MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!!!!

SHOCKEY NEWSLETTER NO. 8

We have been so busy with mailing the Shockey History and Genealogy books and getting this newsletter together that we have had no time for Christmas Cards so we want to take this opportunity to wish each of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

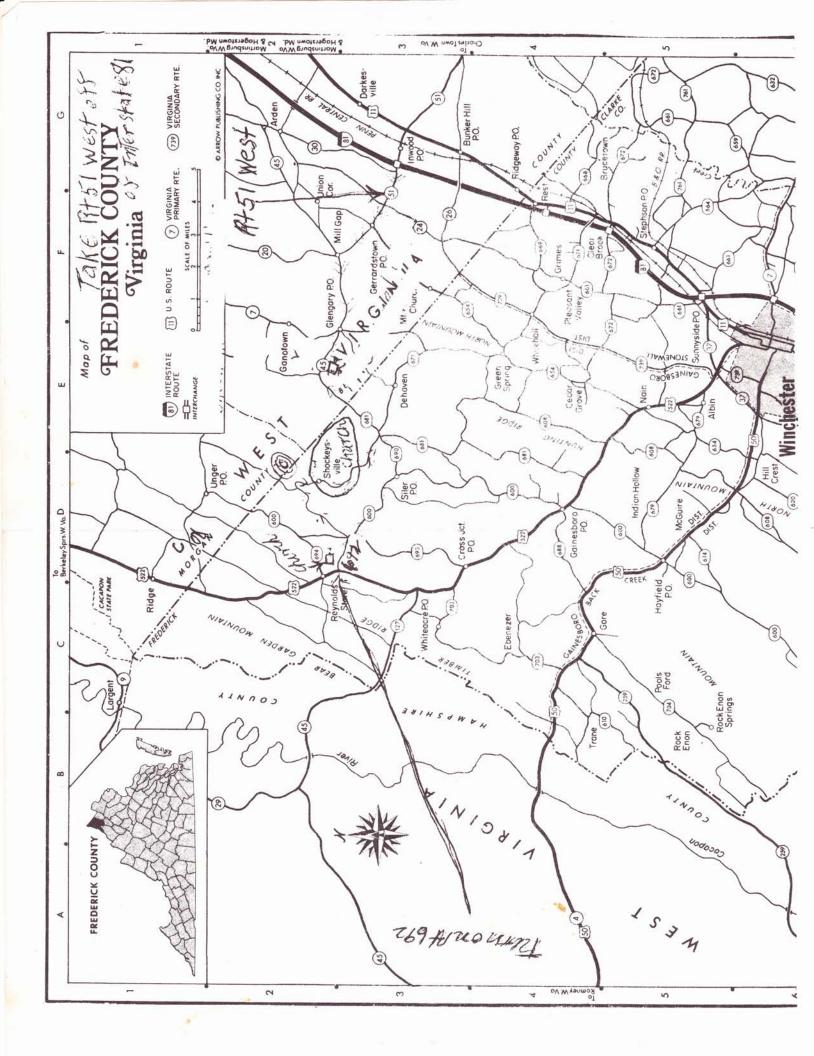
We wish to express our sincere thanks to each of you who purchased a set or more of the Shockey History and Genealogy books. After you examine them we would appreciate your comments. If you have any additions or corrections, be sure they are valid, give volume number, page number and name and number of the person. If you have additions or some that are not listed, use the Genealogy form enclosed. If you need more than one form you can make copies of the enclosed form.

Some of you wrote and said you could not afford a set of books at this time and many others did not order a set. This being true and realizing that every Shockey family and their decendents should have a set for the future generations we ordered more than enough to fill the present orders. We have on hand 175 sets that can be purchased on your terms. An order form is enclosed. Comments we have received up to this time are "thanks", "a great job", "we don't see how you did it", "they are wonderful"

We want to thank those who gave their state tax refund to the Shockeysville, Virginia Church. A check No. 2950 dated 11 November 1981 in the amount of \$540.10 was sent to Scott Luttrell, Treasurer. We also wish to especially thank the one who added a personal check for \$25.00.

If we have not answered your letters it is because we were so busy getting the books out plus our work here at home. We will get caought up eventually.

The 1981 Shockey Reunion was held on Sunday 5 July at War Memorial Park, Martinsburg, West Virginia. The weather was absolutely perfect! We had good attendance with one couple from Kihei, Maui, Hawaii. Our honored guest, Mrs Harriett Shockey Robbins arrived from California in a Camper bringing a lot of her family with her. It was an honor and a great pleasure for all of us to meet her. We are sorry that Harrison G. Shockey of Mabie, West Virginia was too ill to attend and that Rostella B. Shockey Mason (Aunt Bee) died on 4 March 1981. All of them received honorable mention and John Charles Shockey remembered them in his welcome address and prayer. We then enjoyed a bountiful dinner which was provided by all. After the dinner Ralph Shockey spoke about the Shockey History and Genealogy books and we took orders from those who wished to purchase a set. Everyone must have had a lovely time, for it showed on their faces. Each wanted to meet those they had never met before and those they had not seen in a long time. It was after six o'clock before most of us left.



