

## Charity Basketball Game Scheduled

### DALLAS SCHOOL GIRL STRUCK BY AUTO, DIES IN HOSPITAL

Theresa Polachek Walking Home From School Is Run Down By Student Returning From College

#### BURIAL MONDAY MORNING

Theresa Polachek, aged 10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Polachek, of Fernbrook, was fatally injured Wednesday afternoon at 3:30, when she was run down by an automobile near the intersection of Franklin and Main streets, Dallas.

The dying child was immediately placed in an automobile and rushed to Nebbitt West Side hospital, where she died at 5:15 without regaining consciousness. She suffered a fractured skull, several fractured ribs and leg and arm injuries.

In company with two other little girls the Polachek child was on her way home from Dallas borough school, where she was a pupil in the fifth grade. The children were walking on the right hand side of the highway in the direction of Fernbrook, when the Nash sedan, driven by Miss Helen Kelly, of 45 Pringle street, Kingston, came up the road behind them. Apparently bewildered by the approach of the machine, the little Polachek girl darted across the road to the left, directly in front of the oncoming motor car. Miss Kelly quickly applied her brakes, but not before her machine had bumped the child and thrown her to the hard surface of the concrete road.

With Miss Kelly were four other students returning home from classes at Misericordia College. Assisted by the occupants of a following automobile, they placed the injured child in the automobile and rushed her to the hospital. For some time there was confusion as to the identity of the child. At the hospital Miss Kelly telephoned to Burgess Harry Anderson, of Dallas, notifying him of the accident and then drove back to Dallas, where she notified the child's parents of the accident and then took them to the hospital.

John Polachek, father of the dead child, is sexton of Sacred Heart Slovak cemetery, near Fernbrook Park. In addition to her parents she leaves the following brothers and sisters: John, Josephine, Anna, Michael, Joseph, Bernard and Marie. She was a member of Junior Order of St. Anne's Society of Branch 342, First Catholic Slovak Women's Union.

The funeral will be held Monday morning at 8:30. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated in Sacred Heart church on North Main street, Wilkes-Barre. Interment will be in Sacred Heart cemetery, Dallas.

#### POST HAS BIRTHDAY

The Dallas Post is the title of a new paper that has found its way to our desk. It gives a weekly resume of the local news in that section, but is printed in the Times office at Kingston.

The above item was clipped from the forty-year ago items in last week's issue of The Tunkhannock Republican.

### W. C. T. U. Plans Institute Session

February Meeting Will Be Held At Home of Mrs. Clinton Henry At Maple Grove

Rev. Paul Kolesnikoff and Rev. James Burlight, of Lehman, gave addresses on temperance before the members of Dallas District W. C. T. U. at its meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Adelman. Other features of the program were two readings by Mrs. W. F. Westover and a duet by Billy Baker and Bobby Westover.

The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Clinton Henry, at Maple Grove. On March 17, a W. C. T. U. Institute and all-day session will be held in Dallas M. E. church and a covered dish luncheon will be served.

Those who attended the meeting were: Mrs. W. A. Higgins, Mrs. R. Achuff, Mrs. Victor Rydd, Mrs. Charles Erdman, Mrs. Alice Brodhan, Mrs. Elizabeth Hildebrandt, Mrs. A. C. Devens, Mrs. H. S. Doll, Mrs. Rose Anderson, Mrs. W. H. Condon, Mrs. Ivy Petrick, Mrs. Susan Petrick, Mrs. Zel Garinger, Mrs. Charles Mayer, Mrs. Graydon Mayer, Mrs. E. E. Adelman, Miss Mary Machell, Mrs. D. F. Westover, Mrs. W. H. Baker, Mrs. A. A. Neely, Rev. Paul Kolesnikoff, Mrs. Paul Kolesnikoff, Mrs. Charles Kunkle, Mrs. Harry Pittman, Mrs. David Brack, Mrs. Bertha Blockage, Mrs. A. M. Major, Mrs. W. R. Neely, Mrs. H. A. Brown, Mrs. A. B. Ide, Rev. James Burlight, Mrs. Georgia Patterson, Mrs. Ralph Ashburner, Mrs. William Brack, Miss Caroline Brack, William Baker and William Westover.

