

Organization of Rural Basket Ball League Blocked When Dallas Borough Refuses To Play With Dallas Township

Meeting in Higgins' College Inn Thursday Night Comes To Standstill When Dallas Borough's Representative Says Student Council Will Not Permit Local Team To Enter League With The Township

FOOTBALL GAME THE CAUSE

Efforts to establish a high school basketball league, made up of high school teams from all the high schools in this section of Luzerne county, were blasted Thursday night at the meeting of school representatives in Higgins' College Inn when the representative from Dallas high school refused to enter the league if the Dallas township team entered. Hard feelings following the Dallas Township-Dallas Borough football game some weeks ago is said to have motivated the action of the borough representative.

In stating his case the borough school's representative at the meeting said that it was not his wish or desire to keep Dallas township's team out of the league or for Dallas borough to stay out if Dallas township entered. He said that his action in refusing to go along came as the result of a student council meeting where a vote was taken that the borough should sever all athletic connections with the township.

Further explaining his stand, John Gebhardt, who represented the borough schools, said that his schools' athletic policies were shaped by the student council which is made up of outstanding students and representatives of class and social organizations of the borough schools. He did not know whether it was the wish of the board of directors that township and borough athletic relations be severed or not. It is known, however, that one member of the board has contributed articles to city newspapers calling attention to the rupture between the teams of the two schools; this, in face of the fact that the football teams of both schools have now consolidated to form one team with strength enough to meet strong outside opponents. The latter action is said to have come about because of the stiffness of Dallas borough's schedule which included Pittston and Wyoming Seminary and Dallas township's schedule which includes the strong Tunkhannock team.

School representatives who attended the meeting Thursday night included Prof. Calvin McHose, of Lake township school, Prof. Ziba Howell of Kingston township schools, Prof. Ger-ton of Dallas township schools and John Gebhardt of Dallas, borough. Prof. Aurand of Lehman was unable to attend the meeting but signified his intention of having the Lehman schools enter the league.

Although it had been planned that schedules be arranged and officers elected, the action of the borough's representative called a halt to the meeting. The representatives decided to adjourn the meeting and call another one for this week, thus giving all the schools as well as Dallas borough an opportunity to consider a way out of the dilemma.

A survey of feeling about the community indicates that local fans are much opposed to Dallas borough's action and if the borough team stays out of the league or refuses to enter

Ladies' Aid Society Plans Supper Program

Bazaar To Be Held In Connection With Chicken Supper To Be Given On Evening of December 5

The Ladies' Aid Society met at the parsonage Thursday for a masquerade party. Many humorous and pleasing costumes were worn. Mrs. William Wilson, who was dressed as a gypsy, took the prize for the best costume, and Mrs. J. E. Hildebrandt was awarded the prize for the most ridiculous costume. She was dressed as a negro. Mrs. A. H. VanNortwick and Mrs. Jessie Albertson were judges.

Plans were made for a chicken supper to be held about December 5. A feature of the supper will be booths for the sale of various articles. The committees were named as follows:

Menu, Mrs. W. E. Webster, Mrs. Wesley Himmler, Mrs. Elmer Parrish, Mrs. Emma Shaver, Mrs. B. R. Hefft; chicken, Mrs. Sterling Machell, Mrs. Harold Litman and Mrs. A. H. VanNortwick; kitchen, Mrs. C. A. Frantz, Mrs. C. C. Gates, Mrs. Ella Labar and Mrs. D. P. Honeywell; table, Mrs. Harold Rood, Mrs. J. E. Hildebrandt, Mrs. Ray Shiber, Mrs. A. C. Woolbert, Mrs. Wesley Himmler, Mrs. Harold Litman; booth, Ralph Rood; solicitation, division 1, Mrs. A. H. VanNortwick; division 2, Mrs. Nelson Whipp, Mrs. Mary Woolbert; division 3, Mrs. P. R. Hefft and Mrs. J. E. Hildebrandt.

Entertainment was a playlet and musical readings by Misses Marion and Margaret, little daughters of Mrs. William Berkeiser of Courtdale. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Nelson Whipp. The hostess committee includes Mrs. J. K. Moore, Mrs. G. K. Swartz, Miss Winifred Griffith, Mrs. G. L. Hallock and Mrs. J. R. Oliver.

