

**Dallas Kiwanis Women Hear Talk On Caribs**

Women of Kiwanis enjoyed an interesting program at their meeting Wednesday evening when Lenarda M. Adgas, associated with the travelers' agency in Miners Bank Building, talked on her recent visit to the Caribbean territory and showed slides of Hawaii and Bermuda. Dr. Robert Bodycomb operated the projector. The program was arranged by Mrs. Frank Werner and Mrs. Karl Laux.

The party tables were gay with center pieces of red roses, projects of Mrs. Ted Ruff and Mrs. William Guyette. Birthday gifts given by Mrs. David Joseph and Mrs. Mitchell Jenkins were won by Mrs. Kenneth Rice and Mrs. Frederic Anderson. Plans were discussed for the annual picnic to be held July 28 at Orchard Farm with Mesdames Roscoe Smith, Kenneth Rice, Nortie Berti, Roy Troxell, John Yapple, Robert Maturi, William Reniska and Edward Atkins on the committee.

Present were Mesdames Kenneth Rice, John Henninger, Frank Werner, Roy Troxell, David Joseph, Merrill Paegenburg, Edward Atkins, Roscoe Smith, William Guyette, Robert Maturi, William Wright, Theodore Ruff, Mitchell Jenkins, Clyde Cooper, Robert Bodycomb, Karl Laux, William Reniska, Frederic Anderson; Lenarda M. Adgas, Flora Sue Anderson; Karl Laux, Dr. Robert Bodycomb, Edward Atkins, Fred Anderson, Fred Jr., Robert Maturi, Ronald Maturi and Roscoe Smith.

Kiwanis men held their annual clam bake at Beaumont Inn last night.

**LIBRARY AUCTION NEEDS PONY OR GOAT AND WAGON FOR RIDES FOR CHILDREN**

Has anybody a pony to lend to the Library Auction? Children expect pony rides, and so far this year no pony has been offered for their use. It is no strain on the pony. An attendant leads him up and down a short block on Lehman Avenue. The pony gets bored, but he is doing his bit for the support of the Back Mountain Library.

If there is no pony, perhaps there is a goat and goat-cart available. If you have a pony or a goat, call Mrs. Hicks at the Dallas Post.

**Mrs. Smith Rounds Up Local Beauty Parlors**

Mrs. W. J. Smith, Mill Street, has rounded up all the hairdressers in the area, soliciting them with good results for waves, shampoos, or even permanents for the Library Auction. Cards with such services stamped on them will be auctioned over the block July 9 and 10. Mrs. Smith has also received promises for home-made candy and baked goods from residents who have never been solicited before.

**Big Shipment Of Cars**

Seventy-two auto carrier convoys transporting 148 Dodge and Plymouth automobiles to Dean Johnson, Honesdale distributor, tied up traffic on Route 309 Tuesday morning. The shipment was part of a 200 car order. State Police escorted the convoy.

**Anne O'Connor Weds Seaman Robert Rother**

At a ceremony recently performed, Anne Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. O'Connor, of Hampton Bays, Long Island, New York, became the bride of Seaman Robert F. Rother, U. S. Coast Guard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Rother, 209 S. Pioneer Avenue, Shavertown.

Rev. Swan, Assistant Pastor of St. Rosalie's Church, Hampton Bays, performed the ceremony. The attendants were Josephine Capone and Kenneth Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Rother are visiting at the home of the groom's parents, and a reception was held at their home Saturday evening in their honor. Guests included: Mrs. Francis Rother, Mr. Fred Rother, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Olinaski, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laux, Wilkes-Barre; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Laux, William Park, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Laux, Harveys Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rother, Jr., Arlington, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Laux, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Laux, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Laux, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Waldow, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Rother and daughter, Marylyn, Shavertown. The young couple is residing at McQuirk Street, East Hampton, Long Island, N. Y.

Mrs. Rother was formerly employed at the County Comptrollers Office at Riverhead, Long Island. Mr. Rother was employed at Bloomsburg Mills before entering the U. S. Coast Guard and is stationed at Montauk Point Station, Montauk Point, Long Island.