### Luzerne County Past Grands Assn.

Rev. Edward Hughes, of Edwardsville, Delivered Most Interesting Address At I. O. O. F. Past Grands Association Meeting Held in Kingston

Rev. Enoch Hughes, of Edwardsville, pastor of Edwards Memorial church, delivered a most interesting and inspiring address before the members of the I. O. O. F. Past Grands' Association of Luzerne County, held Tuesday evening, January 20, with Kingston Lodge No. 709 at Kingston. Rev. Hughes spoke on "Love of Mankind, or Friendliness Toward a Man in Need." He told of the work of the Odd Fellows had done for the aged and others. He spoke of some of the things the Order stood for, a belief in a friendly civilization, friendliness toward mankind. His talk was greatly enjoyed by all. Hon. Willard G. Shortz presided.

Entertainment was furnished by the old-time fiddlers of Lehman. Those taking part were Clarence Fox, Carl Brandon and Chauncey Terry. A tenor solo was sung by John Mitchell, of Luzerne, accompanied by W. D. Jones on the piano. Lewis Smith, of Pittston, entertained with a recitation. George Russell, Luzerne county director of the Odd Fellows' Home for Aged at Middletown, gave a brief talk on the home and expressed his appreciation of the Christmas donations made by members and lodges at the annual Christmas party held by the Association.

Announcement was made that Osage Lodge No. 712, will hold a chicken supper in the M. E. church at Lehman for members and their wives on Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Reservations can be made with the Secretary of the Association. A large number of the members will attend the meeting of the Lackawanna County Association on Friday evening, January 30, in the hall of Lackawanna Lodge No. 291, at 419 Lackawanna avenue, Scranton. The contest between the two Associations will take place. The contestants are Gomer Morris, of Wilkes-Barre, and Harry N. Leathe, of Scranton.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the members of Kingston Lodge No. 709.

### CERAMIC PLANTS OPEN TO STATE COLLEGE STUDENTS

A number of ceramic manufacturers of Pennsylvania, the makers of glass, pottery, tile, bricks, etc., will open their plants for detailed study by students specializing in ceramics at the Pennsylvania State College. The action followed the suggestion of Joseph B. Shaw, head of the Penn State Department, at a recent meeting of the Pittsburgh Section of the American Ceramic Society.

Under the proposed plan, which will be tried for the first time this year, students will spend the summer following their junior year in college in half a dozen industrial plants, each specializing in a different branch of ceramics. Two weeks are to be devoted to each plant.

### "MERIDIANS" WIN FIRST GAME FROM NOXEN

"The Meridians," a newly organized basketball team, which will play independent teams throughout the winter season, played their first game on Wednesday evening in Meridian Hall. Their opponent was the fast Noxen squad, but the visitors were unable to keep up the fast pace set by the locals and went down to defeat by the score of 50-22.

It is the intention of the management of this new aggregation to play games twice a week—Wednesday and Saturday—and will have as opposing teams the best that can be scheduled from the surrounding towns. There will be dancing after each game.

### HAVE YOU A HEATING PLANT TO SELL?

Last week the following classified ad appeared in THE POST:

FOR SALE—Pipeless furnace in good condition, \$40. Apply 477 North River street, Wilkes-Barre.

A Wilkes-Barre subscriber seeing the ad hastened to buy the furnace, but he was too slow. The furnace was sold to a Dallas man before the Wilkes-Barre subscriber could get to North River street to see it. You've got to hustle when you buy things from POST classified ads, because 75 per cent of them result in immediate action. If you have a pipeless furnace for sale advertise it in THE POST classified ad section and you'll sell it in a hurry.

### It isn't too late yet



### Mrs. Henry Under Care of Nurse As Result of Injuries

Automobile Skids on Icy Pavement And Runs Into Stone Wall—Both Occupants of Machine Are Injured

Mrs. H. F. Henry, wife of Rev. H. F. Henry, of Shavertown, has been removed from Wilkes-Barre General hospital to her home in Shavertown, where she is under the care of Doris Carr, R. N., as the result of injuries received Monday morning in an automobile accident at Mt. Greenwood.