PROF. WOOD-DIRECTS NEW COMMUNITY CHORUS AT NOXEN

Under the capable direction of Prof. Ernest Wood of Dallas, a Woman's Community Chorus of more than thirty voices is being developed at Noxen. Organization of the chorus started early in the fall and work progressed so rapidly that it is expected the chorus will give at least one concert before the Christmas holidays.

Rehearsals are being held in the high school auditorium every Saturday night. At the time of its organization it was planned to make the chorus a high school glee club. Interest in the organization grew so rapidly and became so widespread in the community that it was finally decided to make the chorus a community affair.

If Dallas township enters it will get little or no support from many leading local citizens. The feeling seems to be that pettiness has played its part long enough in the relations of Dallas borough and Dallas township and that it is now time to forget the past and enter on an era of good feeling which will bring State and county recognition to the schools of this territory.

PRESIDENT ENROLLS IN RED CROSS



President Hoover, who is also president of the American Red Cross, enrolls in the annual Roll Call of the society, which occurs from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day, November 11 to 23.

Local Garages Inspect 1,000 Automobiles

Faulty Brakes and Defective Tail Lights Found On the Majority of Cars Inspected

More than 1,000 automobiles have been inspected during the past few weeks by local garages, in accordance with the State inspection law, which makes a complete checkup of all motor cars compulsory. Even with this large number inspected, and despite the fact that the State will heavily fine the driver of an un-inspect car, there are still many automobiles in this section which do not display the yellow inspection ticket on the windshield. According to the law cars not inspected before November 15 must be kept off the highways for a period of one month.

With but few exceptions all automobiles presented at local garages were approved after a few minor adjustments were made. In the thousand cars inspected there were probably only a dozen which could not be put in shape to meet the inspection requirements. In the large number of cases where adjustments were necessary, it was found that brakes were out of adjustment and rear tail lights were out of order.

Lehman Girl Scouts Plan Minstrel Show

Leaders of Troop 30, Girl Scouts of Lehman, are making plans for a minstrel show to be held Friday, November 29 at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Committee members and parents are cooperating in making costumes. Proceeds from the affair will be placed in the troop's camp fund. General admission to the show will be 25 cents.

50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Webb of Bunker Hill recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at a regular old time pig roast. Over fifty guests and neighbors gathered for this happy occasion.

Rotary Women Honor Members At Fall Dinner

Short Talks and Presentation of Gifts Feature Delightful Dinner Program At Bridge Inn

Dallas Women of Rotary held their regular dinner meeting at the Bridge Inn in Trucksville on Thursday evening. This was the first meeting of the winter. Tokens of appreciation were presented by the president on behalf of the club to those women who had used their cars through the summer months for the various trips the club members enjoyed. Mesdames Alberta Garinger, Clara Metz and Emily Besecker responded with short speeches of thanks. Mrs. M. Elaine Wagner, who had also used her car for several long trips, was unable to be present. After dinner there was a short business session.

UNIT No. 1 BENEFIT CARD PARTY WELL ATTENDED

With more than 125 persons attending, Auxiliary Unit No. 1 realized a goodly sum of money Wednesday night when it held its card party in Dallas borough high school auditorium. The money raised will be used to defray expenses for needy cases that come to the attention of the Unit during the winter.

There were twenty-six tables of cards and at each table a deck of attractive playing cards was given as a table prize. The door prize, a beautiful electric lamp, donated by Mrs. G. A. Baur, was won by Mrs. Henry Sipple of Shavertown. A large angel food cake, made by Mrs. Fred Gordon, was won by Ernest Johnson. Mrs. Steven Johnson won an attractive lamp shade donated by Mrs. G. A. Baur. Refreshments included sweet cider and candy.

The presence of many persons from Trucksville, Shavertown and Wilkes-Barre indicated the interest being shown in the work of the Unit and was still a further indication of the enthusiasm shown by the committee in charge of the sale of tickets.

Hard Played Game Ends In 6-6 Tie Score

Butler's Run for Touchdown in Last Minute of Play Features Game Between Borough and Township Football Teams

The township and borough football teams met in their second game of the season last Friday afternoon on the borough field. After a bitterly fought contest the score was tied, 6-6. The borough scored in the first quarter by completing a forward pass on the fourth down. There was no further scoring until the last minute of the fourth period when Butler of Dallas township caught a punt in midfield and raced through the entire borough team for a touchdown. Both teams failed to score the extra point, which would have meant victory.

