

Frost Plays Havoc With Water Supply and Concrete Highways

Sub-zero temperatures kept maintenance men of Dallas-Shavertown Water Company on the jump over the weekend especially in the Glenview Terrace section of Fernbrook and in Shavertown where mains as well as service lines froze in exposed areas.

Dozens of householders were without water for varying periods while crews worked extra shifts to remedy the difficulties. In some areas the crews found that frost has penetrated the ground to a depth of forty-four inches.

Gus Walters, of Dallas Portable Welding Company, was employed to thaw many of the pipes electrically. Using this process, mains 200 to 400 feet in length are thawed in about twenty-four hours while service lines connecting mains to homes were thawed in from one to two hours.

Remarking on the depth to which

frost has penetrated, Zel Garinger sexton at Warden Cemetery where a heavy blanket of snow covers the ground, said this week that he found frost to a depth of only two inches while digging a grave.

It is in the uncovered areas that it has done the most damage and especially along State Highways that have been well cleared. Several bad heaves have appeared in the Tunkhannock - Dallas Highway and on many other main routes in this area.

Covered Dish Supper

Jessie Austin Brickel Class of Dallas Methodist Church will hold a covered dish luncheon at the Church next Friday evening. Committee members who will serve dessert and coffee are Mrs. Della Bellas, Mrs. Elsie Boehme, Mrs. Myrtle Benner, Mrs. Jennie Brown and Mrs. Ruth Bottoms.

IDETOWN

Thelma Hendershot of Luzerne, spent Saturday with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lamoreaux.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watkins and family of Washington, New Jersey were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar George on Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Hadsel spent Tuesday with her cousin, Mrs. Hilbert Moyer of Lehman.

James Kreiger left on Saturday for Pottsville to spend sometime with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sutton and children, Patsy and Bonnie of Trucksville, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heck.

Mrs. Arthur Newman Thanks Her Helpers

Mrs. Arthur Newman wishes to thank the boys and girls of Dallas Township Alumni Association, parents and teachers for their work at the Parcel Post Sale and Bazaar. Also Henry Goodman, florist, for the door prize and Hilda Mann Hertz and her assistants for their fine entertainment, as well as the bus drivers for their work on the night of January 21. Profits from the sale will go in the Athletic Field Fund.

BEAUMONT

The local high school quintet was the victor over Meshoppen High on Beaumont's floor Friday, February 6, by a score of 21-12. Friday, February 13, offers an excellent game here with Laceyville as the local's opponent.

It was the third girl, Sally Ann, for the Alden Dietzes at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, February 3.

Several friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson with a party this past week. The occasion was the Johnson's silver wedding anniversary.

The Executive Board of the Community Cannery held its regular monthly meeting Monday, February 9, to discuss plans for the yearly election of officers and reorganization of committees. Watch for the date!

Job Dietz had the misfortune to break a rib while skiing Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Belles was hostess for a "Paper Party Demonstration" given Monday, February 9.

Valentine parties were in vogue for all class rooms at school this week.

Walter Derhammer is ill at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital.

The "Sunshine Class" of the Union Church enjoyed a sleigh riding party at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Cragg Herdman, last Saturday.

Romayne Smith was hostess to the "Young People" of the Union Church, Wednesday evening, when plans for a roller skating party were discussed.

Skiing remains the favorite pastime for the outdoor enthusiast. Several hundred used the tow at Traver's Park over the weekend.

Lambert Traver has returned from Indiana with a new Dodge school bus for his route. How thrilled his riders were for now theirs is the NEW BUS!

Centermoreland

Miss Ida Mae Kresge of Towanda, N. Y., formerly of this place, visited friends here on Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert Smail spent Sunday and Monday visiting her sister Mrs. Jayne and attending the funeral of Rufus Jayne.

The community extends its sympathy to the relatives of Mrs. Jennie Webb of Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kresge and children of Mill City, spent Sunday with Mrs. Edith Schoonover.

The Young Ladies Sunday School Class held their monthly meeting in the form of a Valentine party on last Tuesday night.

Jack Davis of Nanticoke, visited at the home of Miss Wilma Thomas on Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Jackson and Mrs. Nora Schoonover were shopping in Wilkes-Barre on Monday.

