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BEAUMONT

The Flora Traver family and the Emory Traver family of Buckwheat Hollow were victims of the second unfortunate fire in this section.

Betsy Shupp is a patient at the General Hospital where she is leaving her appendix.

Gustin Norbutt and family of Palisades Park, N. J., have moved into the C. J. Dress apartment and business place.

The Rodney Schmid family has moved to Slippery Rock. Mr. Schmid has left the Game Commission.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goodwin will move into the house vacated by the Schmid.

Twenty Deer Killed

Don't want for a taste of venison. See the following 'who got a deer': Parry Crispell, Melvin Crispell, Lowell Boone, Jack Brennan, Arno Smith, Floyd Corby, Jr., and Sr., Howard Keller, Thomas Gavek, Robert Dymond, Ralph Taylor, Kenneth Minor, Stanley Kozak, Goodwin Hilbert, Alfred Dymond, Richard Dymond, Paul Kennedy, Wayne Brace, Cecil Hubbell, and Elton Hayner.

It was a boy for the Michael Novajoskys on December 3. The Salvation Army has distributed cod liver oil and vitamin pills to the schools where pupils may take them if they wish.

The Lend-A-Hand Club Christmas party at the I.O.O.F. Hall was a most pleasant affair where carols were sung, an impromptu play was presented, the 'Christmas Story' read, and gifts distributed from under a lovely tree.

Water Supply Low

Lack of precipitation through an extremely dry summer and fall has caused water supply sources and streams to fall to an alarming level.

Sixteen Church and Community Teams Raise Curtain on League Season

The curtain rose last Saturday night on the Back Mountain Church-Community Basketball League.

Eight games were played Saturday and Monday on the three floors—Dallas Township, Kingston Township and Lehman Township—and in these eight games the caliber of play showed vast improvement over last season.

IDETOWN

Mrs. Earl Lamoreaux chairman of the Christmas program of the Idetown Methodist Church has announced the following committee: Mrs. Glenn Spencer, Mrs. Ralph Welsh, Elsie Jean Ide, Joanne McKenna, Doris Spencer, Roxie Hoover, Dorothy Meade, Kathryn Smith, Evelyn Keller, Mrs. Loren Keller.

The program will be given at the church on Christmas Eve at 7:30. All children in the Sunday school will take part.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hilbert have returned to their home after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Matthews of Chango Bridge, New York.

Mrs. Ernest Fritz is spending this week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Fritz of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Messmer and son Connie of Sugar Notch spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Casterline.

BACK MOUNTAIN CHURCH-COMMUNITY LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 10 Dallas Township Gym 7:15, 8:15, 9:15 St. Therese's vs. Prince of Peace; Shavertown Methodist vs. Dallas Methodist; Mt. Zion vs. Kunkle. Kingston Township Gym 7:30, 8:30

Trucksville Methodist vs. Huntsville Christian; St. Paul's Lutheran vs. Lehman. No games Monday, December 12 at any gyms.

Table with 3 columns: Team, W, L. Dallas Methodist 2 0 1.000, Huntsville Christian 1 0 1.000, St. Therese's 1 0 1.000, Kunkle 1 1 .500, St. Paul's Lutheran 1 1 .500, Lehman 1 1 .500, Shavertown Methodist 0 1 .000, Mt. Zion 0 1 .000, Trucksville Methodist 0 2 .000, Prince of Peace 0 0 .000

LAST WEEK'S SCORES Saturday, December 3

St. Therese's 43, Shavertown Methodist 31; Huntsville Christian 28, Lehman 22; St. Paul's Lutheran 32, Trucksville Methodist 11; Dallas Methodist 25, Kunkle 21; Prince of Peace, Mt. Zion (no contest).

Monday, December 5

Kunkle 50, St. Paul's Lutheran 45; Lehman 39, Mt. Zion 36; Dallas Methodist 67, Trucksville Methodist 28.

Janice and Judy VanCampen spent Saturday with their grandmother, Mrs. Beluah VanCampen of Noxen.

Mardara Kreiger of Johnson City, N. Y., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. James Casterline.

SWEET VALLEY

Lewis Davenport of Fullerton called on his mother here last week while on the way to Plymouth to attend the funeral of his grandmother.

Mrs. Ira Button is improving after being confined to bed with a bad cold.

Miss Bess Klinetob visited Mrs. Stanley Post and Mrs. Therese Wilkowski last Thursday. Both are improving after recent illnesses.

Donald Case of Pearl River visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Case over the weekend.

Mrs. Ann Hoover has closed her home here for the winter and will make her home with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Naugle of 65 W. Petebone St., Forty-Fort.

Misses Goldie and Violet Gray, Mrs. Frank Hazlett, Mrs. Luther Hunter and Dilys and Kathleen were Wilkes-Barre shoppers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hunter attended the rural mailcarriers' Christmas Party at Roaring Brook Baptist Church Hall Saturday evening.

