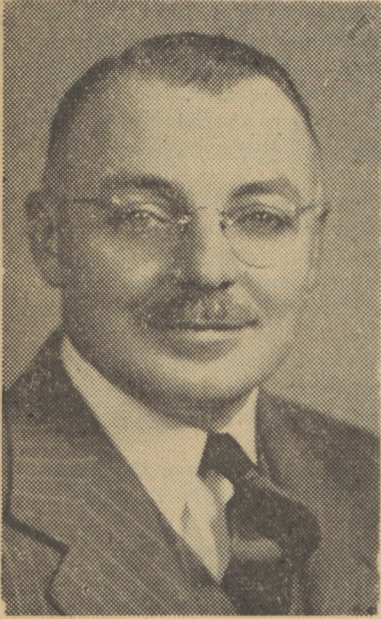


CROP To Gather Food For Hungry Of War Nations

Farm Produce Will Be Collected From October 23 to 30



G. WESLEY LEWIS

A concerted drive to obtain farm produce for the hungry of Europe and Asia will be carried on by Christian Rural Overseas Program (CROP) in Luzerne County during the week of October 23 to 30.

Wesley Lewis, general chairman, has announced that the goal will be at least one car load of dried milk or its equivalent valued at \$5,000. Sixty carloads are the goal for the sixty districts in Pennsylvania.

At an organization meeting of the county committee on Monday night at Luzerne County Agricultural Extension offices in Wilkes-Barre, Mr. Lewis was elected chairman, W. F. Spaulding, Sugar Loaf; Ralph Hosler, Berwick, and George Rice, Dallas, were elected vice chairmen. Mrs. Ruth Darbie was elected secretary. Assistant secretary is James Hutchison. George Ernst is treasurer. County Commodities chairmen are John Rebenack, Meeker, and John Hewitt, Idetown.

CROP is sponsored on a nationwide basis—thirty states are participating—by Catholic Rural Life (serving War Relief Services of the National Catholic Welfare Conference), Church World Service (serving twenty-one Protestant denominations), and Lutheran World Service (serving eight Lutheran synods of the National Lutheran Council of America).

Food is sent to twenty-two of the forty-three countries served by these agencies. In addition it receives commodities for American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, American Friends Service Committee and Mennonite Central Committee and other organizations. It is the first united church program of its kind in the history of our civilization.

District chairmen appointed were: Lehman, Russell Ruble, John Rebenack and John Hewitt; Carverton, Leon VanTyle and Nelson Lewis; Dallas Township, Mary Weir and Sheldon Mosier; Huntington, Floyd Wolfe and Oscar Saxe; Briggsville, Luther Smith and Carl Raedler; Hobbie, Lee Peters, and Lyman Bloss; Conyngham Valley, Harold Welsh; White Haven, William Somers; Butler Township, Marvin Young and Righter Woodring; Black Creek, Willis Knely; Salem, Ralph Hosler and Emory Kinsner.

Attending were: James Hutchison, county agent; Mrs. Ruth Darbie, Home Economics Extension; Mrs. Catherine Birth, Home Economics supervisor, Luzerne County Schools; G. Wesley Lewis, Pittston, George Loveland, Wilkes-Barre, Ralph Hosler, Berwick, Righter Woodring, St. Johns, W. F. Spaulding, Sugar Loaf, Theodore J. Sampson, Retreat, Floyd Wolfe, Shickshinny, John Rebenack, Meeker, Rev. William A. Parsons, Kingston, Howard Risley, Dallas, Rev. William Schmidgall, Tunkhannock.

Dallas PTA Opens Season Monday Night

School days will start again for patrons of Dallas Borough High School on Monday night at 8 when the Parent Teacher Association holds its first meeting of the year in the school auditorium.

After a brief business meeting parents will meet the teachers who will outline the year's work, explaining and demonstrating methods.

Plans will be completed for a fall festival to raise funds for new play equipment for the school grounds.

Prizes will be given to the rooms getting 100 per cent membership. Second grade mothers will be hostesses.

