

Wagner Gaining Support In All Parts of County

Local Man Being Actively Supported By All Opponents of Fine-Nicholson Group in Republican Party

G. Harold Wagner, candidate for Prothonotary from this, our Sixth district, is gaining strength in all parts of the county. In the southern end ways been strong. Mr. Wagner has this last week been spending a lot of time in his opponent's territory—Hazleton. There he was very enthusiastically received. Hazleton is not entirely foreign in population and the real American people in Hazleton as well as the other ends of the county want an American in the office of prothonotary. Wagner is an enthusiastic, red-blooded American. He is entirely conversant with affairs in the court house and has received the most hearty support of American Legion Posts of the county.

It has been claimed in some sections that Mr. Wagner does not have the support of the Republican party. That is not the truth. Mr. Wagner does not have the support of all the Fine-Nicholson faction, but he does have the support of the two other wings as well as a large portion of so-called Fine-Nicholson following.

Mr. Wagner gains a tremendous support in Plymouth. He has a legion of personal friends in Plymouth and in addition a very strong group which respects some of the MUSSOLINI tactics of the Fine-Nicholson group.

It is true that Wagner has served his county for several years. But it is equally true that his positions and work have consisted of real genuine service and not just plums. There is not a citizen who would venture the statement other than that he has faithfully performed his duties. Recently he has been employed by the State of Pennsylvania with four deputies for the appraisal of inheritance taxes. In this position he has rendered valuable service, both to the State and to the citizens of Luzerne county. Through his speedy dispatch of appraisals he has saved the inheritance taxpayers thousands of dollars of expenses. Such service merits recognition. Wagner has received plenty of it from the Auditor General of the State.

Mr. Wagner has been and is one of the most loyal workers in the Republican party. His candidacy for Prothonotary is not a matter of political ambition. The office carries a tremendous responsibility. There are four hundred employees in this office. The remuneration does not begin to compare with added responsibility. His candidacy can better be termed as representing the really loyal group of the party which aims to keep the party as the voice of party voters rather than the petty wishes of two or three who have a tendency to become drunk with power. Wagner's candidacy is most timely. Support him actively and stand four-square in an alliance to demand those activities in the Republican party which are strictly American. Above all, place an American in the position of Prothonotary.

BOROUGH AUDIT

WILL BE OUT SOON

Dallas taxpayers are very anxiously awaiting the long overdue audits of both the borough and school finances. The auditors have a mountainous task before them because they have not submitted audits of anything for the years 1926, 1927 or 1928. The borough council wants the audit, the school board wants it, the auditors themselves want it out of the way, and most certainly the taxpayers want and are entitled to know how their money is being spent. Every citizen should know the financial condition of both its borough and school. If the taxpayers can be patient a little longer the auditors will, they believe, have the six audits completed very soon.

ICE CREAM TRUCKS CAUSE DEER DEATHS

Harrisburg, July 27—Salt thrown from trucks carrying ice cream is proving a menace to the deer in some sections of the State, according to reports reaching the State Commission. An investigation after eight deer had been killed by autoists at one spot in the Pocono mountains revealed that the driver of a truck loaded with ice cream had dumped salt along the road. Drivers of the trucks are being asked by game protectors to dispose of the salt at places where deer will not be attracted by it to the road.

Dry Weather Felt By Most Crops of State

Drought Continues With Little Hope For Heavy Rainfall in Near Future

A few heavy local rains during the week, but the rainfall at most places was very light and some localities received none. Heavy general rains are badly needed as the drought is doing considerable damage in a large portion of the State. A destructive hailstorm covered a large portion of Juniata county. The temperatures were mostly below the normal with near frost conditions at several places on the morning of the 16th. Conditions on the whole were favorable for field work, and were excellent for hay and oats harvest, and good progress was made. Corn is tasseling rapidly in the central and southern counties, and has not shown much effects of the drought. It seems generally to be about an average crop. Wheat threshing is getting well under way, and many of our correspondents report that yields are disappointing. The grain heads are generally large, but it seems that in many places they are not well filled and the yields are only fair. In some sections the yields are above the average. Some fields are so short in straw that the grain cannot be cut with a binder, and must be handled with a mower and rake.

The crop as a whole is considerably below the average. Pastures and meadows are needing rain in nearly all parts of the State, and are turning brown in some sections. The second cutting of alfalfa has suffered least from the drought and is generally fair to good. Potatoes are mostly good but needing rain. The beetles continue to be numerous and general spraying is necessary for their control. Blight has appeared in several regions and seems to be spreading rapidly. The early potatoes are generally yielding well and of good quality. Truck crops are fair to good. The Mexican bean beetle has appeared in many places and is doing considerable damage. Orchard fruits, especially apples, continue dropping from the trees and the general outlook is for light returns.

