

Flavius A. Leightey - Cleo Gervin - Harry Gleim

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 Shambaugh - my
 hope!*

Hurrah! for the Shambaugh! They are all going to be, we hope, in Wabash, Ind., Sept. 1, 1968 for the National Shambaugh Families Annual Reunion. We had a grand time at Upper Sandusky in 1967, but, lets all plan together to make this 1968 gathering of the Shambaughs the BEST yet, in attendance, in our fellowship together meeting new faces, as well as the more regular attenders.

Tell other Shambaughs that may not be getting the N-L to come too. Lets make it a big family day. Especially all of you Indiana Shambaughs, this is your BIG chance to attend your National Reunion with your families.

Your personal INVITATION from your Reunion President at Wabash, and an urging for all of you Shambaughs to COME follows:

Motel reservations, for the reunion, should be sent to me by August 20, Rockview Motel, on State Rd 15 at the South edge of Wabash.

Rates: 1 person - \$7.00, 2 persons, 1 bed - \$8.00, 2 persons, 2 beds - \$10.00, 3 persons, 2 beds - \$12.00, 4 persons, 2 beds - \$14.00.

A "Cook Out" for those coming from out of town will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Shambaugh, Saturday evening, whenever you get there.

We live 4 miles south of Wabash on State Rd. 15 to State Rd. 124, east (left) to 1st house on north (left) side of road.

The reunion will be in the Wabash City Park, on West Main Street. As you come into Wabash on either State Rd. 15 or 13 you will cross Main Street. (Watch for the Shambaugh signs.)

A basket dinner will be held at 12:00 Noon Eastern Standard Time. Bring your own table service, please. Ham, coffee and a cool drink will be furnished.

John Howard Shambaugh, Pres., R.#3, Wabash, Ind., wife Phyllis Shambaugh, Sec'y.

P.S. This is the time for your annual dues to S.I., also, if you want a Shambaugh Crest, write to Dr. Gordon Shambaugh, 1216-41st St., Des Moines, Iowa 50311

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Elma Ross of Arlington, Iowa 50606, Box 116, sent us an invitation to the Shambaugh - Derflinger Branch of the Barrow Family, which was held July 28, in the Arlington Park. The 47th reunion.

(Note - Send us a report, Elma, of your reunion for the next N-L.)

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GEORGE SHAMBACH SR. OF BUCKS COUNTY, PENN. AND OF VIRGINIA: Continuing from News-Letter #96 and #97 - 1968.

By Mrs. Cleo S. Gervin, P. O. Box 347, Gatlinburg, Tenn. 37738

First a correction in my second article in N-L #97. On page 1 (3/4 way down) in the 3rd generation of the Boehm Family under Anton Wilhelm, the third line should read: Great great great grandparents of Capt. Robert R. Rhoad - instead of parents! This is my mistake - not Flavius! I'm Sorry!

Now for the inevitable summing up: Showing why I believe my great great great grandfather, George Shambach, Sr., was the son of Adolph Shambach and his second wife, Anna Dorothy, who came from Germany in 1729. George was possibly born in 1718 and was too young to be registered--the age for registering I have noted was 16 years. (I will try, where possible, to give the Shambaugh spellings as spelled in records, etc.) An Elizabeth was also registered on the same boat.

From Adolph Shambach's will, which was made on August 26, 1749, he states that his second wife, Anna Dorothy, issued four children. As no other children are mentioned we must assume there were no children by the first wife, neither do we have any record of her. The following children are named in the will: Elizabeth, John George, Valentine and Catherine, who was evidently unmarried. Elizabeth who must have been older than John George, was married to Jacob Yost and they had three children--this was mentioned in the will. Also, since Elizabeth married in 1732, seven years before George married.

Adolph must have been in his last illness when he made his will, but I do not know the date of his death, but it had to be between August 1749 and November 1750. I have a copy of this will and it was on record November 3, 1750. It was "Translated from the original in high German." The fact that Valentine, the younger son, was chosen to administer the estate instead of the older son as was done in most cases, I believe, is one of my reasons for believing that George was in Germany at the time the will was made. He returned (?) in September, possibly after his father had died.

George Shambach's father-in-law (as I firmly believe, from several records which I have) the Rev. Johann Philip Boehm, had died on April 29, 1749 in Hellenstown, Pa. It is possible that George may have gone to Germany about business of his estate, but I doubt this as Rev. Boehm had been in America many years before Adolph arrived. I think George went about his own father's business!