The following is a list of those who attended and signed the guest register. Not everyone signed.

The Misses Ruth, Nora and Olive Shockey of Marion, Indiana, Richard & Ethel Shockey, El Reno, Oklahoma, Patricia A Baker, Wabash Indiana, Bryan M & Nadeen Shockey, Morrow, Ohio, Dick & Ardella Stafford, Ukiah, California, Harriett Shockey Robbins, Ukiah, California, John D. and Olive Hoagland , Temple, Pa., Louis Haydon Shockey, Sweet Home, Oregon, James E. Campbell, Ironton, Ohio, Paul & Agnes Krupa, Carneys Point, New Jersey, Mr & Mrs Alex C. Markley, Andover Ohio, Verna Shockey, Malvern, Arkansas, Paul & Donna Porter , Denver, Colorado, Leroy, Jewel & Dena Crocker, Florissant, Missouri, Dora Karikhoff of Buckhannon, W. Va., Grace E. Harris, Buckhannon, W. Va., Dorothy Cast, Buckhannon, W. Va., Jennifer Karickhoff, Davidson, Michigan, Johnny & Carol Shockey, Benton, Arkansas, Neil Key, Malvern, Arkansas, Capt. Daniel & Dottie Shockey, Beaverdam, Va., Erma L. Race, Vestaburg, Michigan, Mary S. Gilliam, Centerville, Ohio, Martha Bettker, Centerville, Ohio, Leonard W. Shockey, Miamisburg, Ohio, Melody Leonard, Hedgesville, W. Va., Mr. & Mrs Ray Phares, Montrose, W. Va., Glen & Janice Leonard, Hedgesville, W. Va., Ted & Aurelia Sellman, Fairfax, Va., Denise Shockey, Malri, W. Va., Neal & Edna Shockey, Mabie, W. Va., Rick Bradley, Coalton, W. Va., Judy Shockey, Roanoke, Va., Francis & Margaret Shockey, Copper Hill, Va., Harold & Violet Shockey, Erma & George Shockey, Eric Shockey, Kathleen Findley, Belington, W. Va., Sandie, John & Wendy. Stalnaker, Kent, Ohio, Norma Jean Miller, Akron, Ohio, John D. & Helen Shockey, Vienna, W. Va., Carl E. Shockey, Vienna, W. Va., Bill & Wilma Shockey, Mineral Wells, W. Va., Evie S. Robertson, Roanoke, Va., Gayle Kent, Radford, Va., Richard & Jane Moler, Charlestown, W. Va., Donald & Rita Shockey, Bedford, Texas, Edward & Georgia Shockey, Severna Park, Md., John & Jane Shockey, Yardley, Pa., James Shockey, State College, Pa., Evelyn L. Shockey, Washington, D.C. Huston Jr., Manon, Peter, Christine & Suzanne Shockey of Annapolis, Md., Mr. & Mrs Heen, Kihei, Maui, Hawaii, Jacob & Rose Shockey, daughters Regina & Maria, Granddaughter Stacy, Baltimore, Md., Martha L. Thornhill, West Des Moines, Iowa, Michael S. Thornhill, San Diego, Calif., Roy & Gaynelle Kent, Virginia Beach, Va., Merle W. Shockey, Severna Park, Md., Kenneth Ellis, Hedgesville, W. Va., Joy & Ruth Lower, Mt. Ranier, Md., Paul & Sue Shockey, Oakland, Md., Marling & Alice Shockey, Myersdale, Pa., Robert L. & Virture Clopper, Smithsburg, Md. I am sure there were some who did not sign.

The 1982 Shockey Reunion will be held at Shockeysville, Virginia on Sunday 4 July 1981. There will be services at the church at 9:00 oclock. If you can plan to attend, you will be welcomed. Last year the attendance to the reunion was great, let us make this one bigger and better. Bring a picnic lunch and we will put it all together family style. This seems to work better than any other way since some have to come such a long distance and don't have a chance to prepare a complete lunch. There is always plenty for all!

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NEWS BRIEFS

The Canadian Shockeys will hold their reunion of Saturday 3 July 1982 at Vanscoy, Saskatchewan, Canada on Highway #7. For further information write Elmer Shocley, Box 202, Vanscoy, Saskatchewan, Canada SOL3JO. Phone 668-2048, or Dale Shockey, 1118 14th St., Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, CanadaS7H0A3, phone 652-8594. We have met these people. They are wonderful and we highly recommend their reunion.