**Stork Races To Arrive On Two Anniversaries**

Little Tommy Murray, born June 24 at General Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. James Murray of Plymouth, arrived at a time best calculated to please his grandparents and his great-grandparents. It was the 58th wedding anniversary for his great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin K. Elston, of Kunkle; and just half that span for his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ide, also of Kunkle, who were marking their 29th anniversary. There was a question in everybody's mind as to whether midnight would beat the stork, or the stork beat the stroke of twelve, but the baby arrived on time.

Mrs. Murray is the former Jane Ide, and Tommy is her first child, also the first grandchild for the Owen Ides. But it's old stuff for the Elstons. Tommy makes their 22nd great-grandchild.

**Will Be A Pilot**



HANS CARL DREHER

Hans Carl Dreher, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dreher, Trucksville, graduated from Lehigh University June 21, with degrees in Mechanical and Electrical engineering, a combination five-year course. He will be affiliated with the General Electric Company in Cincinnati, Ohio, until October, when he will enter pilot training in the Air Force.

Mr. Dreher is a second Lieutenant in the Air Force Reserve, commissioned immediately before graduation. A graduate of Wyoming Seminary, he entered Lehigh in 1949. Among his many activities he ranked exceptionally high in fencing, twice winning the Outstanding Fencers Award, and attaining presidency of the Cut and Thrust Society, and captaincy of the varsity fencing team. He belonged to Eta Kappa Nu, honorary electrical engineering fraternity; Newtonian Society, honorary mathematical; and was corresponding secretary of Pi Tau Sigma, honorary mechanical engineering fraternity. He was listed among Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges; served as scholastic chairman and athletic manager of the Richards 2-B Living Group. Belonged to American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the Lehigh University Flying Club.

**18,000 Sticks of Beechnut To Broadcast At Auction**

Through Shel Evans, working with or on the area representative for the Beechnut Company, 18,000 sticks of Beechnut gum are promised for free distribution at the Library Auction. E. P. Jones, promising 10,000 sticks at first, upped his donation to three full cases when he found how many thousands of people annually attend the two-day sale.

**Pupils Top Last Year In Savings Stamps Purchase**

Pupils in the Dallas Borough-Kingston Township Joint Schools purchased \$9721.50 worth of Savings Stamps and Bonds during the 1953-1954 school year. The Savings Stamps purchased by schools were: Dallas Elementary School, \$2,389.45; Shavertown Elementary School, \$4,135.20; Trucksville Elementary School, \$1,635.95; Kindergarten, \$885.45; High School, \$675.75. This tops last year's amount by \$1,625.10.

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**ONLY YESTERDAY**  
Ten and Twenty Years Ago In The Dallas Post

From the Issue of June 30, 1944

Ruggles Lumber Company ships two carloads of pulpwood from this area per week to relieve the acute paper shortage. Cutting is also done at Senator A. J. Sordoni's Harveys Lake property.

Lloyd Drake, former instructor at Dallas Township, enters YMCA work in Berwick.

Henry Sobieski, Jackson Township, is wounded at Anzio Beachhead.

Dallas Womens Club approaches goal of \$50,000 sale of war bonds.

Heard from in The Outpost: Len Hooper, Italy; Vernon Covey, Panama; Dorothy King, England; Tommy Evans, Italy; Elwood Hoover, Hawaii; Robert DeLong, Cherry Point; William Frederick, Camp Crowder; Harold Rood, Ohio; Harry Decker California; Boll Ashburner, Alabama; Floyd Hontz, Yuma; Harry Boehme, Texarcana; Chuck McManus, Arizona; Carl Dykman, Maxwell Field; Albert Crispell, Camp Davis; Joe Wallo, Italy.

Engaged: Eunice Dorothy Smith, Beaumont, to Harold LeRoy Hess, Kunkle.

Deaths: Rufus Newberry, 60, former resident of Beaumont. Mrs. Ida Mae Bealer, 7, of Sweet Valley.