There is a family tradition that the father of Valentine Shambough seemed to be quite wealthy—that all his money was in gold and that after his death there was no more gold, which would indicate that he was receiving gold from some source. The ancestor of our line was supposed to have been a soldier stationed on the Rhine River. Could the gold have been a pension?

From the book, which I have, "The Schoolhouse Near the Old Spring", by Andrew S. Berk, a history of the Union School and Church Association of Dillingersville, Pa., which is located now in Upper Milford Township, Lehigh County, Penn., but was at first in Bucks County, Penn. I find on page 120 the following: In the year 1750, the 21st. of May that #45—Johann Heinrich Hartwick, servant for Jurg (George) Shambach was admitted to Holy Communion.

George Shambach, (a) weaver, of Upper Milford Township, Bucks County, Penn. was married to Elizabeth Boehm, daughter of Rev. Philip Boehm, on Dec. 27, 1739. George Shambach was not listed as a member of the Dillingersville Church, but records of the family were in churches in the area.

In searching for the arrival of Johann Heinrich Hartwick, servant of George Shambach, from Germany it was found that he arrived in September 1749! This seems quite evident that his boat passage fare from Germany may have been paid by George Shambach, who also was as I think, returning in September from Germany. Perhaps Hartwick remained a servant of George Shambach only until he had repaid his passage money. That is not known. The foregoing proves to me that it was our George who went back to Germany in 1749 for some reason.

That it was our George Shambach who married Elizabeth Boehm on Dec. 27, 1739 seems very positive from our many records - also given names in our family are the same as those of the Boehm family. Records give the second wife of George Shambach as Isabella Von Fossen, who was the sister of Valentine's wife, Agnes Van Fossen Shambough. Isabella and Agnes were both mentioned in their father's will. Also our George and Valentine were in the same churches in one or more records. George and Isabella must not have had children.

There is no doubt whatever of the foregoing in my mind and so very much to substantiate it, but I am sorry that up to this date I cannot give you exact proof of some of my reasonings! You will have to take the unproven part and, as I trust, believe in it until such time as it might all be proved or disproved. For my part it shall all be included in my own family history, but with question marks showing that it is not positive!

I have many pages of records of the Boehm Family, which were photostated last year from the records of Lehigh County, Penn., which is in the library in Allentown, Pa. Many more records from Capt. Robert R. Rhoad and also from Boehm's Church in Montgomery County, Pa. Rev. Boehm gave the land whereon Boehm's Church stands from his farm at Bluebell, Pa. He is buried under the church. I was so thrilled to have attended church there on Sept. 10, 1967. The setting is quite lovely and peaceable. How I would liked to have hunted more old landmarks! Perhaps at some later date I may have something to add to this article, but for now I will stop.

DOUBLE FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS OF THE WABASH, INDIANA SHAMBAUGHS AND MY LINE By Cleo Shambaugh Gerwin

I have recently been asked by a member of the Wabash Shambaugh line to give her the double relationship between their line and mine and as the National Shambaugh Family Reunion is to be held in Wabash this year I thought an article in the News-Letter at this time might be of interest to some of the families in both groups. The information may be somewhat confusing, but I so hope that all can get the lines in order. If we had a copying machine for our News-Letter I would send a chart!

My great grandfather, John (perhaps John Philip) Shambaugh, the elder son of George Shambach, Jr., of Bucks County, Pa., Montgomery County, Union and finally Snyder County, Pa., had two brothers, John George and John Christian. John (Philip?) married Catherine Walter, daughter of Philip Walter. Their farm was the last stand of the Delaware Indians and was called Green Town. Shambaugh's Fort was on this farm. The location was three miles from Ferrysville, Ohio and Near Lucas, Ohio.

John George Shambaugh married Catherine Weirich. Their old stone house and farm was between Lucas and Ferrysville, Ohio. They gave the land for the Shambaugh School and Schmbaugh Cemetery. They were the ancestors of the Wabash Shambaughs. I will not give you any history of the brother John Christian Shambach (all his descendents in Snyder County spell their name this way) suffice it to say they intermarried into the same lines as did our group, marrying Weirichs, Walters, etc.

My grandfather George Shambaugh married Mary Ann Weirich, daughter of Henry Weirich and Catherine Spade Weirich, who lived very near John George and Catherine Weirich Shambaugh. Henry Weirich and Catherine Weirich Shambaugh were brother and sister.

