

97TH ANNUAL REUNION
Shamokin Area High School
Alumni Association

SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1980

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Fellow Alumni:

A warm and friendly welcome is extended to everyone here tonight and my deepest thanks to those who worked so diligently to make this, our 97th Annual Reunion, a reality for all of us to enjoy.



JOHN J. GLENNON
President

We are here this evening because we all have a common bond that brings us together. That bond is a sharing of feelings, friendships and fond memories. Our school days are the most formative years of our lives and contain some of our most lasting experiences and emotions. There isn't a year that goes by that we don't recall an incident, face, name, event or action that relates

in some way to our present day behavior or life style.

Therefore, it's so very important to make the most out of this weekend. Look around you, smile at the person staring in your direction, talk to that stranger, renew old acquaintances and really have a good time. It's your affair and don't let it be a disappointment or end too soon.

As we enter the 1980's we look with pride upon our accomplishments as being the oldest active Alumni Association in the United States. Over 12,000 members receive our yearly newsletter, in excess of \$12,000 will be given tonight in scholarships and most of all our school system continues to provide quality education, modern facilities and a firm foundation for future pursuits.

Yes, we have a good thing going, but it's only because of the interest shown by the alumni over the years. This interest must continue to expand as we lay the groundwork for our 100th anniversary in 1983. Our recent graduates (especially the class of 1980), the anniversary classes and older classes will need to play a more active role to keep our proud traditions alive.

Remember, you are the Alumni Association! Thanks for coming, have a good time and may this evening be the continuation of friendships and fond memories that will be yours forever.

Most Sincerely,

JOHN J. GLENNON

PROGRAM

INVOCATION Rev. Hugh C. Coulbourn
Pastor, Calvary Bible Fellowship Church

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

BANQUET

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION OF OFFICERS AND GUEST

John J. Glennon '56
President

BUSINESS MEETING John J. Glennon '56
President

SILENT PRAYER Memorial for Deceased Members

SECRETARY'S REPORT Philathea Faust Welker '35

TREASURER'S REPORT John M. Phillips '21

PRESENTATION OF THE 1980 CLASS John J. Glennon '56
President

PRESENTATION OF THE 1980 CLASS PENNANT Wayne Miller
President of Senior Class

RECOGNITION OF DECENNIAL CLASSES Helen Jane Murphy '43
Vice-President

1910 CLASS — 1920 CLASS — 1940 CLASS

1950 CLASS — 1960 CLASS — 1970 CLASS

1975 CLASS

SILVER ANNIVERSARY CLASS — 1955

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY CLASS — 1930

SIXTY-FIVE YEAR CLASS — 1915

DISTANCE AWARD Helen Jane Murphy '43
Vice-President

MUSICAL PROGRAM Shamokin Area High School String Ensemble
Thomas C. Donlan, Director

BROADWAY NOSTALGIA Doug & Martha Martin

NEW BUSINESS

SAHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AWARDS AND
COAL TWP. ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP AWARD John M. Phillips '21

RATIFICATION OF OFFICERS NOMINATED
BY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

INTRODUCTION OF PRESIDENT & VICE-PRESIDENT ELECT

ALMA MATER Senior Class

BENEDICTION Rev. Hugh C. Coulbourn
Pastor, Calvary Bible Fellowship Church

Shamokin Area High School Alumni Association

President
John J. Glennon

Secretary
Philathea Welker Faust

Historian
Margaret Thomas

Vice President
Helen Jane Murphy

Treasurer
John M. Phillips

Registrar
M. Aubrey Phillips

COMMITTEES

INVITATION

Margaret A. Maue, Chairman
William Korbich
M. Aubrey Phillips

AUDITING

James Booth, Chairman
Elizabeth G. Ryan

DECORATING

Philathea Faust Welker,
Chairman
Allison Dapra
Diane Mroz
Dave Romanoski
Ned Sodrick
Leon Weller
Betty Stahl Wiest

RADIO

Joanne Kaseman
David Hojnacki

BANQUET

Edward Twigg, Sr., Chairman
James Booth, Co-Chairman
Walter Fidler
Richard Hilbush
Helen Jane Murphy
John M. Phillips
Frederick Reed
Frances Rowe