Mildred Kingston lacerates her knee while romping at Wildwood.

Service Mothers of Jackson or organize club.

A. J. Sordoni heads Harveys Lake Protective Association, with T. Newell Wood reelected vice president.

From the Issue of June 29, 1934

First tragedy of the season at Harveys Lake is death of a Luzerne boy, Joseph Bradbury, who smothered while trying out a home-made diving helmet.

Dallas Rotary elects H. S. Van-Campen president.

Attorneys for Clarence Derby, Noxen, ask for another trial on an arson charge.

George Kirkendal, Dallas, takes directorship of Community Chest in Lansing, Michigan.

A movement is started to install traffic lights on the highway in Dallas Borough. 100 cars pass every five minutes on a busy Sunday.

Corned beef, two cans 27c; coffee, 19c per lb.; red salmon, 2 cans 25c; catchup, 2 bottles 21c; Bakers chocolate, 1/2 pound cake 23c.

**Strawberry Festival**

Christian Friendly Society, Huntsville Christian Church, plans a strawberry festival with home-made ice-cream, coffee and soft drinks, in the church parlors Thursday evening at 7:30.

**SAFETY VALVE**  
WANTS TO EXCHANGE

The Dallas Post: We would like to exchange papers with you as we enjoy The Post very much and the printing and make-up could serve as an incentive to any newspaper.

Cordially yours  
William W. Keeler  
The Keeler Newspapers  
• Thanks for those kind words. The credit for the excellent press work on The Dallas Post and all our other printing goes to Mr. Clifford Fink.—Editor.

**Mrs. OLVER'S ADDRESS**

Dear Editor: Will you please mail The Dallas Post to Mrs. Ethel Olver c/o Mrs. Frank Kurfess, Dry Run Road, RD 2 Monongahela, Pa.

The Post means a lot to mother. She still cannot stand up and in general is in poor health. I forwarded a batch of them to her this morning.

We do enormously appreciate having them. Also congratulate you on the type paper you run. It gets better every issue.

• During a lifetime it has fallen to our lot to know of no finer or more patient character than Mrs. Ethel M. Olver. Daughter of a former District Superintendent of the Methodist Church; widowed with three small children, she turned to music to support her little brood. Her only son, Lincoln, just coming into fine young manhood, was run down and killed as he walked along the highway at dusk near Hill's Greenhouse. Both as teacher and organist, she was known to hundreds in the Back Mountain Region and Wyoming Valley until she was incapacitated by a stroke. Here is a woman who has borne tragedy and without complaint. My kind of Christian and heroine—if there ever was one.—Editor.

Editor The Post: GRAND CANYON COUNTRY

A friend of ours recently sent us a copy of your column: "Barnyard Notes" which you devoted to Pennsylvania's Grand Canyon Country and our hotel. The column was splendid and we were highly flattered by your comments. We want you to know how much we appreciated your article and hope that the next time you are with us in Wellsboro you will make yourself known. Again thanking you, I am  
Hugh Dale  
managing director  
Penn-Wells Hotel.

**MORE FROM WELLSBORO**

Dear Editor: Thank you for the wonderful write-up which you gave the Penn-Wells in your newspaper. Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Griffith and Mrs. Charles Lee were guests at the Hotel recently and gave me a copy of The Post.

I'd like to express to you our appreciation,  
Sincerely  
Kenneth Blackman  
Assistant Manager  
The Penn-Wells

**AND STILL MORE**

Hi, Neighbor— I'm sure you saw this (a copy of the Wellsboro Gazette with a reprint of Barnyard Notes) but in case you didn't, here it is. You and Mary Cameron (grand gal!) have a lot in common: You both run unusually fine small-town weeklies. I feel just the way you do about Wellsboro—it's a gem of a town.

Best  
Dot Shepherd  
• The three letters above prove what I have said before, that you can sense the friendly spirit of Wellsboro people just as soon as you enter the town.—Editor.