Catherine Spade Weirich, wife of Henry Weirich, and Catherine Walter Shambaugh wife of John (Philip?) Shambaugh were first cousins. Their mothers were Salome and Eve Marie Bauersachs (now spelled Bowersox) respectively. They were daughters of Paul Bauersachs. Oh yes! Catherine Spade's father was George Spade.

Robert A. Cuning 993 West Cook Rd., Mansfield, Ohio 44906
GEORGE SHAMBAUGH, b. in Penn. about 1745; d. in Perry county, that State, 1827, a son of George Shambaugh, (Shambach?) a native of Germany, who emigrated to Penn.; had issues

1. George, b. in Perry county, Penn. 1787; removed to Rumley township, Harrison county, Ohio, 1817, where he d. Sept. 4, 1867; served in the War of 1812; m. in Penn. Mrs. Elizabeth Brown Wirt, a widow, b. 1777; d. about 1863; daughter of Michael Brown, of German descent; had issues: I. Philip; 2. Michael, b. in Perry county, June 18, 1811; d. March 20, 1863; settled in Rumley township; m. May 31, 1832, Hettie Hazlett, b. April 16, 1816; d. Oct. 22, 1884 (had issue: I. James, b. March 5, 1833; settled near New Rumley; II. Elizabeth, b. Aug. 1, 1834; d. in Iowa, March, 1864, m. Abraham Petroe; III. Mary-A., b. July 27, 1836; m. John W. Finnicum, of Rumley township; IV. Simon-B., b. Sept. 7, 1838; d. Oct. 14, 1873; V. Adam-H., b. Sept. 11, 1841; m. Mary Jane Scott, daughter of Samuel Scott, of Rumley township; VI. Charlotte, b. June 21, 1842; d. January, 1879; m. May, 1873, Peter Overholt, d. Feb. 1877; VII. Maria, b. Aug. 22, 1844; m. Aug. 3, 1871, Harvey L. Thompson, and settled in Archer township; VIII. Jan, b. Nov. 28, 1846; d. Oct. 30, 1867; IX. John, b. Oct. 13, 1848; m. Elizabeth Gutshall, daughter of Jacob Gutshall, and settled near Des Moines, Iowa; X. Philip, b. Feb. 18, 1851; m. March 15, 1881, Eliza Loretta Scott, of New Rumley, daughter of John A. and Eliza Bivington Scott; 3. George; 4. Margaret, m. Samuel Hazlett.

II. Jacob, served in the Revolutionary War

III. John

IV. Philip

V. Mary

VI. Barbara

VII. Catherine

FROM: Ohio Valley Genealogies; by Charles A. Hanna; Baltimore Genealogical Publishing Company 1968

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LeRoy and Madeline Shambach, R. #2, Middleburg, Pa. 17842

I have written a book of two hundred pages, titled, MY ANCESTORS and Genealogical History of the SHAMBACH FAMILY. It went to press May 27, 1968 and is scheduled to be completed and hard bound by August 1, 1968. Hope to have plenty of copies available to bring along to the National Shambaugh Reunion at Wabash, Ind. in September. I am hoping that I can sell the book for somewhere around six or seven dollars.

There will be pictures of the Shambachs, including one of Christian Shambach, of which I am most proud.

The book is primarily on the Christian Shambach descendants, who remained, or resided, or are now residing in Snyder County, or Central Penn., although it lists descendants of many states.

I called the Dr. Shambaughs of Des Moines, Iowa, Sunday May 26, and Madeline and I had a nice chat with the Dr. and His lovely wife Frances. Sure was nice hearing their sweet voices again. Then, later the same week, I called Mrs. Gervin (Cleo) and was just as thrilled to hear her voice again. Madeline and I are looking forward to again meeting all you wonderful people at the National Reunion at Wabash, Ind.

I have now found a place here in Snyder County, suitable to accommodate all the Shambaughs, for the National Reunion to be held, we hope, here in Pennsylvania in 1969. I will be happy to extend the invitation at our next Reunion, Sept. 1968.

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Mrs. Natalie Shambaugh, 2143 Elliott Ave. Toledo, Ohio 43606

I had the Asian flu, and was in from the middle of January to the middle of April

I have so enjoyed our Family News-Letter, best of luck, and keep up the wonderful work you do with the Family Letter.

