

96TH ANNUAL REUNION

Shamokin Area High School Alumni Association

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1979

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Fellow Alumni:

I'm smiling because you are here. How happy I am that you came to celebrate the 96th anniversary of old S.H.S., now S.A.H.S.! Greetings to all of you who are gathered at the festive board. It is a far cry from the box lunches served in the old gym at the old high school. But times change and we hope for the better.



Ruth Shroyer Lark
President

As I said in my letter in the invitation, this night is to renew old friends and acquaintances and make new ones. Isn't it fun to see all the people you haven't seen for years?

As your president I was happy and proud to represent you. My deepest thanks to everyone who helped in the smallest way to make this night a reality. It takes many loyal and dedicated people and I shall leave the presidency knowing it is in good hands and will continue to be a vital organization in the community.

I especially welcome the incoming class. Though it is the smallest class in numbers in many years, it had the greatest number of students taking the scholarship examination. Forty-four took the morning test. That shows progress. \$10,000 will be given in scholarships this evening and that is no mean accomplishment.

A very special welcome, too, to the anniversary classes. How they help to fill the tables!

The tomorrow I spoke of is here tonight. Enjoy yourself. Make the most of the reunion. Each one of us likes to be identified with some special group. What better one than dear old Shamokin Area High School Alumni Association. Have fun. That is what it is all about. I hope you can say tomorrow, "I'm glad I went to Alumni this year. I want to go again." May this be a good and happy year for each one of you.

A happy evening to all of you.

Most sincerely,
RUTH SHROYER LARK

PROGRAM

INVOCATION Rev. Alfred J. Bashore
Pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

BANQUET

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION OF OFFICERS AND GUESTS
Ruth Shroyer Lark '28

BUSINESS MEETING Ruth Shroyer Lark '28, President

SILENT PRAYER Memorial for Deceased Members

SECRETARY'S REPORT Philathea Faust Welker '35

TREASURER'S REPORT John M. Phillips '21

PRESENTATION OF THE 1979 CLASS
Ruth Shroyer Lark '28, President

PRESENTATION OF THE 1979 CLASS PENNANT
Randy J. Berholtz, President

RECOGNITION OF DECENNIAL CLASSES John J. Glennon, Vice-Pres.
1909 CLASS — 1919 CLASS — 1939 CLASS
1949 CLASS — 1959 CLASS — 1969 CLASS
SILVER ANNIVERSARY CLASS — 1954
GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY CLASS — 1929
SIXTY-FIVE YEAR CLASS — 1914

DISTANCE AWARD John J. Glennon '56, Vice-President

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

BROADWAY CAVALCADE Mr. Ronald Rogers

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. Alfred J. Bashore
Pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