Mrs. Henry received severe lacerations of the head and face and both legs as well as head and body bruises. Rev. Henry, though receiving injuries to the head and knees, is able to be about.

The accident occurred when the Henry automobile started to slide on the slippery pavement. In order to avoid running over a steep bank on the left hand side of the road, Rev. Henry attempted to veer his machine in the direction of the home of Lambert Holcomb. As he did so the automobile lurched behind a guard rail and along a stone wall for about 200 car lengths before taking a nose dive over the wall. The automobile was badly damaged.

#### TO GIVE PLAY

Dallas Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will have charge of a play entitled, "The Automatic Butler," to be given by the Methodist Masquers of the Kingston Methodist church on Tuesday, February 10, at 8:00 o'clock at the Shavertown M. E. church. Admission is 35c for adults, and 20c for children. Plan to enjoy an evening's entertainment on that night.

### St. Therese's Card Party And Dance

Final Arrangements Being Completed For Card Party and Dance to Be Held on Wednesday Evening, January 29, At Orondo Hall, Wilkes-Barre

The committee, which has been soliciting prizes for St. Therese's card party, to be held January 29, at the Orondo ballroom, has succeeded in securing many beautiful gifts. All who have promised prizes, but have not as yet sent them in, are urged to do so at once.

The reception committee, the night of the card party, will be made up of the following: Chairman, John Gallagher, assisted by Thomas Amos, Frank Anstett, Anthony Brinolo, Jacob Beline, W. Arthur Blewett, John Brega, William Beline, John E. Bertsche, John Baur, Martin Bilbow, Jr., Harold Horton, James J. Brown, August Czilegor, C. J. Dress, Guy Dunham, John Debnick, John Duda, Henry Fronzoni, A. F. Fahringer, Martin Fahey, John Fabian, Patrick Elias, Joseph Enrich, John Estock, Anthony Farber, William Gabel, Carl Gabel, Jacob Gabel, Jacob H. Gabel, Jacob S. Gabel, W. F. Gabriell, Thomas Garrahan, Adam German, Thomas Burke, Francis Girvan, Michael Hazinski, Edward Hoefling, Fred L. Hannebuhl, Christopher Hoek, Anthony Hudak, William Hansen, E. D. Jenkins, P. J. Jacobs, Peter Jurc.

### Mrs. Hale Garey Buried At Lehman

Was Active Member of Shavertown M. E. Church and For Seven Years Secretary of W. C. T. U.

The funeral of Mrs. Hale W. Garey, aged 43, of Shavertown, was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 from Shavertown M. E. church with services in charge of Rev. H. F. Henry. Burial was in the family plot at Idetown cemetery.

Mrs. Garey had not been well for several years, but it was not until about two months ago that her condition became worse resulting in her death Sunday morning at 11:45. Before marriage Mrs. Garey was Audrey Ide of Lehman.

She was a woman highly respected throughout the community and well known throughout the region of Shavertown and Lehman, where she grew to womanhood. She was a member of Shavertown M. E. church and for more than seven years had not missed a meeting of the W. C. T. U. of that church of which she was secretary. She was a member of Berean Bible class and of the Women's Home Missionary Society.

Besides her husband she leaves the following to mourn her passing: two sons, Willard and James, at home; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ide, of Lehman, and the following brothers and sisters: Howard, of Shavertown; John and Robert, of Lehman; Clifford, of Shrine View, and Marcus, of Dallas.

### TO SHOW MOTION PICTURE AT SHAVERTOWN CHURCH

The motion picture, "The Good Samaritan," will be shown at Shavertown M. E. church Sunday night at the 7:30 services. All are invited to attend.