PUBLICITY

Anna Stoop Mock
Reba Hirsch

NOMINATING

William Dyer, Chairman
Irvin Liachowitz
Harriet Evans Musser

PROGRAM

Walter Fidler
Mary Anne Pitorak

ENTERTAINMENT

Irvin Liachowitz

EDUCATIONAL FUND COMMITTEE

Sarah Twigg, President
Walter Strine, Vice-President
John Phillips, Secretary-Treasurer
Frederick Lark
Ruth Lark
Harry Strine
Elizabeth Ryan
Robert Lynch
Frances L. Rowe
Betty Wiest
Richard Hilbush
Frederick Reed
Joanne Kaseman
John Glennon

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

Robert M. Thomas, Chairman
Elizabeth G. Ryan, Vice-Chairman
John M. Phillips, Secretary
Ruth S. Lark
Philathea Welker
William Korbich
Frances Rowe
Robert Mattern
Frederick Reed
Joanne Kaseman
Richard Hilbush
Irvin Liachowitz
Harry Strine
David Donmoyer
Ronald Chamberlain

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Paul L. Eveland, President	John J. Bartko, Vice-President
Patricia Spayde, Secretary	Charles A. Dakshaw, Treasurer
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William Dudeck	Kimber C. Shaffer, Jr.
David L. Wolfe	Andrew A. Leavens, Esq. Solicitor

Daniel C. Witmer, D.Ed. Superintendent

George J. Edwards, Business Manager

John J. Glennon, Supervisor Pupil Personnel

Joseph P. Swatski, High School Principal

Edward J. Binkoski, Asst. High School Principal

Necrology

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| 1902—George Womer
Charles Scott | 1929—Byron Payne
Katherine Levan Schoch
William Johnson
Esther Swartz Kreisher
Dorothy Haupt Crebs |
| 1908—Mary Shoener Mette | 1930—Walter Haupt
Mildred Schnee Gayman
Meyer Shusterman |
| 1911—Reba Thomas Marshall | 1931—Margel Furman Robbins
Rebert D. Muir |
| 1912—Eleanor Scholl
Erma E. Zanker Seiler
Merrill A. Troxell
Anna Stoop Mock | 1932—Edith Geist Mancill
David Weimer |
| 1913—David Thomas
Clara Glinski Aucker | 1933—Lamar Yeager |
| 1914—Marion Hatter
George Ludes
Walter L. Jones
Lester Wehry | 1934—Robert Lippiatt
Sylvania Shipe Menig
Charles E. Morlock |
| 1915—Jean Muir Storts
Mary Brown Ross
Olivia Snyder Dowell
Marcella Martz | 1935—John F. Clark
Alex Metza
Clara Gearhart Belfonti |
| 1916—Ruth Schankweiler Schlegel | 1936—Robert Martini
June Momley Breon
Elwood Bingaman |
| 1918—Marlin Delbaugh | 1937—Paul Haupt |
| 1920—Dorothea Stroh Watts
Edward Culton | 1938—Robert Haupt
David Strick
Charles E. Duncan, Jr. |
| 1921—J. Merrill Schrawder | 1939—Thomas Carl
Sylvia Malett Meyers |
| 1922—George Blanksby
Henry W. Lark
Charles E. Boyer | 1940—Daniel Weitzel |
| 1923—Katherine Koble Jones
Caroline E. Steiner | 1941—Stanley T. Yodzio
Helene Yarema Oshinski
John H. Paul |
| 1924—Dorothy Strausser Grossman | 1942—Joseph Woytovich |
| 1926—Rev. Arthur Knoebel
Agnes Haertter French
William C. Kerstetter
William J. Gusick
G. Owen Bradigan
Helen Tovey Schwartz | 1943—Meredith Riegle Norad |
| 1928—Herbert Zaring
Frank Densevich
Mary Snyder Hoffman
J. Aucker Lark
Dorothy Lark Burt | 1946—Marna Knarr Victoriano
Richard J. Jones |
| | 1948—Walter Patynski |
| | 1949—Vera Marlette |
| | 1950—Joan Naylor Delmonte |
| | 1958—Marie Dauksha Stanton |
| | 1971—Daniel P. Dilliplane |

