

Twenty-first Annual Reunion

KOLB-KULP-CULP FAMILY

East Greenville Park

Sunday, September 12, 1948



KULP COAT OF ARMS
1578

"PEACE"—one of the greatest gifts to mankind. Today the whole world is vaguely in search for it. Almost two thousand years ago "Peace on Earth and Good-will to Men" was proclaimed from the Heavens; a manifestation of FAITH, HOPE and LOVE. Humanity must truly believe in these holy principles or suffer the consequence—"World Conflicts."

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PROGRAM

Two O'clock Daylight Time

- OPENING REMARKS President Homer C. Kulp
"REUNION DAY SONG" By the Assembly
(Directed by Mr. Floyd B. Kulp, Lansdale, Pa.)
INVOCATION REV. FRANK KULP
Pastor, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Applebachsville, Pa.
APPOINTMENT OF A NOMINATING COMMITTEE
REPORT OF THE HISTORY COMMITTEE . . . A. Moyer Kulp, Norristown, Pa.
LANSDALE COMMUNITY CHORUS, GROUP 1
 "Where'er You Walk" (From "Semele") *Handel*
 "Bow Down Thine Ear, O Lord" *Morgan*
 "Now Thank We All Our God" *Arr. Mueller*
 "A Mighty Fortress is Our God" *Arr. Mueller*
REPORT OF THE TREASURER Warren K. Schlotterer, Rahns, Pa.
REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE
ELECTION OF OFFICERS
CORNET SOLO Gerald H. Kriebel, Hatfield, Pa.
 a. "Grand Russian Fantasia" *Levy*
 b. "Holy City" *Adams*

OFFERING

TRIBUTE TO DECEASED MEMBERS BY

REV. JOHN C. KULP

Pastor, Neshaminy Methodist Church, Hulmeville, Pa.

(All Arising) Taps will be sung by C. Daniel Richard, Jr., followed with the echo sounded by Bugler Ben Richard, brothers, of Schwenksville, Pa.

ADDRESS Rev. Grant H. Seidel
Pastor, Trinity Evangelical Congregational Church, Royersford, Pa.

HYMN—"Faith of Our Fathers and Mothers" By the Assembly

AWARDING OF PRIZES President Homer C. Kulp

LANSDALE COMMUNITY CHORUS, GROUP 2

 "Joshua Fit de Battle ob Jerico" *Arr. Cain*
 "Set Down, Servant" *Arr. Shaw*
 "Onward, Christian Soldiers" *Arr. Simeone*
 "Hallelujah Chorus" *Handel*

(Accompanied by String Quartette)

PRAYER AND BENEDICTION Rev. Henry M. Johnson
Pastor, Lower Skippack Mennonite Church

OUR GUEST SPEAKER



Rev. Grant H. Seidel

Rev. Grant H. Seidel, of Royersford, is a preacher of the Gospel and also a noted public speaker. He is endowed with a pleasing personality and his messages are filled with interest, wholesome humor and truths, which leave a lasting impression worthy of commendation.