### Program Is Announced For Ministerial Session

Fifty-Third Annual Session of Wilkes-Barre District Ministerial Association, Wyoming Conference, To Be Held At Centermoreland, February 2

The fifty-third session of Wilkes-Barre District Ministerial Association, Wyoming Conference, will be held Monday, February 2, in the Methodist Episcopal church, Centermoreland. District Superintendent Dr. Fred E. Lott, of Kingston, is president of the association; Rev. E. A. Martin, of Tunkhannock, vice-president, and Rev. E. Laurence Martin, of Avoca, secretary-treasurer. Two interesting and instructive sessions will be held, morning and afternoon.

Program of the morning session follows: 10 o'clock, devotions, led by Rev. W. Sylvester York, of Alderson; 10:15, association address by Rev. W. C. Dodge, of Montrose; alternate, Rev. H. L. Benville, of Abbott church, Wilkes-Barre; 11, forum period; "The Midweek Service," Rev. F. F. Freeman, of Moose; discussion leader, Rev. A. J. Chapman, of Trucksville; "The Sunday Evening Service," Rev. H. F. Henry, of Shavertown; discussion leader, Rev. G. G. Summerson, Wyoming; 12:15, business session. At 12:30 o'clock luncheon will be served by the ladies of Centermoreland church.

Afternoon session: 1:45, devotions, Rev. A. L. Davies, of of Derr Memo-

### ENTIRE PROCEEDS WILL BE USED FOR ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY FAMILIES

### Back Mountain Captains Named In Welfare Drive

During Past Year 1,110 Days of Treatment Were Given Local Residents In Three Hospitals Affiliated With Welfare Federation

As the opening date of the ninth annual Wyoming Valley Community Welfare Federation draws nearer, the Dallas solicitation group, under the direction of Mrs. H. E. Wiese, of Shavertown, is preparing to have the Dallas district take an important part in the success of the campaign. The campaign opens on February 2 and continues until February 11. The goal has been set at \$530,000, but General Chairman John C. Haddock has made it clear that this amount be oversubscribed by about \$84,000 if the Federation's thirty-one affiliated agencies are to cope with emergencies that may arise during the coming year.

In addition to raising the campaign goal, Wyoming Valley has been asked to assist in raising a quota of \$40,000 for the Red Cross national drought relief drive. Contributors to the Federation will be asked to give what they possibly can to the Red Cross drive.

Dallas has had ample opportunity to learn of the advantages of the Federation during the past two years. It has accorded this district, which includes Dallas borough, Dallas township, Kingston township, Shavertown and Trucksville, opportunity to assist in carrying on the humanitarian and charitable work of Wyoming Valley. It is interesting to note that sufferers from this district during the past year received 1,110 free days of treatment in the three hospitals affiliated with the Federation. That alone means that more than a thousand hospital days were provided, without cost, to persons from this area who otherwise would

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### FUNERAL OF ROBERT E. KNARR

The funeral of Robert E. Knarr, late justice of the peace of Fernbrook, Dallas township, who died Friday morning of complications, was held from the late home on Monday afternoon. Services were conducted at the home by the Rev. S. E. Davis, pastor of the Bennett Presbyterian church, of Luzerne, and Rev. W. E. Webster, pastor of the Dallas Methodist church. There was an abundance of flowers. The pallbearers were: Minot Gray, Claude Smith, Harry Platt, Wilson Pemberton, Arthur Spears and Andreas Henderson. Burial was at Trucksville cemetery.

### MISS MAYO TO PRESENT DRAMATIS INTERPRETATION AT HUNTSVILLE CHURCH

Miss Pauline Mayo, of New York, a dramatic interpreter, will present Channing Pollock's play, "The Fool," at Huntsville Methodist church, Wednesday, January 23, at 8 o'clock. Miss Mayo, who travels from coast to coast, is recognized as one of the best dramatic interpreters on tour. "The Fool" is a powerful Christian interpretation of life. It is a thought provoking play on present social and economic situations and contains humor, tragedy and a startling climax. It has been heard or seen, according to credible estimates, on stage or screen, in theatres, churches and schools by more than 100,000,000 persons.