The Myersdale, Pennsylvania Shockey Reunion Committee has requested that I invite you to come to their reunion. They are the decendents of Christian Shockey. For further information contact Althea Shockey Hoke, 230 North St., Myersdale, Pa., 15552.

The Peter Shockey reunion is held in Bastrop, Louisiana. For information write Lucian Shockey, PO Box 146, Mer Rough, La., 71261.

The Benjamin Shockey Reunion is held in Waynesboro, Pa. For further information contact Virture Shockey Clopper, Rt. 3, Mox 44, Smithsburg, Md.,

Marie and I have attended these reunions and highly recommend that you do the same if at all possible.

DEATHS

<u>Georgia Frances Shockey</u>, daughter of George Franklin Shockey Sr. and Dollie Vira Hayford died 15 August 1981. Ref. Vol. 2, page 949.

John Everett Shockey son of Benjamin Franklin Shockey and Ida Bell Mc Gothline of Ravenswood, W. Va., died 28 April 1972. Ref. Vol 2, page 766.

Harrison G. Shockey, son of Ira B. Shockey and Missouri Currence of Mabie, W. Va., died 10 October 1981. Ref. Vol. 2, page 882.

__Richard Levi Shockey, El Reno, Oklahoma, son of Henry A. Shockey and Anna Rebecca Provard, died 9 November 1981. Ref. Vol. 1, page 48.

<u>David William Shockey</u>, Parkersburg, W. Va., son of William Brown Shockey and Elizabeth Prudence Corder, died 26 November, 1981. Ref. Vol. 1, page 302.

<u>Rostella Brunaugh Shockey</u>, Martinsburg, W. Va., daughter of Rev. John A. Shockey and Florence Shockey died 4 March 1981. Ref. Vol. 1, page 221. Rostella Shockey was known to all as Aunt Bee

Alex Clay Markley, Andover, Ohio, son of Dorsey Delbert Markley and Velva Lee Wilmoth died 9 September 1981. Ref. Vol. 2, page 799.

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Susie May Shockey of Grant Co., Indiana, daughter of Thurman Shockey and Mary Alice Lloyd, died 10 December 1980. Ref. Vol. 1, page 719.

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Lucian Shockey, son of Grover Shockey and Fanny Hensley died 1 March 1980. (Needs to be identified and more information given.)

MARRIAGES

Marylin S. Miller, daughter of the above Susie May Shockey and Otis Burr Miller, Married Joe Ze Belle (no date given). They have a daughter, Susanna Mary Jane Ze Belle, born 19 July 1980. Ref. Vol. 1, page 719.

BIRTHS

Laura Mae Jones writes: I have a new grand child, Kevin Derrick Jones born 15 December 1980 and a new great grand child, Trinity Daye Pozek, born July 31, 1981, Brandie Lee Shaneyfelt, born 16 April 1980, Zenji James Pozek born 28 Nov. 1979, and Jonas C. Pozek born 3 Dec. 1979. Ref. Vol. 1 page 591.

CORRECTIONS

A correction in the Shockey History and Genealogy book, Vol. 2, page 994. Number 9.3.1.9.6.2. Velva Mae Shockey Whaley. She is very much alive! It is her husband who died 4 September 1970.

Mr. Scott Luttrell, treasurer of the Shockeysville, Virgimia Church has been trying to get Shockeysville, Virginia site and the Church put on the Historical Register. So far he has had no success. If you would please sign one of the following letters and add your address and send it to Mr. Scott Luttrell, Treasurer of Shockeysville Church, Rt. 2, Box 138 Stephenson, Va.,' 22656, it could possibly help.

Dear Mr. Luttrell:

We would appreciate any effort that you can make in our behalf to put Shockeysville, Virginia Site and Church on the historical Register. We have never seen Shockeysville, but from the history of it, we plan to do so in the near future. We would like to see it preserved for future generations.

Sincerely,

Dear Mr. Luttrell:

We would appreciate any effort that you can do in our behalf to put Shockeysville, Virginia site and Church on the Historical Register. We have visited Shockeysville, Virginia and the Church. We hope to do so again in the near future. We would like to see it preserved for future generations.

Sincerely,

To order your Shockey Histor and Genealogy books:

Date______Number of sets______ of Volumes 1 & 2 Cost Per Set \$75.00 Plus \$4.95 postage, insurance and packaging. Maryland residents add 5% sales tax. Total amount enclosed______. Check or Money Order Number ______ Terms to suit you at no extra charge. We will hold your books until full amount is paid before mailing.

NAME: ADDRESS: Telephone number

Signature

Ralph N. Shockey Marie F. Shockey 7907 Dance Hall Road Frederick, MD 21701

> Leonard Shockey Rt. 1, Box 358 Titusville, Fla 32780

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