ruth Nave, of Rossville.

Also, Gene Shambaugh of Atlanta, and Mrs. Stanley Howard of Rossville, son and daughter of Franklin R. Shambaugh; Mrs. Emily Briscoe of Atlanta, Mrs. Mary Lillian Slagle of Marion, Va., and Bryan Dantzler of Dalton, Ga., Daughters and son of Mrs. Dantzler; Debra, Diane and David, children of Mrs. Nave; Jeanene and Paula Faye, Children of Mac Allen Shambaugh. There are also six great-grandchildren from this Rossville branch of the family whom attended the reunion.

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Mrs Jack (Emily Dantzler) Briscoe of Hartselle, Ala. went into surgery Sept. 8th. at the Baptist Memorial Hospital in Atlanta, and recuperated at the home of Jack's parents. She is now at home, a recent letter from Emily says she is feeling fine.

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Shambaughs in and near Upper Sandusky, O. that were recently indisposed: Mrs. Betty (Shambaugh) Schmuck, Wharton, O., James Graffmiller, Arthur Trautwein and Walter Shambaugh, all of Upper.

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Sent in by G. I. G. from a Des Moines Paper of Sept. 19, 1965.

In the years just after the turn of the century, some Page Co. school superintendents in Iowa initiated projects to encourage school exhibits of farm products. One of the pioneers was Jessie Field (now Jessis Field Shambaugh) of Page Co. Their work eventually led to the birth of the 4-H Clubs. (see N-L #58)

Of these superintendents, only Mrs Shambaugh now survives, she was honored at a special program in Clarinda this past summer, at the dedication of an old Iowa country schoolhouse as a museum at the Page Co. fairgrounds, Mrs Shambaugh, now 82, was one of the early teachers at the school named "Goldenrod", bearing the date 1873, and was last used in 1959. After her term at the Goldenrod, four miles east of Essex, she completed her education at Tabor College, and was elected superintendent of the Page Co. Schools. Mrs Shambaugh's work attracted national attention and was reported in the New York Times in 1910.

Besides a picture of the Goldenrod school in the paper, another picture shows Mrs Shambaugh seated at a teachers desk, with a picture of the old Brush car she drove as a teacher.

Mrs Faye Whitmore, president of Page Co. Historical Society, and her sister, Manila Cheshire, wrote a biography of Mrs Shambaugh, her husband was the late Ira W. Shambaugh. She has been getting the News-Letter. Her address- Clarinda, Iowa

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\$\$ for N-L: Guy G. Shambaugh 1.-, William Shambaugh 2.-, Jay and Floy Shambaugh 1.-, Elma Ross 2.-, Ralph Shambaugh 1.-, Cleo Gervin 3.-, Katherine Truscott 2.-, Alice Dossan 2.-, David Quinn 2.-, Mrs George Hiatt 1.-, P. J. Scotten 1.-, Warren Scotten 1.-, F. Guy Shambaugh 2.-, Stanley Howard 2.-, Harry Nave 1.-, From Shambaugh International () members: Mrs Bertha Knoerr 1.-, Harley B. Shambaugh 1.-, Mildred S. Flewelling 1.-, Barbara Shambaugh 1.-, Dr. G.I.G. Shambaugh 10.-, M. Opal Fore 1.-, Andrew P. Shambaugh 1.-.

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Rev. Harry and Ina Gleim, 1320 Carroll St. Boone, Iowa 50036
My wife Ina, has been transferred from the Evangelical Free Church Home to the Friendship Haven Methodist Home in Ft. Dodge, that is 50 miles from Boone, but I plan on seeing her, at least twice a week if possible.

The "Shambaugh Rose" is a wild like flower and has a tendency to spread around, but is a very pretty flower. (Ed. Ours had a nice lot of bloom on last spring, and really was beautiful). Harry says he can some roots if anyone wants them.

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