1901—Harry H. Wagner	1929—Gladys Strohecker Byron Payne	1955—Nancy Schrawder Booth James Howerter
1902—George Womer	1930—John Smith Malcolm Martz	1956—Phyllis Mae Wayne Ronald C. Lehner
1903—Lucy Reed Kehler	1931—Margaret Salter Knoebel Harry C. Strine, Jr.	1957—Linda R. Latshaw Ronald F. Kohler
1904—Louise H. Morgan Gertrude Cooper Simth	1932—Phrana Shaffer Manney Robert Welker	1958—Patricia Kashnoski Mihalik
1906—Eugene Zartman Roy Barr	1933—Elizabeth Dyer Hilbush Emerson Hollenback	Raymond G. Splane
1907—Madelene Adams Lewis Arthur Heil	1934—Adele Engle Sinton Dorothy Albright Moser	1959—Jacqueline Bickert Knopp Ronald L. Chamberlain
1908—Susan Beard	1935—Philathea Faust Welker Gertrude Levan	1960—Linda Musser Strunk Harvey Buriak
1909—Mary Miller Smith Lavine Seitzinger Williston	1936—Frances L. Howe Wayne Snyder	1961—Sandra Fessler Fred Wagner
1910—Lottie Haupt Lawrence Gertrude Buck English	1937—Louise Kline Hubler Dorothy Meiser Procopio	1962—William Karpinski James Shingara
1911—Leah Long Raker Bessie Jackman	1938—Harriet Evans Musser Charles E. Duncan, Jr.	1962—Paul Zarick Mary Anderson Barrett
1912—Anna Stoop Mock Merle Troxell	1939—Leotta Schrader Shroyer Leon Fry	1963—Linda Strausser Herb Judy Hummel Reiprich
1913—Clara Gliniski Aucker W. Francis Grow	1940—Luise Reed Shade Richard Hilbush	1964—Judith Milbrand Allen Ronald Weller
1914—Mildred Ditty Martin Richard Tyack	1941—Richard Young	1965—Peggy Morris Barry Lentz
1915—Emma Miller Toop Salvidor Olcese	1942—Catherine Boyle Labosky Irvin Liachowitz	1966—William Wallish Marilyn Clutcher Derk
1916—Leah Engle Harold Smith	1943—Helen Jane Murphy Russel Wanke	1967—Marsha Sacona Ned Sodrick
1917—Leon Knoebel James Shade	1944—Fred Smith Annala Jones Chiavaroli	1968—Jody Duceman Rudon Bruce Victoriano
1918—Elizabeth Higgins Tiley John W. Prosser	1945—Marion Disori Malishewski Daniel F. Breining, Jr.	1969—Kenneth Gaydon —Michael Long
1919—Grace Schleif Wiest Darrel Kessler	1946—Martha Martin Gehris Frederick F. Reed	1970—Lynette Thompson Joseph Reidinger
1920—Josephine Maus Woolcock Clarence Holshue	1947—Merion Thomas Reed Richard Weimer	1971—Cynthia Tomaino Zarski Donald Blessing
1921—Helen Weller Dyer John M. Phillips	1948—James R. Booth —David W. Donmoyer	1972—Wayne Grow, Jr. Ann Whitmer
1922—Eunice Haas Charles A. Shaffer	1948—Betty Martin Brown Sylvester Schicatanio	1973—Debra Tyson Hauer David Deitman
1923—Ruth Wetzel Einsel George Moser	1949—Patricia Hoy Engle Bert L. Klinger	1974—Elizabeth Richardson Steve Chernago
1924—Margaret Shoener Davis Robert T. Lynch	1950—Florence H. Milbrand Wayne Grow	1975—Mary Alice Lucas Ken Zimmerman
1925—Margaret Thomas Robert M. Thomas	1951—Mary Stoop Kuhns Paul Ruane	1976—Jocile Somerday Dave Troxell
1926—Sara Lark Twigg Robert S. Mattern	1952—Barbara Hoy Kessler Robert J. Forcheskie	1977—Betsy Donmoyer David Moleseovich
1927—Marsden L. Edmunds Claude H. Readly, Jr.	1953—Patricia Nuss McElwee Leonard Weikel	1978—Brian Williams Michelle Backes
1928—Ruth Shroyer Lark Herbert H. Zaring	1954—Harry Strausser Treva Haas Madison	

ALMA MATER

Words and Music — L. Pearl Seller 1907

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.

SHAMOKIN AREA HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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NECROLOGY

1904—Gertrude Cooper Smith
1905—Elizabeth Lippiatt Jones
1907—Elizabeth Reeder Fisher
1908—Helen Frederick
1910—Florence Adams Fetter
Harriett Conner Johns
1911—Alma Dinger Lasley
1912—Kathryn Francis Cook
Clara Gillespie Zartman
1913—William Grow
Herbert Howerth
1914—David Weidenhafer
1915—Anna Zaring Booth
Marlin Unger
1918—Otterbein Runkle
Sidney Stout
William Moore
1919—Norman Bendel
Bessie G. Brown
Clay Sanders
1920—Margaret Steele Humphrey
Dorothy Strow Watts
1921—Elenora Latsha Helper
1922—Charles F. Steck
Henry Hendrick
1923—Donald C. Lake
Edwin Thomas
1924—Marshall Wilver
Vivian Spears Wanke
David Linderman

1925—Harvey Schlegel
1926—Stephanie Maliniak
Alvin Kerstetter
Norman McCow
1927—Mildred Hudson Miller
Pauline Troxell Schlegel
James Nash
1928—Lester Pisani
Molly Ogden Heffelfinger
Gladys Richards Yeager
John Iwanski
1929—Alma Carl Boryschuk
1931—Elsie Haupt Bingaman
Edgar Steinhart
Clara Rickert Hand
Pauline Kerkham Wiest
Clair Troutman
1933—Eleanor Endrizzi
William B. Kamp
Ben Horwath
1934—John Aucker
William Boardman
Robert Edwards
Lawrence Vivaldo
1935—Franklin Clutcher
1936—Harlan Shroyer
Theodore Buriak
Ned Stadnicki
John Mikus

1937—Sara Yadlosky Kamp
1938—Clarence Long
Olga Korchyk
1939—Martin Reager
1941—Thomas Hoover
Richard Carter
Thomas Wilver
1944—Frank Charneski
1945—Nancy Burrell Pensyl
1948—Walter Campbell, Jr.
1950—Ralph Rumberger
Fred Renn
1951—Jean Haladay
1953—Paul A. Boyer
1954—Donald Auman
1956—J. Edward Miller
1967—John Mungo
1969—Robert Kazar
David McCormick
1970—Kathy Derk Foulds
1972—Patricia Garancosky
James Herb
1974—Louann Winkler Kern
1977—Robert Gedman
1978—Kenneth Clark
Charles Slotterbach