Mrs. Mary Storey is visiting her sister in Bloomsburg.

Mrs. Gerry Felter and Laylah Martin gave a shower for baby Terry Loren Schoonover on Friday night. Around seventeen ladies were there although it was a bitter cold night. He received many useful gifts.

George Matusavage has rented Farrington Hunter's Garage and is doing a rushing business. He has moved his family in Ralph Besteder's house.

Charles Dempski has married again and gone to Florida on a trip.

Mr. and Mrs. William Simms are keeping house for the latter's parents in Kingston while they are in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Martin and son and Carol Lee Schoonover spent Sunday with Mrs. Beulah Winters.

Trucksville To Hold Quarterly Conference

Rev. Roswell Lyon will preside at the Fourth Quarterly Conference of Trucksville Methodist Church, February 20 when reports from all organizations will be heard. Every one is given a cordial invitation to be present.

Members of the W. S. C. S. will have charge of the covered dish supper preceding the meeting.

February Seventh Is First Day To Secure Nomination Petitions

The following information essential to the coming primary election has been listed in convenient form for this newspaper by the Pennsylvania News Service. A schedule for the November elections will appear at a later date.

February 7—First legal day to secure signatures on nomination petitions.

February 27—Last day an elector may move from one election district to another in order to be eligible to vote at the primary election.

March 6—Last day to register before primary election.

March 6—Last day to change party enrollment or non-partisan enrollment before the primary election and general election.

March 8—(A) Last day to secure signatures on nomination petitions. (B) Last day to file nomination petitions.

(C) First legal day to secure signatures on nomination papers nominating independent candidates.

(D) Last day before primary election on which notices of removal from one election district to another must be received by county boards of elections in cities of the second class.

March 15—Last day to withdraw after filing nomination petitions for primary election.

March 15—Last day to file objections to nomination petitions.

March 29—Last day before primary election on which notices of removal from one election district to another, must be received by county boards of elections in cities of the second class.

April 7—(A) Last day to secure signatures on nomination papers. (B) Last day to file nomination papers nominating candidates.

April 14—Last day to file objections to nomination papers nominating independent candidates.

April 17—(A) Last day before primary election on which an elector who has, since the time of registration, suffered a physical disability which requires him to have assistance in voting, may personally make application to the county boards of election in cities of the second class, viz: Pittsburgh; cities of the third class; cities of the second class A, viz: Scranton; and boroughs, towns and townships, to have such fact entered on his registration card. (B) Last day before primary election on which notices of removal must be received by county boards of elections in cities of the first class.

(C) Last day before primary election on which notices of removal within the same election district must be received by county boards of elections in cities of the second class and cities of the second class A. April 20—Last day before the primary election on which an elector who has since the time of registration, suffered a physical disability which requires him to have assistance in voting, may personally make application to the Registration Commission in cities of the first class, viz: Philadelphia, to have such fact entered on his registration card.

April 26—On or before this date, the county boards of elections shall deliver the necessary ballots and supplies to the judges of election. April 27—Primary Election. Polls

shall remain open continuously between the hours of 7 A. M. and 8 P. M. The Court of Common Pleas to be in session from 7 A. M. to 10 P. M. except in judicial districts having one judge, in which case the court shall be in session from 7 A. M. to 12 Noon, from 2 P. M. to 5:30 P. M. and from 7 P. M. to 10 P. M.

April 30—Return board meets at noon to canvass and compute the votes cast at the primary election.

Sweet Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wilson of Hartford, Conn., were entertained Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Kunkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foss quietly observed their forty-fifth wedding anniversary with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Eustice of Kingston last Thursday, February 5.

Mickey Adams broke his ankle while working on the ice last Thursday at Mountain Springs. He has been a patient at Nesbitt Hospital for the past week.

Cletus Holcomb, Sr., underwent a surgical operation on Tuesday at Nesbitt Hospital. The many friends of both Mr. Adams and Mr. Holcomb wish them a speedy recovery.

Rev. and Mrs. Ira Button were in Berwick last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foss visited his aunt, Mrs. Rachel Rosencrans of Mooretown last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long and family and Mrs. Dorothy Witcoski spent last Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Post.