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Sgt. Daniel E. Leightey, son of Wayne and Grace Leightey of near Upper Sandusky, Ohio returned from service in Viet Nam, Nov. 1967. Then was training others for service in Viet Nam, at Camp Polk, La., completing his service in May 1968. After a few days in Houston with his girl friend, and a visit with Katherine Trussell and Elsie Brehm, he returned home in June.

A family gathering at the home of Dennis and Drucilla (Leightey) Daulton last Sunday, Aug. 4, honoring her brother David, who is to enter the Navy on the 13th. It was also Drucilla's 6th wedding anniversary. David is another son of Wayne and Grace.

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Katherine Trussell and Elsie, 4709 Walker Ave. Houston, Texas, 77023

We've had one week's vacation, part of which was spent at the HemisFair. Then Master and the following Sunday we were in Austin to attend the funeral of a very dear friend. The next week was spent entertaining Elsie's Aunt from Corpus Christi. Another week-end to take her home. And so it has gone on - adinfinitum!

Elsie has a new grandchild - a little girl this time, for Ralf and Carleen. Elsie, by the way, is not a Shambaugh, but almost a life-long friend. It seems almost incredible that Mother (Lois Castleberry) has been gone 18 years and that Elsie has been with me almost that long.

This week-end, she visited her older son, Norbert, who, with his wife and two little boys, was in the process of moving into their beautiful custom-built home, located about 20 miles from here. Not far from NASA, where the astronauts train.

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Dr. G.E.G. and Frances Shambaugh, 1216-West 41st. St., Des Moines, Iowa 50311
Memos from Shambaugh International to the Shambaugh Families News-Letter--GIGS

We extend sympathy to Robert J. Shambaugh, 2746 Monroe, Toledo, Ohio, whose son Gregory was killed overseas on March 6, 1968. Gregory was reared and educated in Ann Arbor, Mich. He was married to Camilla Sue Ford, of Evansville, Ind., on May 6, 1967. They lived in Ann Arbor until he was sent to Viet Nam Dec. 13, 1967. Interment was in Ann Arbor, where his widow continues to make her home.

On July 28, 1968, I drove to Arlington, Iowa. Mrs. Elma Ross and Mrs. Bertha Knoerr reported a fine reunion that day. In the cool of the evening a visit was made to the local cemetery. The area was beautifully maintained. A great deal of Shambaugh history may be found in this location. Near the head waters of the Maquoketa River you will find the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shambaugh, Arlington, Iowa

As a family group, Frances, Gorda and GIGS had their first vacation together in seven years. We visited the Lions International Convention in Dallas, Texas, the Hemisfair at San Antonio and the Gulf Coast. The high point, of course, was our time spent in Houston where we enjoyed the superb hospitality of Katherine Trussell and Elsie Brehm and of our dear aunt Mrs. Scott Shambaugh.

SI is offering two books for sale at the annual meeting in Wabash, Ind. on Sept. 1, 1968. The titles of the books are "Benjamin Franklin Shambaugh, As Iowa Remembers Him, In Memoriam" and "Amana" by Bertha M.E. Shambaugh. The profit from the sale will be given to the Shambaugh Genealogical Fund.

Carrie Newlon Shambaugh, 93, of Winterset, Iowa, was born March 4, 1875 in Madison County and passed away June 29, 1968 at the Madison County Memorial Hospital. Her mother Lydia Ann Philbrick Newlon migrated here from Indiana in 1853, and her father, William Clark Newlon, came from Ohio about the same time, as pioneers to Winterset, Iowa.

Carrie had seven brothers and two sisters: Fred, who died in infancy, Charles, Frank, Edgar, Milo, George, Lida, Will and Mary, all have preceded her in death. On October 19, 1898 she was united in marriage to William E. Shambaugh of Booneville, Iowa. They lived on a farm south of Booneville where they reared their family of seven children: Dorothy Meyer of Winterset, Iowa; Russell Shambaugh of Lufkin, Texas; Mary Collins of Los Angeles, Calif.; Ralph Shambaugh of Webster City, Iowa; Phil Shambaugh of Los Angeles, Calif.; Robert Shambaugh of Toledo, Ohio; and Hubert Shambaugh of Glenrock, New Jersey.