Mrs. Herbert Britt entertained the Kings' Daughters of Church of Christ last Friday evening. The annual Christmas party will be held at the Stanley Hontz home December 19.

D. of A. will hold a Christmas party at Pike's Creek Church Hall December 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bronson and family attended a dinner Sunday honoring Mrs. Bronson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Richards of Wilkes-Barre, who celebrated birthday anniversaries.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long and Miss Bess Klinetob spent Tuesday in Wilkes-Barre.

WCS Christmas Party

WCS of Alderson Methodist Church will hold its annual Christmas Party at the Church on Thursday evening, December 15 at 8. Gifts will be exchanged, Co-chairmen are: Mrs. Guy Scouten and Mrs. James Garey.

Last year's two top teams, Dallas Methodist and St. Paul's, are figured high in the listings again this season, but with plenty of competition from St. Therese's and Huntsville Christian.

Shavertown Methodist and Prince of Peace, both potentially hot teams, are unknown quantities as this is their first season; with Lehman, Mt. Zion, and Trucksville Methodist strengthened it will be a tough grind for any team to turn out a consistent winner.

Both Huntsville Christian and Dallas Methodist, top rated quintets, had all they could handle to turn back Lehman and Kunkle at Dallas Township gym Saturday night. Bob Price with 10 points paced Huntsville 28-22 over Lehman, while in Dallas Methodist's 25-21 triumph over Kunkle, Charlie Brobst's 9 points were high.

St. Therese's started in top form and knocked off Shavertown Methodist 43-31 on the Kingston Township floor. Bill Hart with 24 and Bob Oney with 14 dominated the scoring. After taking an 8-3 first quarter lead, Trucksville Methodist lost steam and was pounded to the tune of 32-11 by St. Paul's Lutheran. Art Kitchen with 11 and Tex Wilson with 9 were high men. The third game, between Mt. Zion and Prince of Peace was a tragic-comedy as it turned out that after the scores were checked Mt. Zion's apparent 21-20 scoreboard victory was questioned by both teams' scorers. The net result was a 20-20 tie, which will probably have to be replayed.

In the first upset of the current season, a fighting Kunkle team downed the favored St. Paul's five 50-45 in an overtime period. Monday night at Lehman. The score stood 45 all at the end of the regular game. Jim Knecht, Kunkle's high-scoring center, connected for 26 points to make a season's high in individual scoring. Art Kitchen with 12 and Don Boline with 11 were tops for St. Paul's. Mt. Zion gave Lehman a healthy scare before bowing 39-36 in the second game. Kleban and Stolarick with 17 and 16 points paced Lehman as Paul Kunkle, lanky blond center, hit for 11 for Mt. Zion.

Dallas Methodist scored a runaway 67-28 victory over Trucksville Methodist in the final contest. Charles Brobst, Ralph Tempelin, Bob Moore and Steve Sedler all hit double figures for Dallas with Brobst high with 21. Dick Harrison was tops for Trucksville with 9.

The Bookworm

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diagnosis in his review of Morris Rafael Cohen's autobiography, 'A Dreamer's Journey'. 'For this is the life of a thinker,' says Frankfurter, 'Barring minor excursions into the world of affairs, Morris Cohen analysis in this book the influence that shaped his thinking, not about the problems and penances of the day, but concerning the ultimate inquiries how men think about them. In short, he was a philosopher, conceiving philosophy as 'simply stubborn thinking about problems in all fields of life's endeavor—thinking which refuses to accept as final the common limitations at which creatures of habit stop thinking'. He identified philosophy with 'natural curiosity or wonder about nature of the world, things, life, knowledge, art, religion and morality as perennial problems, turning that curiosity in upon himself and proving that the adventures of the mind can be as exciting as the deeds of soldiers and statesmen'.

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STORE TALK

Early Christmas Shoppers have convinced us that practical gifts are in Vogue this season. Several Frigidaire Appliances, an inlaid linoleum floor, kitchen mixers, electric roasters and other popular items are already tagged for lucky ladies.



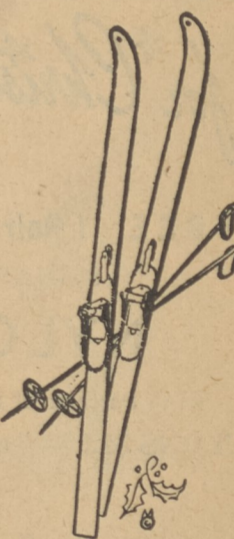
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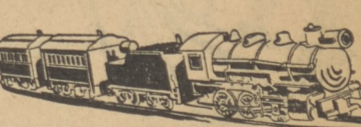


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