Willard Sutliff and George Wesley have purchased new tractor trailers to haul new automobiles for the Great Lakes Transit Co. Willard bought a Reo and George purchased a Studebaker.

Eleanor Doberstein and June Long, graduate nurses of Wilkes-Barre General Hospital spent the weekend here with their parents.

William Ferry Sr., and son, Lewis have recently beautifully redecorated the interior of Sweet Valley Christian Church.

Donald Case of Pearl River, N.Y., spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long and family had Monday night dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cragle.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold a Valentine Party in the Church Hall tonight (Friday).

Mrs. Cris Klamovich, Nanticoke, called at the home of Frank Foss, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Alfred Hontz attended the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. William A. Smith of South River Street, Wilkes-Barre.

Crawford Rosencrans and Robert Hontz were callers at the Fred White home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hontz received word that their son, Warren has arrived in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Eustice and son, Tommy of Kingston visited her parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foss and Mrs. Jennie Thomas last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sutliff and children were guests Sunday night.

Auxiliary To Meet

Ladies Auxiliary of Dr. Henry M. Laing Fire Company will meet at the home of Mrs. Stephen Pavlick on Tuesday, February 17. Members of the serving committee are Mrs. Ralph Brown, Mrs. Ed Van Campen and Mrs. Russell Case.

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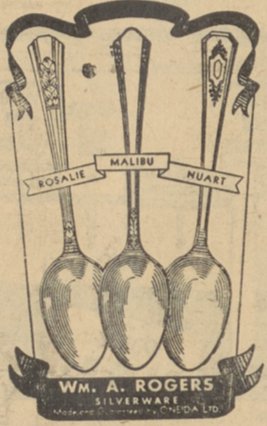
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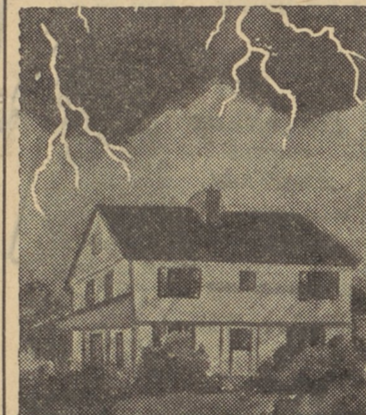
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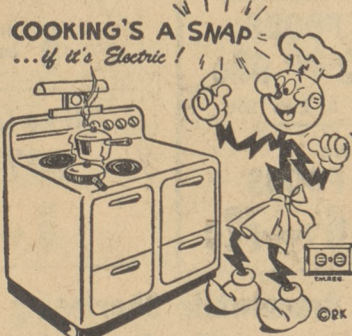
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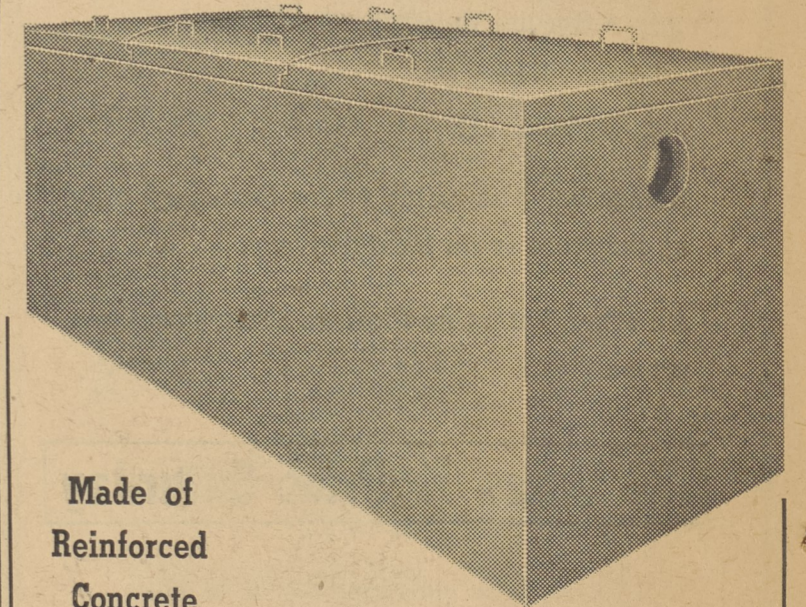
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