Carrie was proud of her thirteen grandchildren and twenty three great grandchildren and one great great granddaughter. One grandson was recently killed in the service in Viet Nam.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1943 and soon after moved to Winterset. All of the family were active members in the United Brethern Church at Union Chapel. Since she moved to winterset, she attended the Methodist Church and enjoyed the Womens Associations.

Until the very end she was interested and alert to all news and activities of the community. On her 90th birthday in 1965 she wrote the following poem:

Age is a quality of mind,
If you have left your dreams behind,
If hope is cold
If you no longer look ahead,
If your ambitions fixed are dead,
Then you are old.

But if from life you take the best,
And if in life you keep the jest,
If love you hold
No matter how the years go by
No matter how the birthdays fly
You are not old.

Carrie Shambaugh

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Frank and Ethel Seeley, 516-20 S.E. Mason City, Iowa 50401
We plan to be at our local Shambaugh Reunion at Arlington, Iowa on July 28, there was real interest shown last year. We hope this interest will grow amongst the younger generation.

Our families will not be represented as well this year as our daughter Elizabeth and husband Derwin Myler will be in Calif. visiting their son and daughter-in-law and Mrs. Brian C. Myler and their son Franklin, born in Jan. 1968.

Our granddaughter, Barbara Myler of Cedar Falls, Iowa was married in January to Gary Rosauer (?) so we have two additions to the family to report - a grandson-in-law and a great grandson.

Ethel's brother Harry Gleim passed away May 18, in just 8 more days he would have been 80 years old.

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Our children, Clyde from Va., William from Minn. and Elizabeth from Spencer, Iowa came for the funerals - one at Boone, Iowa and one at Hardy, Nebr. where he was buried beside his first wife Jessie.

We left here June 5, flying to Farrum, Va. to our son Clyde's for the High School Graduation of their youngest daughter. This concluded the High School Graduations of our 6 grand children. We stayed for 3 weeks, while William took care of our house and plants. Our youngest grandson, Jerry Myler is in the Navy since March, and soon to be in Viet Nam.

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All of the Shambaugh's are grieved to learn of the death of Rev. Harry Gleim, 80, Saturday, May 18, 1968 at the Friendship Haven Health Center in Ft. Dodge, Iowa, where he resided since June, 1966.

Mr. Gleim was a Holstein Dairy Farmer, and served as secretary of the Holstein Breeders Ass'n. of Iowa. He also served 20 years as secretary of the YMCA in Ft. Dodge.

Rev. Gleim was associated with the Hayne (Haine?) Publishing Co. of Webster City, publisher of the Live Stock Journal, prior to graduating from Perkins Theological Seminary, Dallas, Texas. He was also a graduate of Iowa State University at Ames, Iowa.

Rev. Gleim served churches in Nebr. and Iowa until his retirement in 1965.

He was married to the former Jessie Simpson of Arlington, Iowa, following her death, he remarried to the former Ina Kreamer of Gowrie, who still resides at Friendship Haven. Surviving besides his widow is a sister, Mrs. Frank (Ethel) Seelley of Mason City, and a step daughter, Mrs. Harlan (Winifred) Weeks of Boone, Iowa. Burial was in Hardy, Nebr.

The first services were held on Tuesday at Boone, Iowa at the Stark-Welin Chapel with the Dr. Carl M. Wilson of the Methodist Church officiating. Then on Wednesday final services were held in the Methodist Church in Hardy, Nebr., where he is buried.

Mr. Gleim was one of the organizers of our National Shambaugh Reunion, along with Lois Castleberry and Cleo Gervin and others. He was the first editor of our Shambaugh Families News-Letter from 1940 to 1949, with Lois and Cleo on the staff, each doing much research work.

Hopefully this history may sometime be published and stand as a Memorial to Rev. Gleim and others who so faithfully worked for the Shambaugh Family Genealogy and History.

Editors note - Harry and wife Jessie have been with us at times in our home, also later, with his wife Ina. We visited with Harry and Jessie when he was minister in Hardy, while on our way to Texas for a visit with cousins Lois Castleberry and Katherine in Houston.

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Mrs. Ethel Dome, 83, of Ada, Ohio and a former resident of Upper Sandusky, died in Lima Memorial Hospital after an extended illness.

Born Dec. 21, 1884 in Wyandot County, she was a daughter of Charles and Mary (Shambaugh) Trautwein. She married Earl Dome in 1910 and he preceded her in death in 1959.