Costello and Marvin To Address Parents

Atty. Harry Costello will speak on problems of defective hearing among young children at the first meeting of Dallas Township Parent Teacher Association on Monday night.

Ira H. Marvin, Forty Fort, will discuss problems in speech correction.

BILL'S BITS



By Bill Hart

BI-COUNTY LEAGUE STANDINGS

Noxen	13	2	867
Harding	12	4	750
Shavertown	11	5	688
Vernon	9	5	642
Jackson	10	6	634
East Dallas	9	7	633
Beaumont	8	8	500
Dallas	8	8	500
Orange	8	8	500
Carverton	3	12	200
Falls	3	13	189
Osterhout	0	16	000

BI-COUNTY LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Sunday, September 18
Vernon at Carverton
Harding at East Dallas

BI-COUNTY LEAGUE SCORES

Sunday, September 11	
Jackson 6	Vernon 2
East Dallas 20	Harding 2

Jackson's 6-2 thumping of Vernon Sunday makes it impossible for Bi-County playoffs to start before October 2. Vernon, with two games to make up, plays Carverton Sunday and will meet Noxen the following week. All Vernon has to do is break even to force a playoff with Jackson, further delaying the finals. To shorten the delay, Vernon must win both games. Carverton should be no trouble but the Noxen game will be a humdinger.

Harding and East Dallas will play a three-game series to determine which team is best fitted to enter the playoffs from the South Division. East Dallas, which finished third during the regular season in the South Division, won the first game to put them ahead in the series 1-0. The end of this series will coincide with the final Vernon game. This mix-up leaves Noxen and Shavertown awaiting the outcome of the Jackson-Vernon and East Dallas-Harding tangles before the playoffs can begin.

Jackson Wins Crucial Game

In a fast, well-attended game, Jackson won over Vernon, 6-2 to keep in the running. A loss to Vernon would have eliminated Jackson. J. Levi and Vogrin were decked 2-2 in a pitching duel until Jackson broke the ice in the seventh. A walk to J. Levi, three successive bunt singles by Rusilowski, Fedor and A. Levi followed by Urik's sharp single scored the winning runs. Vernon managed five hits off Levi while Jackson reached Vogrin for eight, four coming in the fatal seventh. Vernon's centerfielder, Brunges, pulled a fielding gem when he hauled Bombeck's long drive from the fence, robbing him of a home run. Levi with 12 strikeouts puzzled the Vernon batters and Vogrin proved a like mystery for Jackson.

East Dallas Mauls Harding

East Dallas smashed three Harding pitchers for 22 hits in notching a 20-2 victory Sunday. The first inning set the stage for the remainder of the game—12 men batted for six runs before Harding could put out the fire. Three hits broke Harding's resistance when they accounted for nine runs. They were Fred Steven's double, Tex Wilson's home run and Harry Hughey's triple. The Harding batsmen were baffled by Harry Martin's 17 strikeouts for a season high. Only Andy Prebola and Al Greb solved Martin's fast hop. Each had two hits. East Dallas unloaded its heavy artillery, Art Bellas, Howard Garbutt, Fred Stevens, Tex Wilson and Harry Hughey had 16 hits good for 22 total bases to lead the barrage on Prebola, Haines and Greb.

Jim Hutchison Paces Winners

With a large percentage of voters turning out to select the candidates of their choice, Kingston Township residents found James D. Hutchison, candidate for school director, polling the largest number of votes with Herbert Williams, Trucksville Justice of the Peace also garnering a high score.

Elected to the offices of school director on the Republican ticket were James Hutchison and Stanley R. Henning, with Albert "Hub" Pesavento making a fine showing for a new man on the political scene.

Ted Poad won the nomination for tax collector with Henry Kann second in the race.

Officer Louis Banta captured the nomination for constable over Officer Francis McCarty by one vote.

Reelected to the offices of alderman in Trucksville and Shavertown were Herbert Williams and William Roushey.

David Schooley, auditor and Arthur Smith, road supervisor were reelected without opposition. Democratic nominations were won by Albert "Hub" Pesavento, Francis Youngblood and Lois Banta.

