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Many Attend Masque Dance On Hallowe'en

Good Music and Clever Costumes
Make Firemen's Annual Dance Out-
standing — Proceeds More Than
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Ghosts walked and goblins danced Thursday night when the Dr. Henry M. Laing Fire Company held its annual masque ball in the new high school auditorium. While the older folk and the younger set danced to the compelling strains of the Rhythm Kings' music, the still younger set made whoopee on the outskirts of Dallas by tipping over mail boxes and outbuildings and hauling away wagons, gates, fences and all other untied property. But the activities of the hardy youngsters who adhered to the old school style of celebrating Hallowe'en were somewhat cramped by the presence of two State police who put a damper on the ardor of the more daring spirits. The local police assisted by State troopers kept quiet and dignified Dallas on the straight and narrow for the greater part of the night so that for the most part the masque dance was the one lively spot of the evening.

The auditorium was attractively decorated with Hallowe'en streamers and festoons hanging from the center of the ceiling to the four corners of the rooms where they were booths, decorated in fall colors, where cider, candies, pies and popcorn confections could be purchased.

In every detail the auditorium made a fitting background for the gaily costumed dancers and the activities of Thom Higgins, who dressed as a clown, for a time, at least, acted as master of ceremonies. Early in the evening there was a grand march and prizes were awarded to the best costumed patrons. So many were the attractive outfits that the judges had difficulty in picking the winners. Among those which excited considerable comment were:

Dr. George Swartz, looking for all the world like a vampire in a blue evening dress; Captain C. N. Booth made an excellent double for a son of Old Spain, dressed in all the regalia of a real Spaniard, or was it Mexican. Among the other charming girls was Nesbitt Garinger, who found difficulty getting untangled from his skirts; Zel Garinger, though not a painter, used plenty of it in his facial make-up as a clown; George Gertner was no "heathen Chinese" in the beautiful red frock of a Chinese mandarin.

While the men turned into women under the magic spell of Hallowe'en, a number of the women turned into men in retaliation and there were plenty of good looking Beau Brummels among the wives of Dallas citizens. Mrs. Thom Higgins was dressed as an old-fashioned lady, but she wore a red wig; Mrs. James Besecker appeared as a little girl and Mrs. Harry Harter as a tomboy.

Bob Allen acted as "bally-ho" artist and captured many an elusive dime by staging a side show back of the auditorium curtains. Here with the lights turned low Bob produced a real Hula Hula girl who excited the admiration and blushes of a large audience.

From start to finish the ball was one of the most successful ever given by the firemen and the committee which had charge of the arrangements deserves the commendation of the community for its hard work. After all expenses are paid it is expected that the fire company will have

Make Interesting Trip To New Jersey Points of Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hoover and
Party Attend 250th Anniversary
Celebration at Trenton

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hoover accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wilson and daughter Rita of Luzerne, motored to New Jersey last Sunday for a visit with relatives. They spent some time with Mr. Wilson, Mrs. Hoover's sister, Mrs. Della Newell, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Oney and family of Lake-wood, N. J. Mrs. Oney is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hoover and was the contributor who sent the very interesting comparison of Zeppelins, published by the Post some weeks ago.

The party stopped over at Sommersville and Princeton and on their return trip visited Trenton, which city is celebrating the 250th anniversary of its founding. A great deal of time and expense has been lavished on the gorgeous decorations which completely transformed the famous old city and recall its thrilling early history.

Through the influence of Mr. Oney and his daughter, Miss Gladys, who is secretary to Captain Pierce, commanding officer at Lakehurst, the party was admitted to the famous hangar and escorted by an O. D. through the more famous airship, Los Angeles.

Later in the week Mr. and Mrs. Hoover and their friend motored to Banagat and visited the radio tower. The tower which is the largest in the world is 800 feet high and contains 136,000 tons of steel erected on a crystal glass foundation containing seven crystal glass cylinders.

It is used for sending stock market reports to Europe and warnings to ships at sea. It is used only for commercial purposes. The material was made by the Germans before the war and was erected by the General Electric Company in 1920.