Surviving are daughters, Mrs. Dorothea Ayers, Bellevue; Mrs. Alice Hanline, Plymouth; a son, Dwight, Lima; brothers, Burton Trautwein, Marseilles; and Arthur Trautwein, Upper Sandusky; a sister, Mrs. Earl Ulrich, Upper Sandusky; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Dome was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Ada.

Funeral services were held from the Preston Funeral Home in Ada. The Rev. Marion Tinsler officiated. Burial was in Oak Hill Cemetery in Upper Sandusky.

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Madge Mundis, 210 Winn St., Alexandria, La. 71301

In April I had two very hard falls on the concrete sidewalk. Didn't break any bones for which I was thankful but it has made me very nervous and I'm afraid to go out by myself for fear of falling.

I was 80 years old June 9th. (Congratulations Madge! May the years ahead be good ones for you.) My doctor says my general health is fine.

So far we have had a pleasant summer, in the morning so cool I would like a fire, but gets warm in the afternoons.

I know you are looking forward to the Reunion. I'm sure I would enjoy it.

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Mrs. Ulla Kirkland, 138 E. Esther St., Orlando, Fla. 32807

Sue Lynn Shambaugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Raymond Shambaugh, Key Biscayne, became the bride of John Woodside Girvin III, Winter Garden, June 29 in St. Christophers by the Sea Episcopal Church, Key Biscayne.

The bride's aunt, Mrs. Travers Nelson, Lakeland, served as matron of honor.

The bridegroom's father was his best man. Ushers were all brothers of the bridegroom; Ralph, Douglas and Steve Girvin.

Following a wedding trip through Florida and Texas, the couple will live in Key Biscayne.

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Mrs. Edward (Pearle) Shambaugh, 210 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. Summit, Greenville, Mich. 48838
Sent your editor a picture of our 101 year old youngster of our Shambaugh families
which was very much appreciated. (N-L #97 page two)

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Dale and Gladys Shambaugh, 462 $\frac{1}{2}$ So. Sandusky Ave., Upper Sandusky, Ohio 43351
We took California Zephyr to Sacramento California then to Reno, Nevada. Visited
Lake Tahoe and the Ponderosa. From there to San Francisco, to attend the Millian
Dollar Round Table. Spent one week there and then flew home.
Dale also took a trip to Montserrat the past week for business reasons.

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The following Leightey families go vacationing.

Wayne and Grace Leightey, with sons Sgt. Daniel, and Douglas, motored to Houston
Texas from July 18-23 to be present at a wedding ceremony of one of Dan's trainees
at Camp Polk, La. Also visiting other friends in Houston.

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Harvey and Rita (Leightey) Stansbery with son Russell vacationed from July 26
to Aug. 1 in Kentucky, seeing the Mammoth Cave, Reptile Gardens, Lakes and other
scenic attractions.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leightey, 437 So. Seventh St., Upper Sandusky, Ohio 43351
We spent a week camping in Algonquin Park or Algonquin Highlands, Ontario, Canada.
There were 20 in our group, three sons and their families and a fourth son, also
a daughter and her 2 sons. In spite of rain and colder weather arriving with us,
we enjoyed the trip and camping very much. It is a primitive section and they are
trying to keep it that way. There is 36 miles of road through the park, the rest of
the park accessible by hiking or canoes. The winters get down to 30 degrees below
zero making it intolerable to poison ivy or rattle snakes.

There are many beaver in the park and we seen their dams and lodges and ponds.
A guide told us it was impossible to repair a dam as successfully as a beaver could.
We seen bears, deer and many chipmunk, to the delight of the children. We attended
open air church and nature movies and narrated film. We went through the museum and
a logging exhibit which was very interesting about the past operations in the park.
There are still logging companies but not open to the public.

We come back with memories of hiking, fishing, swimming, sight seeing, and a
good time had by all.

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Snider, 1.--,

LETTERS RETURNED!! Harley Shambaugh, Ariz. - P. W. Shambaugh, R. I. -- Ralph
Shambaugh, Iowa.

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Hoping 2 C U ALL in Wabash Sept. 1st.. So until then- "HAPPY PACKING" in that
old kit bag.

OMITTED in Dome obituary clipping -- page five
Deceased are - two sisters, Clara and Velma wife of Ira Stoneburner, and two
brothers, Floyd and Ruy Trautwein.

DON'T FORGET to send in, or bring your Shambaugh news items to the Reunion.