Box score of respective returns for each candidate follows:

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BOX SCORE

Back Mountain Highway Deaths and Serious accidents since V-J Day

DALLAS	Hospitalized	Killed
LEHMAN	1	1
KINGSTON TOWNSHIP	20	4
JACKSON TOWNSHIP	2	1
MONROE TOWNSHIP	3	1
ROSS TOWNSHIP	2	1
LAKE TOWNSHIP	1	1
FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP	2	2
TOTAL	31	20

Break Ground For Prince of Peace Church



Within the tent that sheltered them from the heavy rain during the ceremonies incident to breaking ground for the new Prince of Peace Church are the Bishop, members of the vestry and community representatives.

From left to right: The Right Rev. Frank W. Sterrett, Bishop of the Diocese of Bethlehem; Fred H. Renard, Honorary Senior Warden; Fred Schmitt, vestry; Alfred S. James, secretary; Elwood Hudson, vestry; Donald C. Clark, treasurer;

Edmund G. Hildebrand, Junior Warden; Charles Wheaton Lee, Senior Warden; Sheldon T. Evans, vestry; Rev. William R. Williams, rector; Lewis LeGrand, contractor, and Howard Risley, The Dallas Post.

Lehman Opens At Tunkhannock

Out To Revenge Last Season's 19-0 Defeat

Tonight marks the opening of the Back Mountain football season with Lehman meeting Tunkhannock on the latter's field.

Although the portable lighting system used by Tunkhannock makes the high punts and passes harder to handle, Coach Tony Marchakitus hazards that his team will give a good account of itself.

Depending largely on nine seniors, the Scotties team will be a replica of last year's small, fast, hard-charging eleven. Last year Coach Bunnell's Tigers defeated Lehman 19-0.

Marchakitus is relying on veterans Mont, Graham, Hutchinson, Nuss, Kern, Roskowski and Carichner to bring to Lehman the coveted Kiwanis Club Annual Football award.

Library Featured By Grit Newspaper

Back Mountain Memorial Library was given wide publicity last week in a full page feature article on the front page of the Family Section of the September 11th issue of The Williamsport Grit.

Included were pictures of the second annual auction, a close-up of auctioneers Herman Sands and Harry Ohlman, and exterior view of the library, an interior view showing Mrs. T. M. B. Hicks examining books in the stacks.

Grit has a large rural circulation throughout the eastern United States from Maine to Florida.

Release Pheasants

One hundred fifty pheasants, twelve weeks old, were released by Carverton Rod and Gun Club on their posted grounds last week.



While a torrent of rain washed the earth, The Right Rev. Frank W. Sterrett, Bishop of the Diocese of Bethlehem turned the first spadeful that marks the beginning of the new Prince of Peace Church on Lower Main street, Dallas, Rev. William R. Williams, rector, assisted him.

More than 150 men, women and children defied the rain to take part in the ceremonies under a large tent erected on the grounds. Attending clergymen included Rev. Ralph Weatherly, Grace Church, Kingston; Rev. Fred Trumbore, St. Clement's, Wilkes-Barre; Rev. Robert Kline, Calvary, Wilkes-Barre; Rev. Harold Boon, St. George's, Nanticoke; Rev. William McClelland, St. Mark's, New Milford; Rev.

Richard White, St. Luke's, Scranton; Rev. David Doughton, St. Mark's, Dunmore; and Rev. William Schmidgall, St. Peter's Tunkhannock.

A reception followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Broody.

Seeks Factory Site In Dallas

Business Groups To Discuss Location

Dallas Business Association will be given its first problem in community promotion Monday night at its meeting in Back Mountain Memorial Library.

The Association will be asked if it wants another industry, with a \$2,500 weekly payroll, established in the community and if it is willing to assist in locating or constructing a building suitable to house the industry.

Samuel Gould of Scranton, who has successfully operated a dress factory in Clark's Summit, is seeking a location in this area.