CLASS HOLDS PARTY

A Hallowe'en party was held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Hildebrand on Friday evening by Mrs. Brickel's class of the Sunday school. The following enjoyed a very pleasant evening: Mrs. R. L. Brickel, Miss Winifred Griffith, Miss Gertrude Wilson, Miss Ruth Waters, Miss Marguerite Frantz, Miss Edith Rozelle, Miss Faye Whipp, Miss Margaret Thomas, Miss Elizabeth Hazlett, Mrs. Eva Machell, Mrs. Laura Shaver, Mrs. C. A. Frantz, Mrs. John Cummings, Mrs. William Krause, Mrs. William Neimeyer, Mrs. Arthur Meyers, Mrs. Henry Welsh, Mrs. Pitman, Mrs. A. D. Hull, Mrs. Charles Jones, Mrs. Donald Frantz, Mrs. W. E. Webster, Mrs. Arthur Thomas, Mrs. Z. E. Garinger, Mrs. Charles Gregory, Mrs. William Wilson, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. Lee Weyhenmeyer, Mrs. D. F. Webster, Mrs. Alice Gordon, Mrs. Edna McCarty and Mrs. J. E. Hildebrand.

"DUDLEY" MATHERS IN HOSPITAL

Frank Mathers, Jr., better known to his friends as "Dudley" Mathers, was taken to General Hospital on Tuesday, where he is recuperating from a nervous breakdown. He never fully recovered from an accident in which he was injured last summer while he was working for A. J. Sordoni.

cleared more than \$100 which will be applied on the debt, on the new fire engine.

Good Sport Feeds Game



The above picture shows what happens when heavy snows of winter cover the scarce food supplies of birds and other game. Game lovers distribute tons of food in this manner. Do your bit now by carrying a pocketful of scratch feed with you when you go in the woods and distribute it where the birds can reach it.

Scout Troop Attend First Autumn Rally

Hallowe'en Party Held in Conjunction
With Program in Shavertown M. E. Church

The first Girl Scout rally of the fall was held in the form of a Hallowe'en masquerade at the Shavertown M. E. Church on Wednesday evening. Members of the M. E. troop of the formal Girl Scout opening and introduced the new field captain, Mrs. Lehman, Truckville, Dallas and Shavertown Lutheran troops were guests.

Mrs. A. C. Culbert, who is district chairman, gave the address of welcome. Miss Edna Reese took charge of the final Girl Scout opening and introduced the new field captain, Mrs. Grover Allen.

Miss Maude Brotherhood of Wilkes-Barre, a member of the board of directors of the Red Cross, and Miss Julia Montanye, instructor in home nursing of the district, took charge of the entertainment.

Prizes were awarded to Emily Lewis for the prettiest costume and Dorothy Major for the most original. Mrs. Earl Monk, Mrs. A. D. Hull, Miss Julia Montanye, Mrs. Sherman Schooley and Mrs. Martin Porter were prize winners.

The evening closed with a grand march led by Ruth Chapman and Frances Keeley, officers of Troop 19 of Trucksville.

Mrs. Henry Sippel, Mrs. Herbert Williams, Mrs. Sherman Schooley, Mrs. Walter Fletcher and Mrs. Vester Vercoe were members of the troop committee.

The next rally will be held in Lehman with the Lehman girls as hostesses at Thanksgiving time.

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SCHOOLS PROGRESS UNDER SUPERINTENDENT A. P. COPE

Hundreds of Luzerne county teachers return home today after spending five profitable days at county institute in Wilkes Barre, arranged by County Superintendent of Schools A. P. Cope, the fourth held under the administration of this able schoolman. Able educators of national reputation were engaged and these, through personal contacts and sectional lectures, gave intensive aid and assistance to the young teacher and encouraged the older one in the application of new methods abreast the times.

The institute, incidentally, was the first to be held following the introduction of a Cope idea, that of giving expert aid to the one-room rural schools, long neglected, and the employment of an elementary superintendent in charge of the more advanced and larger town and borough student bodies. The schoolboy and girl of the one-room building today follows courses of study as accurately and as thoroughly as the city boy and girl. To bring this about Prof. Cope was obliged to engage Miss Clara Winans, a rural school specialist of Mansfield State Teachers' College. To aid the elementary schools Miss Wesley, formerly elementary superintendent at Lynn, Mass., was employed. The efforts of both have been attended with outstanding success.

Prof. Cope, in his brief period of service, has demonstrated his fitness for the job and close application to duty, foresight and tireless energy are absolutely necessary to the completion of any constructive program. Politics were sacrificed for efficiency with the result every school child has benefited and the standards raised until the system now rates second to none in the state.

TO SERVE DUTCH SUPPER

The girls of the Senior Teen-age Class of the East Dallas M. E. Church will serve a real Dutch supper at the church on Friday evening, November 8. Anyone who has ever attended a Dutch meal anywhere knows there will be plenty of good things to eat and when East Dallas serves they are doubly sure of a good "feed." So come early and bring all the family. Everyone is welcome and the admission is small.

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Alex Wilson, Republican and Democratic nominee for supervisor of Dallas township at the coming election on November 5th and at present holding said position under appointment by the court of Luzerne county, presents a life-long record of service to the Republican party.