TANNERY AT NOXEN ON FULL TIME SCHEDULE

The plant of the J. K. Mosser Tanning Company at Noxen will soon be working on a full time schedule with finished sole leather being turned out at capacity production.

Although the tannery has been working on a good schedule during the summer months, production is now being increased. New shipments of hides are being received daily and placed in the vats. It will take some time before the plant will be working at full capacity because it takes several months for the hides to run through the plant and increased work in each department is a progressive affair.

BABY CLINIC TO OPEN

After a long vacation the Dallas Baby Clinic will be reopened on Thursday, August 1, at 1:30 p. m., in the Dallas M. E. Church. Miss May, R. N., will be in charge.

Revamped Team Meets Luzerne Reds On Sunday

Independents Strengthen Team With Many of the Best Players in This Section of the County

What promises to be one of the best baseball games played here this season will be played on the new Dallas athletic field on Sunday afternoon when the Dallas Independents meet the Luzerne Reds under the management of William Thomas of Luzerne.

The Dallas team has been entirely revamped for the game and many new faces will appear in the lineup, among them many of the best known players in this section of the State.

In the past few weeks the Dallas Independents have been severely criticized for playing slow baseball and inferior teams. When first class teams came here to play the local boys the result has been an easy games for the visitors with Dallas coming out on the short end of the score. This week's game should be different.

The reorganized Dallas Independents will have such men as Lewis Hackling of Noxen, who will catch; Bob MacDougal of Beaumont, who will play second base, and Bert Stitzer of Shavertown, who will play third base. Tommy Reese will hold down the centerfield position. Add to this list several of the local boys who have been playing good ball with the Independents and a winning outfit will represent Dallas on the field this Sunday.

The lineup as it now appears will be as follows: Lewis Hackling, catcher; Peyton Lee, pitcher; Addison Woolbert, first base; Robert MacDougal, second base; William LaBar, shortstop; Bert Stitzer, third base; Thomas Reese, centerfield, and Ted Wilson or Abie Winters, left field.

Pretty Wedding Celebrated At Sweet Valley

Mildred Morris Becomes Bride of Fred Udyke At Ceremony in Christian Church

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the Christian Church of Sweet Valley on Tuesday afternoon when Miss Mildred Morris, charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morris, became the bride of Mr. Fred Udyke, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Udyke of Trucksville. The bride party entered the church to the strains of the "Bridal March" from Lohengrin, played by Miss Merle Naugle. Rev. Roland Udyke, brother of the groom, performed the beautiful ring ceremony. The bride, who was attended by her sister, Miss Florence Morris, was attired in a lovely dress of white crepe trimmed in lace and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas. The bridesmaid was dressed in pink and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Merritt Udyke. The church was prettily decorated in pink and white. After a wed-

Postal Route Returned Here

Removal of some of the trains on the Bowman's Creek branch of the Lehigh Valley Railroad curtailed mail service in the rural sections around Noxen and Alderson. Requests were made to Postmaster Mannear of Wilkes-Barre, who was able to secure a return of daily mail service.

COUNCIL MEETS; PLACES CONTRACTS

The regular meeting of the borough council was held Tuesday evening. Bids for the sidewalks in front of the Earl Monk and hotel properties were opened. Mr. Rood stated that the Dime Bank would take care of the latter place and the contract for the former was let to Frank Perrigo. Work is in progress.

It was decided that the enforcement of the milk ordinance recently passed was the duty of the borough health board.

KIWANIS CLUB ACTIVE

Dr. Alvin C. Goddard, executive secretary of the Commission on Peace, with headquarters in New York City, was the principal speaker at the Kiwanis meeting on Wednesday night. He took as his subject "International Cooperation."

Reports were made by the committee on visiting nurse and welfare worker. This work should be in full operation by September 1.

The next meeting of the Kiwanis will be held with the Dallas Rotary Club on July 31, at which time Councilor Strong of the Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce will speak.

On August 14 Kiwanis will make its annual trip to Camp Onawandah.

Noxen To Get Clay Products Industry Soon

\$100,000 Plant To Be Erected There To Manufacture Brick, Tile and Clay Products

With the purchase this week of the Hetteshelmer plot of land at Noxen, which contains valuable deposits of clay, it is expected that Noxen will soon have a new \$100,000 industry employing from fifty to one hundred men.

Consummation of negotiations was made this week after surveys had been run and drill holes run down in the clay beds. The purchase was made by Max Dattner and associates of Wilkes-Barre. On reliable information the Post is informed that machinery will be moved on the plot in the very near future.