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

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|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1901—Harry Wagner | 1944—Fred Smith |
| 1903—Lucy Reed Kehler | Annala Jones Chiavaroli |
| 1906—Eugene Zartman | 1945—Marion Disori Malisnewski |
| Roy Barr | Daniel F. Breining, Jr. |
| 1907—Madeline Adams Lewis | 1946—Martha Martin Gehris |
| 1908—Susan Beard | Frederick F. Reed |
| 1909—Mary Miller Smith | 1947—Marion Thomas Reed |
| Lavina Seitzinger Williston | Richard Weimer |
| 1910—Lottie Haupt Lawrence | 1948—Betty Martin Brown |
| Gertrude Buck English | Sylvester Schicatanio |
| 1911—Leah Long Raker | 1949—Patricia Hoy Engle |
| 1912—Anna Stoop Mock | Bert L. Klinger |
| Eva Raker Eadie | 1950—Frances Howerter Milbrand |
| 1913—Bessie Jackman | Wayne Grow |
| Frances Shade Rowe | 1951—Mary Stoop Kuhns |
| 1914—Mildred Ditty Martin | Paul Ruane |
| Richard Tyack | 1952—Barbara Hoy Kessler |
| 1915—Emma Miller Toop | Robert J. Forcheskie |
| Salvidor Olcese | 1953—Patricia Nuss McElwee |
| 1916—Leah Engle | Leonard Weikel |
| 1917—James Shade | 1954—Harry Strausser |
| Leon Knoebel | Treva Haas Madison |
| 1918—Elizabeth Higgins Tiley | 1955—Nancy Schrawder Booth |
| John W. Prosser | James Howerter |
| 1919—Grace Schleif Wiest | 1956—Phyllis Mae Wayne |
| 1920—Josephine Maus Woolcock | Ronald C. Lehner |
| Clarence Holshue | 1957—Linda R. Latshaw |
| 1921—John M. Phillips | Ronald F. Kohler |
| Helen Weller Dyer | 1958—Patricia Kashnoski Mihalik |
| 1922—Eunice Haas | Raymond G. Splane |
| Charles Shaffer | 1959—Jacqueline Bickert Knopp |
| 1923—Ruth Wetzel Einsel | Ronald L. Chamberlain |
| George Moser | 1960—Linda Musser Strunk |
| 1924—Margaret Shoener Davis | Harvey Buriak |
| Robert T. Lynch | 1961—Sandra Fessler |
| 1925—Margaret Thomas | Fred Wagner |
| Robert M. Thomas | 1962—William Karpinski |
| 1926—Sarah Lark Twiggar | James Shingara |
| Robert Mattern | 1963—Judy Hummel Reiprich |
| 1927—Marsden L. Edmunds | Judy Herb |
| Claude H. Readly Jr. | 1964—Judith Milbrand Allen |
| 1928—Ruth Shroyer Lark | Ronald Weller |
| Paul MacElwee | 1965—Peggy Morris |
| 1929—Gladys Strohecker | Barry Lentz |
| Dorothy Edwards Wehry | 1966—William Wallish |
| 1930—Sara Haas Tillet | Marilyn Clutcher Derk |
| Jack Smith | 1967—Marsha Sacona Christ |
| 1931—Margaret Salter Knoebel | Ned Sodrick |
| Harry C. Strine Jr. | 1968—Jody Duceman Rudon |
| 1932—Phrana Shaffer | Bruce Victoriano |
| Robert Welker | 1969—Dave Romanoski |
| 1933—Elizabeth Dyer Hilbush | Allison Dapra |
| Emerson Hollenback | 1970—Lynette Thompson Pickering |
| 1934—Adele Engle Sinton | Joseph Reidinger |
| Dorothy Albright Moser | 1971—Cynthia Tomaino Zarski |
| 1935—Philathea Faust Welker | Donald Blessing |
| Gertrude Marhefka Levan | 1972—Wayne Grow, Jr. |
| 1936—Frances L. Rowe | Ann Whitmer |
| Wayne Snyder | 1973—Debra Tyson Hauer |
| 1937—Dorothy Meiser Procopio | James Gaydon |
| Louise Kline Hubler | 1974—Mary Anne Pitorak |
| 1938—Harriet Evans Musser | Steve Chernago |
| Edward Fox | 1975—Becky Donmoyer |
| 1939—Leon Fry | Beth Hoover Derk |
| Leotta Schrader Shroyer | 1976—Diane Mroz |
| 1940—H. Richard Hilbush | Mike Phillips |
| Louise Reed Shade | 1977—Betsy Donmoyer |
| 1941—Richard Young | David Molesevich |
| Annella Chiavaroli | 1978—Brian Williams |
| 1942—Irvin Liachowitz | Michelle Backes |
| Catherine Boyle Labosky | 1979—Nick Keiser |
| 1943—Russell Wanke | Diana Venn |
| Helen Jane Murphy | |

ALMA MATER

Alma Mater dear we sing to you
With devotion deep and true
Your colors bright, purple and white,
Will stir our hearts anew
Shamokin Area High School
We give thanks and honor due
Though changes come as time rolls on,
Always loyal and true.

WORDS AND MUSIC—
L. PEARL SEILER 1907