#### BOYS AND GIRLS

Don't wait! Get your letters off to the Comic Editor of THE DALLAS POST and win those theatre tickets you read about in THE POST last week. All you have to do is to tell the editor why you think every merchant should advertise on THE DALLAS POST comic section which will be continued in this paper within a few weeks. Remember, sixty tickets are going to be given away free. Think of all the movies you can attend at Himmler Theatre, Dallas, or at any of the Paramount-Public Theatres in Wilkes-Barre. Ten free tickets will go to the best letter written by a boy and ten more free ones will go to the best letter written by a girl. For the second best letter five tickets will be given to a girl and five to a boy, and for the next ten best letters, two tickets each will be awarded. Don't forget this contest closes Saturday night, January 31. And all free tickets will be mailed to you February 1. Lots of boys and girls have mailed their letters to the Comic Editor. You can win tickets, too, if you mail your letter right now.

### School Board Offers Use of Building, Billy Rowland and His Orchestra Will Furnish Music—Fast Game Promised

#### TICKETS ON SALE

Co-operating in a community-wide effort to raise funds for the relief of needy families in the back mountain region, basketball teams in the Back Mountain League will give an All-Star Charity Game in Dallas borough high school gymnasium Thursday night, January 29. Following the game Billy Rowland and his orchestra will play for dancing. The entire proceeds of the game will be turned over to W. E. Jeter, cashier First National Bank, who is treasurer of the Community Fund for the relief of needy families in the back mountain region.

Co-operating with the league managers in arranging the game are: Dallas school board, Billy Rowland and his orchestra and THE DALLAS POST.

There is a marked rivalry between the teams of the league, which is made up of players from Dallas, Trucksville, Shavertown and Lehman. During the past few weeks the games have attracted large crowds of spectators and it is expected with the added appeal of charity the games next week will attract the largest crowd ever witnessing a game of basketball in the back mountain region. Two games will be played and the managers promise fast basketball since the teams have now passed through their formative period and are displaying excellent teamwork.

Tickets for the charity game and dance will be on sale early the coming week. Tickets for the game will sell for 35c and tickets for the dance for 25c.

Since the organization of the Community Fund just prior to Christmas, a considerable amount of good work has been done in this region. With a limited supply of funds in the treasury, it has been possible to assist only the most needy. In a number of instances arrangements have been made whereby families will be cared for during the remainder of the winter or until they are able to care for themselves.

The charity game Thursday night is a worthy and commendable project and deserves the support of every citizen of the back mountain region, whether attending the game or not.

#### P. T. A. MEETING

The January meeting of the Dallas Township P. T. A. will be held Monday evening, January 26, at 7:45 P. M., at the township school.

### ENTERTAINED SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Mrs. John Yaple entertained her Sunday school class with a sleigh-riding party at the Irem Temple Country Club Tuesday evening. Later in the evening the party returned to Mrs. Yaple's home, where a dainty lunch was served.

Those who were present were: Arnes Him, Ruth Hull, Catherine Gensel, Alice Brown, Lola Pittman, Margaret Oliver, Eleanor Machell and Mrs. John Yaple.

### Effort Mountain Pave Urged On The Legislature

Strong Effort Being Made to Have This Year's Session of the Legislature Pass Special Act to Have Effort Mountain Paved

A strong effort is to be made at this year's session of the Legislature to have a special act passed which will provide for the State Highway Department paving the 13 miles of road over Effort Mountain. Wyoming Valley Motor Club is the prime mover in the proposal. Senator Lanning Harvey, who is a director of the club, as is also Senator A. J. Sardoni, will introduce the measure. Governor Pinchot has given his assurance that he will sign the bill in case it comes to him.

Letters are being sent out this week by the motor club to about 80 leading citizens in Northeastern Pennsylvania and in Philadelphia, urging them to petition their legislatures to support the bill.

Among those who have signed resolutions approving the proposal are taxpayers of Effort, Gilbert, Saylorsburg, Broadheadville and McMillan; Chambers of Commerce of Wyoming Valley, Philadelphia and Easton; Women's Clubs of Wyoming Valley, West Side, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, and other cities. Rotary Club, Effort, Pa.