The Hetteshelmer plot is located on the farm owned by Milton Hetteshelmer, which extends along Hettess Run up Schooley mountain. The plot comprises some twenty acres. Drill holes put down sometime ago reveal a depth of clay running from twenty to sixty feet.

The clay is excellent for commercial brick, tile and other clay products and is located comparatively close to switches of the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

It is expected that the new manufacturing plant, which will be located on the hillside near the deposits, will turn out all kinds of clay products and brick.

The purchase price of the plot has not been made public, although it is known that a number of manufacturers and companies have been interested in the deposits and have had their engineers and representatives on the ground to examine the clay and the extent of the deposit.

Rotary Club Visits Girl Scouts' Camp

Members and Wives Entertained At Dinner; Girls Give Three Playlets and Sing Songs

Members of Rotary and their wives spent a most enjoyable as well as instructional evening in Camp Onawandah on Thursday. There are 125 girls in the camp and each one of them as well as every councillor and the district, Miss Reese, were most courteous and charming hostesses. The guests were shown through the camp, inspected the water system, the bathing beach and were even invited to test the diving board. After "colors" a lovely dinner was served while the girls entertained with clever songs and whistling. Later three little playlets were given by the girls in the recreation hall.

The camp, which under the direction of the Welfare Federation, is well managed, sanitary in every way and the girls are not only well cared for physically, but personality is developed as well as ingenuity, initiative and self-reliance. The camp educates in a way no other institution can educate, and let no one doubt, the girls are a happy, happy bunch.

RUNAWAY ON MAIN STREET

Discourtesy on the highway shows just as poor a spirit as discourtesy in the home. An automobile cut into a hay wagon on Lake street Wednesday morning, frightening the horses so they started to run. Only by pulling them into a telephone pole was the driven able to stop them. Damage, delay and provocation were caused, all for a lack of consideration.

AUTOMOBILE UPSETS

James Oliver's Dodge sedan, driven by Earl Keithline, was upset over a stone wall about a half mile beyond West's Farm Wednesday afternoon. The car turned over twice, witnesses say, and did some damage to the top, body and glass. Mr. Keithline escaped without serious injury.

MORE TOWNS ADOPT THRU TRAFFIC PLAN

Harrisburg, July 27—Information received by Motor Vehicle Commissioner Benjamin B. Eynon is to the effect that Pennsylvania cities and boroughs continue to take advantage of the ruling permitting them to establish "Thru Highways" before entering which all vehicles must come to a complete stop.

"It is the modern way of handling traffic at intersections," said Mr. Eynon. "It not only enforces safety but it conserves the resources of motor car owners. Compulsory stops, enforced, though no traffic approaches on the cross streets, cause a loss of many dollars annually to those whose motors idle during unnecessary scores of minutes daily."

TO THE READERS OF THE DALLAS POST

The directors of the Dallas Post have taken a straight out and out stand for G. Harold Wagner for Prothonotary. The reason for this stand appeared in last week's editorial. It is generally known that Mr. Wagner has a financial interest in the Post, and because of his political activity usually writes the Post's political news. During the campaign, however, Mr. Wagner will be relieved of this comment by the directors. The political news items and editorials appearing in the Post for the next few weeks will be under the supervision of the other members of the staff.

L. A. McHENRY, President Board of Directors.

Return From Motor Tour of Eastern States

Party Also Visits Canada and Attends Postmaster Annual Convention at Warren

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Youngblood and Miss Ruth Waters from the Dallas postoffice and Mrs. Jane Lohman, the postmaster from Trucksville, have returned from a most interesting trip throughout the northeast.

They left Dallas to attend the State mail carriers' banquet at Warren, Pa. From there they drove to Buffalo and Niagara Falls, thence across the southern part of Canada to Montreal. The country was beautiful with acres and acres of heart cherry orchards. In Montreal they visited the Notre Dame and St. James' Cathedrals, each with a seating capacity of 13,000.

From there they went to Thousand Islands, where they enjoyed the usual boat trip. Then back into New York State to Ausable Chasms, through the Green Mountains of Vermont and the White Mountains of New Hampshire. They visited Portland, Maine, Old Orchard and the famous flying field, Hampton Beach, Providence, Boston and Hartford, then down the Hudson to West Point, Bear Mountain and the new bridge there and over the Storm King highway.

They visited the postoffices in many of the larger cities and in most of them received letters and news from the folks back home. Of all the postoffices the one at Providence, R. I., was outstandingly beautiful.

Traffic was a problem everywhere. But it was especially bad in Boston and Montreal, where it seemed everyone was for himself and bent on getting through the best way he could.