For a time Mr. Gould considered the former Acme Market on Main Street, but sewage disposal problems and renovation costs to make it suitable for a factory, preclude its ready adaptability. Five thousand square feet of floor space are needed.

In the meantime Mr. Gould has interviewed scores of women, many of them without previous experience, who would like to have employment in a dress plant. He is convinced that there is a large available supply of help that can be trained and that Dallas is an ideal location for a plant. Only the building is needed.

Harry Smith, president of the Business Association, has invited all who are interested in helping Mr. Gould obtain a building to attend Monday night's meeting whether they are members of the Association or not.

Back Mountain Features At Armory Tonight

Ten Booths Will Promote Area At Parade of Progress

When the 1949 edition of the Parade of Progress opens tonight in Kingston Armory, the Back Mountain Region will have played its part in making it a success.

Not only have two of its sons, Arlean Bowman and Kenneth Rice, contributed to the advance publicity with their covered wagon trek from Washington, D. C. but scores of others have helped to make the Back Mountain Region's display at the Armory one of the outstanding features of the show.

Designed by Joseph Elicker and constructed under his supervision, the exhibit will occupy ten 4 x 6 booths representing a giant living room with nine windows through which visitors may see a complete aerial view of the Back Mountain Region from Harvey's Lake to the Luzerne Narrows. Construction of the set is of Colonial Maple finished in grayed white.

Solicitation of funds for the purpose was undertaken by Donald Clark assisted by a committee composed of Sheldon Mosier, Francis Ambrose, Margaret Weaver, Katherine Valentine, Harry Lee Smith, Gertrude Bodycomb and Helen Williams.

More than \$1,350 has been obtained. Although this does not represent the entire cost, the Junior Chamber of Commerce has agreed to give the Back Mountain Region all ten booths, since this will be the first time that any community as a whole has undertaken such a promotion at the Parade of Progress.

Among those making the display possible are: Fernbrook Builders' Supply, Dallas Post, Henry's Jewelry Store, Dixon's Fairlawn Store, Bowman's Restaurant, LaBar's Service Station, Smith's Economy Store, Dallas Hardware and Supply, Joe's Men's Shop, Shavertown Builders' Supply, Harvey's Lake Light Company, Dallas Rotary Club, Dallas Kiwanis Club, Dallas Women of Rotary, Dallas Senior Woman's Club, Dallas 5c, 10c to \$1 store, Harry Goeringer, Realtor, Dallas Outdoor Theatre, Elmcrest Development, Paterbaugh's Store, Rex Restaurant, Nothoff's Restaurant, Shaver's Gas Station, The Grotto, Burke's Barbecue, Al Coury's Hotel, Herman Kern, Brookshire's Harvey's Lake Hotel, Circle Inn, Edwin Kern, Rinkin's Inn, Sunset Beach, Earl's Drug Store, Orchard Farm, George Bulford, Harter's Dairy, Orange Dairy, Back Mountain Lumber and Coal Co., Sterling Farm, David Schooley, Forty Fort Dairy, Dr. R. M. Bodycomb, Dr. Richard Crompton and Dr. Sherman Schooley.

Those contributing their services toward building the display are: Paul Shaver, electrical work; Sev Newberry, Signs; Elwood Hudson, photography; Sheldon Hoover, painting; Granville Sowden, construction; Smith Flying Service, air photography; Tomberg Electric, fixtures.

Volume Of Mail Shows Increase

Volume of business at Dallas Postoffice is running far ahead of last year with no decrease in sight.

So great has been the increase, that Postmaster Joseph Polack believes the addition of another carrier is essential to serve rural patrons.

A few years ago the R. F. D. routes of the Dallas office were cut from four to three with no curtailment of service. That change was brought about because of better roads, better snow removal during the winter, and better transportation facilities permitting carriers to handle their work in fewer hours. Now, increased volume, makes a fourth route necessary.