IN MEMORIAM

Names Submitted to the Association

Name	Address	Died	Age
Mary Ann Shade	Telford, Pa.	August 8, 1947	75 years
Irene L. Fretz	Colmar, Pa.	Sept. 26, 1947	38 years
Richard B. Missimer	Conshohocken, Pa.	Sept. 28, 1947	
Elizabeth Hendricks	Lansdale, Pa.	Oct. 7, 1947	69 years
Maude C. Kulp	Reading, Pa.	Nov. 16, 1947	62 years
Katharine B. Godshall	Telford, Pa.	Dec. 19, 1947	77 years
William F. Kulp	Spring City, Pa.	Dec. 25, 1947	77 years
Mary D. Moyer	Harleysville, Pa.	Dec. 26, 1947	73 years
Augustus K. Kemmerer	Pottstown Landing, Pa.	Dec. 29, 1947	71 years
Irvin C. Kulp	Elroy, Pa.	Jan. 1, 1948	64 years
J. Oliver Yergey	Pottstown, Pa.	Jan. 5, 1948	62 years
Sallie S. Kulp	Souderton, Pa.	Jan. 9, 1948	69 years
Florence M. Kulp	Kulpsville, Pa.	Jan. 16, 1948	64 years
Sarah A. Hauck	Perkiomenville, Pa.	Jan. 29, 1948	89 years
Sue D. Fryer	Pottstown, Pa.	Feb. 12, 1948	63 years
Horace D. Kulp	Pottstown, Pa.	Feb. 26, 1948	36 years
Ulysses K. Kratz	Souderton, Pa.	March 31, 1948	78 years
Jennie A. Kulp	Lansdale, Pa.	April 6, 1948	74 years
Emma Kulp	Norristown, Pa.	May 3, 1948	74 years
Charles J. Weirman	Schwenksville, Pa.	May 3, 1948	77 years
Elizabeth Hartzell	Lansdale, Pa.	May 4, 1948	82 years
Wayne V. Kulp	Stowe, Pa.	May 24, 1948	20 years
Francis C. Kulp	Kulpsville, Pa.	May 26, 1948	71 years
Mark K. Lederach	Sanatoga, Pa.	June 30, 1948	55 years
Charles Kulp	Springtown, Pa.	July 14, 1948	65 years

"A journey's end is always best,
Death of all pilgrimages loveliest;
'Tis a happy birth in Paradise,
When a tired soul to Heaven flies."

OUR GUEST MUSICIANS

We again welcome the opportunity of having the Lansdale Community Chorus on our program. This is indeed a great pleasure. The fine rendition of musical selections by the Chorus at our gathering last year was so much enjoyed as to have their reappearance today requested. We wish to thank Mr. Richard Snyder, conductor, and every member of the Chorus for the fine response. Our appreciation and gratitude are also due to the Cornetist, Mr. Gerald H. Kriebel, for his fine addition to the program.

Reunion Day Song

Tune—"Is This The Crowning Day?"

1.

Happy-reunion day,
Glad day! Glad day!
God's own redeeming love
Sheds radiant light from above
In welcome to all today.

— Chorus —

Glad Day! Glad day!
This is reunion day;
Our ancestors came to this free
land,
For truth and right they deigned to
stand;
Glad day! Glad day!
This is reunion day.

2.

Friendly-reunion day,
Glad day! Glad day!
As we together meet;
Friendship and fellowship sweet
Are mingled with love today.

— Chorus —

3.

Glorious-reunion day,
Glad day! Glad day!
May we the past review;
Ancestors loyal and true,
Their mem-ries live on today.

— Chorus —

Sacred-reunion day,
Glad day! Glad day!
May the "Kulp" family live;
Honor and praise e'er to give
To "Him" who reigns on for aye.

— Chorus —

Arranged by W. K. Schlotterer, 1938

Faith of Our Fathers and Mothers

(Dedicatel to the Memory of the
Early Fore-Parents)

1.

Faith of Our Fathers, Living Still
In spite of dungeon, fire and sword;
O how our hearts beat high with joy,
Whenever we hear that glorious word.
Faith of Our Fathers, Conquering
Faith,
We will be true to Thee till death.

2.

Faith of Our Mothers, Living Still,
In deeds of love and service free;
We gladly pledge our strength, our all,
And humbly own our debt to Thee.
Faith of Our Mothers, Living Faith,
We will be true to Thee till death.

3.

Faith of Our Fathers, Living Still,
To win all Nations unto Thee;
And through the truth that comes
from God,
Mankind shall then indeed be free.
Faith in Our Fathers, Holy Faith,
We will be true to Thee till death.

4.

Faith of Our Mothers, Living Still,
In all things beautiful and bright;
Yea, nobly did they do God's will,
And lived their lives as in His sight.
Faith of Our Mothers, Saving Faith,
We will be true to Thee till death.

5.

Faith of Our Fathers—Mothers, Still,
In words and truths that never die;
Thy sons and daughters ever dear,
Shall claim the Faith that brings God
nigh.

Firm in Our Fathers—Mothers, Faith,
Will keep us true to Thee till death.

Re-arranged by W. K. Schlotterer, 1936