MISS FLORENCE WEINTZ ENTERTAINS AT PARTY

Miss Florence Weintz gave a party at her home in Meeker on Tuesday evening. Games and music were the achievements. Music was furnished by the Banta boys of Larksville.

At a late hour luncheon was served to the following: Ruth King, Ruth Karschner, Dorothy Karschner, Marion Weintz, Pearl Garnett, Florence Weintz, Harry Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth King, Mr. and Mrs. George Weintz of Meeker, Willard and Elmer Banta of Larksville, John Eroh and Thomas Nagle of Ashley, "Treve" King of Plymouth, Kitty Cessel of Washington, D. C., Mary Driscoll of Harveys' Lake.

FAST BEAUMONT TEAM PLAYS HERE NEXT WEEK

Next Saturday, August 3, Beaumont will be at Dallas, where one of the best games of the season is expected. With Beaumont will be such stars as Hackling, Case, Turner, MacDougal, Austin, Galley, Kromelbein and Story.

Dallas will use its regular lineup with Hutchins, Stitzer, Reese, Owens, Dobby, Woolbert, Ray, Wilson and Marty Pointek. The game will start at 3 o'clock.

Close Decision By Umpire Cooke Breaks Up Game

Hunlocks Creek Team Refuses to Abide By Decision and Goes Home in a Huff—Dallas Wins Game

"It was a great game as far as it went," was the comment of fans who witnessed the Hunlocks-Dallas game last Saturday. The game broke up in the eighth inning when Umpire Cooke ruled a runner out at home plate. The Hunlocks club protested vigorously and finally left the field when the umpire refused to change his decision. This gave Dallas the game with the score 2-1 as it stood at the end of the seventh inning.

Many of the fans were divided in their opinion on the decision. Those who stood near the home plate and in a position to see the play, agree with the umpire, which goes to show the umpire's judgment was not as bad as some would have it.

Getting back to the game, the Hunlocks boys had a great twirler in the person of Graboski, who has been going strong in the coal fields for the past few seasons. His assortment of curves and general way of mixing them up kept the Dallas boys busy trying to sneak a hit in now and then until Old Man Stitzer, oft called the Santa Claus of the league, shelled out another of his two-baggers to give the locals a victory.

Hutchins was on the mound for Dallas and gave the fans a fine exhibition of how the game should be twirled. In the fifth inning Hunlocks had every base occupied with none out when Hutch made the next two batters fan the breeze and the third pop up for an easy out. Stretch Woolbert had a big day at first base, making several hair-raising catches on line drives. In the sixth inning he saved the day with a fast double play to stop a Hunlock rally.

Beaumont-Roaring Brook

Oscar Whitesell and his Roaring Brook club journeyed to Beaumont and met the locals of that place for the third time this season, only to go back home with the short end of a 4 to 2 score. Things looked rather blue for a while for Bob MacDougal as well as Hackling, Turner, Galley, Kromelbein and Case were out of town and it was up to the home boys to show their ability, which they did in great style. Doc Traver had one of those days that made him hit-proof, while his teammates made an easy game out of it with their brilliant field work and heavy hitting. The Roaring Brook club has been playing in tough luck this season, losing several contests by close margins, and while their pennant hopes are virtually shattered, they are in there making it tough for the other clubs and can be counted as dangerous until the end of the game or season.

League Standing

	W.	L.
West Wyoming	13	2
Dallas	10	5
Beaumont	8	7
East Dallas	6	9
Hunlocks	5	10
Roaring Brook	3	12

Last Week's Results

Dallas 2, Hunlocks 1. (Called in seventh).
West Wyoming 6, East Dallas 4.
Beaumont 4, Roaring Brook 2.

Where They Play Today

Dallas at Roaring Brook.
East Dallas at Hunlocks.
West Wyoming at Beaumont.

MRS. ROBERT W. MILES

Mrs. Robert W. Miles of Shavertown was found dead at 5 o'clock Thursday morning. Death was due to heart failure caused by pneumonia. The funeral will be held from the family home at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

ding trip to Atlantic City and other points of interest, the couple will be at home to their many friends in a neatly furnished home at Trucksville. Mr. Udyke is a valued employee of the Harter Dairy at Trucksville.

Did You Know That?

- The Dallas Post has the largest certified circulation of any country weekly in Luzerne County.
- The Dallas Post carries more news of the Upper West Side than any other paper in Luzerne County, the dailies of Wilkes-Barre included. An astounding statement—but a fact.
- That Rupert Hughes latest novel, "Souls for Sale" which will start soon in the Post his catchy fiction in the class of \$2.50 sellers. That for only 50c you can get the Dallas Post for six months and read this popular novel in serial together with all other interesting features that the Post carries.
- That the yearly subscription to the Post is only \$1.00 a year.

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