School Board Buys Books and Heating Equipment

Secretary Besecker Gives Report On Cost of New High School Building—Bowen Talks On Attendance

Purchase of books for the library and of an "iron fireman" for the furnace in the old building were but a few of the many things accomplished at the monthly meeting of Dallas borough school board held in the high school building. One of the most interesting features of the meeting was the report made by Secretary James Besecker on the cost of the new school building.

The total cost of the new building, not including new equipment, was \$55,856.00. Figures submitted by Mr. Besecker show the building costs are apportioned as follows: General contract, \$41,802.68; sub-contracts, heating and plumbing, \$10,105.00; lighting, \$909.10; cleaning, sanding and waxing, \$250.88; architect's fees, 2,637.83; advertising and miscellaneous, \$151.88; sewer system, \$1,956.60.

Following payment of bills and other routine business Principal George Bowen discussed matters pertaining to the compulsory attendance of students at classes. He cited a number of cases where borough students are staying away from school without proper excuses and in violation of the State school attendance law. A number of instances were cited where it will be necessary to issue warrants in order to get the children back in school.

The school board has been very generous in allowing the use of the school auditorium as a community centre, donating its use free of charge to such organization as the Henry M. Laing Fire Company, Boy and Girl Scouts and other civic organizations. At the meeting it further extended the use of the auditorium free to the M. E. Church in return for the many years that the borough has had the use of the church auditorium free of charge. All other organizations are charged a fee of \$10 for the use of the school auditorium. This charge is just about enough to cover lighting, heat and janitor service.

Trucksville M. E. 9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. 10:00—Morning service subject adding Godliness. Children's sermon, Wages or Gifts. Evening service, subject, The Noble Man's son.

Noxen Society To Hold Eighth Annual Bazaar

Beautiful Handiwork, Attractive Booths and Dinner Program to Be Features of Bazaar on Wednesday

Following a custom established a number of years ago, the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Noxen, will hold its eighth annual Christmas bazaar in St. Luke's parish house on Wednesday, November 20.

Coming just as it does before the holiday season, the bazaar always furnishes a place where many beautiful hand-made products can be purchased to be given as gifts during the Christmas season.

This year's bazaar will be even more attractive than those of the past. The committees in charge have been working hard for several months and their will be a splendid display of fancy work, novelties, aprons, hand-made garments, kitchen equipment and foodstuffs. Attractive booths, prettily decorated, are always a feature of the bazaar. Dinner and supper, cafeteria style, will be served.

Mrs. Charles Thomas, who has been president of the Ladies' Society for the past five years, will be general chairman of all bazaar committees. Sub-chairmen are: Kitchen booth, Mrs. Joseph Devine; apron and garment booth, Mrs. J. E. Turrell; fancy work booth, Mrs. G. K. Rauch; ten-cent booth, Mrs. Francis Belles; novelty booth, Mrs. C. A. Boston; Christmas booth, Mrs. Gomer Thomas.

REVIVAL AT HUNTSVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

With increasing interest and in fine spirit the revival meetings continue each night at the Huntsville Christian church. Rev. C. H. Bloom of Brooklyn is preaching excellent sermons. An interesting feature of each night's services is the worship program from the screen. Rev. Bloom had subjects of his own choosing made into lantern slides and has had them beautifully colored. A considerable number of these are used each night. Rev. Bloom is eminently fitted for handling this line of work. It will interest the radio listeners to know he chooses and arranges the music that is used in the services of the Federal Council of Churches of North America at which Dr. Fosdick, Dr. Poling and Dr. Cadman speak and when others have had a part in building the program, he always passes final judgement upon it. Each night at 7:30, Saturday night excepted services continue. The Sunday services will be at 9:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. It is the aim of the pastor and the evangelist to see at least 125 present in the Bible school at 10:30 Sunday morning.

DEATH OF B. M. HORN

Many friends and acquaintances in Dallas will bear with regret of the death of B. M. Horn of Wilkes-Barre, who had recently spent several summers in this place in the J. P. Hildebrandt house on Norton avenue.

Mr. Horn became ill October 1, but had recuperated sufficiently to go to Atlantic City where he expected to take a month's rest. Complications arose hastening death which occurred Wednesday morning.

He will be remembered here as an honest straight forward business man and a friendly neighbor and citizen.

The funeral was held from the home on South Franklin street, Wilkes-Barre on Thursday afternoon.

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