Mr. Wilson has been a voter and worker for the Republican party for fifty-two years, never missing a vote in all that time.

While a Republican in county, state and national politics, he has given unstinted service to the people of Dallas township for many years in helping to elect to township office men who were capable to the positions to which they aspired; men who by their past performances shown that they had the interest of the township at heart, and men who worked and represented the taxpayers and good residents of the township regardless of party.

Over seventy years in age, Mr. Wilson presents to one who has never before met him, an active man of fifty or fifty-five. Having lived in the township practically all of his life, raised a family of eleven children, a hard worker all of his life, a picturesque figure in Republican circles, and one of the conscientious citizens the township ever had, the honor bestowed upon him last primary in giving both the Republican and Democratic nominations to him is just a little of what the people of Dallas township think of this grand old worker. While he has a little opposition by an opponent on the Socialist ticket, the people of the township want Alex Wilson for their next supervisor and will so record their vote on Tuesday next.

ENTERTAINS FOR DAUGHTERS AT HALLOWE'EN PARTY

A Hallowe'en party was given at the home of Mrs. W. H. Morgan, Shavertown, on Wednesday October 30, from 2 o 5 o'clock in honor of her daughters Verna and Elizabeth. The home was attractively decorated with orange and black and many striking costumes added to the colorfulness of the occasion. Various guests contributed of their talent to the entertainment, after which group games were played.

Prizes were awarded to Marie Hays, most original costume; Betty Carey, funniest costume; Gladys Schoonover, prettiest costume.

Little Ruth Morgan received recognition for her ability to entertain.

Lunch was served to the following: Doris Leek, Betty Carey, Ruth Evans, Eleanor Belford, Nell Clemo, Eleanor Brown, Marie Hay, Florence Roberts, Ruth Hontz, Gladys Schoonover, Louise Dierolf, Ruth Landers, Doris Vercoe, Beatrice Riley, Jean Vercoe, Bertha Riley, Irene Belford, Eleanor Belford, Betty Fink, Olive Anthony, Ruth Anthony, Fannie Ockenhouse, Francis Pierce, Verna Morgan, Elizabeth Morgan, Ruth Morgan, Mrs. George Appleton, Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Mrs. Jennie Morgan, Mrs. Elizabeth Mehm, Marjorie Schoonover, Ruth Morgan and Mrs. W. H. Morgan.

Many Sportsmen Take To Woods As Season Opens

Plenty of Rabbits and English
Pheasants Make Up For Closed
Season On Grouse

Yesterday the small game season again opened in Pennsylvania and the advance guard of an army of about 700,000 hunters took to the fields and mountains. And there will be lots of game for their bags this season.

But what about next season and other seasons to come? We are on the verge of a hard winter, and this together with the fact that there is hardly any food left now for our squirrels, turkeys, quail, etc., should awaken every hunter to the immediate need of placing food for these desirable creatures.

If every hunter who goes afield would take only one pound of scratch feed in the pocket of his hunting coat and scatter it in likely places, it would mean the saving of hundreds of game birds and animals. Placing of food will also relieve damage to crops in many sections. Even now the squirrels are literally carrying away the corn fields and the bears are forced into open territory where they prey upon sheep and destroy hives of bees.

The State Game Commission is already feeding in many places two months ahead of the usual time, and it will have to spend at least three times as much as ever before for feeding game this winter—money that it should have used for the purchase of more game for the State. But it must preserve what game we have before it can undertake the purchase of more.

And with the utmost it can do, at least fifty per cent of the game in the state will be lost by starvation this winter unless many, many persons help out voluntarily and faithfully. There will be about seven hundred thousand hunters in the field this season, and if all these hunters would carry out even one pound of game food it would mean three hundred and fifty tons altogether in addition to what is distributed through the usual channels.

Don't leave the Game Commission and the sportsmen's organizations to do all this—do your part also, whether you hunt or not. Even those who never hunt, or don't believe in hunting, ought to be eager to save these beautiful and beneficial but helpless friends of man.

And get the boys in your locality interested in helping save these creatures, especially the Boy Scouts and school boys. Such work on their part will not only help save the game the state has taken such pains and expense to propagate, but it will help the boys themselves to grow up better citizens.

The boy who has spent a winter helping to feed the game and to save it from starvation cannot grow up into a game hog and lawbreaker, it's simply against the law of human nature.

UNLOADS CAR OF FORDS

James F. Besecker Co. unloaded a carload of new Ford automobiles at the Lehigh Valley freight station this week. The Ford Company has just announced a price drop on all of its models due to the increasing production and elimination of further expense in the Ford factories. This price drop has greatly stimulated sales throughout the country.

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