To better serve rural patrons, Route 2, carried by William Corcoran, was increased six miles this week to take care of thirty-two families. Among the areas to be served are Elmcrest, an extension to Dr. Charles Ashley's residence in Jackson Township, and an extension along highway 115 from Lehman road to the Urbanovich residence. Formerly patrons at Elmcrest had to go to the Dallas office for their mail; those in the vicinity of Dr. Ashley's residence walked a half mile to a corner for their mail and the five families living near the Urbanovich residence had to walk a mile to a series of boxes for theirs.

Postmaster Polack and Congressman Daniel Flood were instrumental in having the route changed.

Board Is Asked To Reinstate James A. Martin

Two Groups Want Restoration of Supervisory Post

Two petitions asking for the reinstatement of James A. Martin as supervising principal were presented to Kingston Township School Board Monday night.

The first, signed by Kingston Township Teacher's Association, expressed the confidence of the faculty in Mr. Martin, and voiced the fear that absence of a supervising principal will endanger the school's effort to obtain a satisfactory rating from the Middle States Association of Secondary Schools.

The second, bearing signatures of 111 residents of the township, protested the removal of Mr. Martin from his former post.

The position of supervising principal was abolished six weeks ago, the Board giving as its reason decreased pupil enrollment. A resolution presented at that time by Director Robert Currie was approved by Directors Davis, Malkemes and Currie, opposed by Frederick Anderson, Board president, and not voted upon by Director Henning.

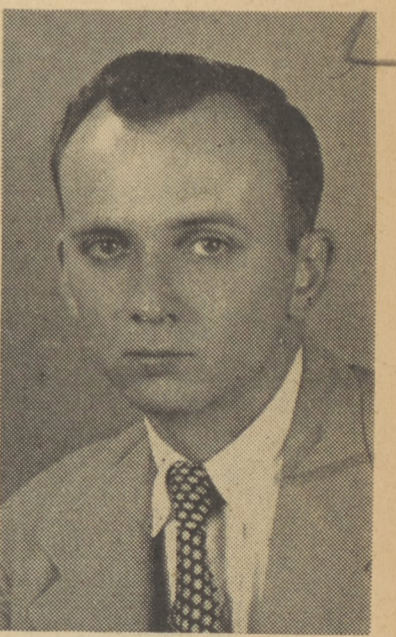
Directors Anderson and Henning and Malkemes were the only Board members present Monday night to receive the petitions. Directors Currie, Davis and Solicitor William Valentine being absent.

In the discussion that followed Director Henning said that he believes the matter deserves consideration and that the board may have acted hastily. He suggested that action be tabled until all directors are present, probably at a special meeting.

Other business taken up by the Board included a protest from Russell Lahr objecting to the employment of non-resident painters. Dallas Chapter Order of Eastern Star received permission to use the school auditorium on November 4 for a variety show. Senior class received permission to sell refreshments at football games and to hold weekly tea dances. Kingston Township Band Association received permission to use the auditorium for a free band concert, September 23.

On recommendation of E. S. Teter, county superintendent, schools will be dismissed Monday at 1:30 so that grade school teachers may attend the Elementary Teachers Conference in Dallas. The High School faculty will have a teachers meeting at the same time.

Admitted to Bar



ATTY. ROBERT FLEMING

Atty. Robert Fleming was admitted to practice law before the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County yesterday morning at impressive induction ceremonies before the Court en banc.

Admission was on motion of his preceptor, Atty. James Harris.

Atty. Fleming, the son of Dr. J. C. Fleming was born in Dallas in 1919 and has the distinction of being the only student ever admitted to Harvard College directly from Dallas Borough High School. He completed additional graduate work in history at Cornell.

During World War II, Atty. Fleming served four years in the U. S. Navy as an aviator winning the Silver Star Medal for gallantry in rescue operations under heavy artillery fire of Bougainville in the Solomon Islands. He is a Lieutenant in the Naval Reserve. His wife is the former Eleanor Jane Duncklee of Mystic, Conn. They have three daughters, Susan, 4; Margaret, 3; and Jean, 2. They live in Dallas Township on the old Kunkle Beaumont road. Atty. Fleming will maintain offices in Wilkes-Barre and at his home.