**APPRECIATES PUBLICITY**

Dear Dallas Post: May I use this means to thank you for all the school publicity so capably handled by you during the past year?

Appreciatively  
Oce Beryl Austin  
for Beaumont Schools

**WANTS THE NEWS**

Dear Editor: Thought it would be a good idea for me to let you know my new address if I expect to continue receiving The Dallas Post. I've been missing out on the Back Mountain News and I'd like to catch up again.

I'm in Korea with an A. C. & W. unit somewhat similar to the one at Red Rock. I can't tell you anything else about it though.

Here it is Capt. Carl J. Dykman A0841549 Det. 2, 608 A. C. & W. Sq., APO 67, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Cal.

I don't recall thanking you for the previous issues of The Post I received at Keesler AFB, so—thanks a million.

Sincerely  
Carl Dykman

• Carl, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dykman, Trucksville, is a graduate of Kingston Township High School. He has made an excellent record in the Army Air Force which he entered previous to World War II.—Editor.

**Barnyard Notes**

In contrast to much of the disagreeable publicity that emanates from the Back Mountain and Wyoming Valley areas is the colorful three-page picture story of "A Library Built, On An Auction Block" which will be carried to six million readers across the United States in the August issue of "Friends Magazine," Chevrolet Motor Company's award-winning publication.

An advance copy mailed this week from Detroit has been received by The Post from John H. Warner, editor, who is a former Scranton man. Similar advance copies have been sent to other newspaper editors throughout the State. Two hundred and fifty additional copies are also being sent to Dallas air express.

The story, of course, is about the Library Auction, illustrated with color pictures taken last year by Joe Covello, Black Star's ace photographer.

Commenting on Joe's work in a telephone conversation Wednesday from Detroit, Mr. Warner said: "We had great difficulty confining the story to three pages. Two is our usual number for any story. For a time we considered five for the Auction, because of the quality of Joe's pictures. That, of course, was impossible and against policy, so we settled on three."

The story opens with a half page unusual angle shot of the Library Annex which demonstrates Covello's artistry. On the same page is a quarter page action shot of Harry Ohlman selling a dress form. It is captioned: "The Auctioneer works at a brisk pace to dispose of the hundreds of items. Here he offers a fine figure, gets a good figure for it from a costume designer."

Then Mr. Warner leads off in his story: "Biggest community event of the year in Dallas, Pennsylvania, near Wilkes-Barre, is the auction held each summer to support the town's Back Mountain Memorial Library. From this three-day sale comes the sole income of the library, which was established in 1945 in honor of local men and women who served in the armed forces. To the people of Dallas, helping the library is a community responsibility. For weeks, they gather, sort and repair the stuff that's to be sold, collecting from stores and warehouses, from barns and basements and attics. Every item is contributed—brand new merchandise, old furniture, choice antiques, new born livestock. When auction time comes, the whole town attends (and people from all over the country, too). Everybody has a fine time, the library's operating fund is swelled (net proceeds last year \$11,000), and once again it's proved that when good neighbors work together, a community project can be a big success—and a lot of fun, too."

Personally we liked that last sentence the best of anything in the entire story. Read it again and you can find the secret for good publicity that puts Chambers of Commerce and high-paid publicists to shame—"when good neighbors work together."

Eleven color pictures make-up the middle page spread of the Friends story. One of the Barn, taken before the Auction, shows Alice and Fred Howell, George Kostenbauder, Dorothy Ross, Miriam Lathrop, Janet Jenkins, Mrs. Thomas Graham and Chick Smith checking antiques as they go into the Barn.

Other shots are of Helen Gross, painting a chair; Mrs. Viola Campbell at the baked goods counter; Mary Prantz with her gaily decorated bachelor goose; the twins, Mrs. Cory Meade and Mrs. Walter Smith of Idetown, bidding with a twinkle in their eyes; Alice Howell's doll house furnished by Mrs. Dwight Fisher; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones shaded with a market basket over their heads while Mrs. Jones enjoys a Coca-Cola; the Auction Block with Harry Ohlman and Howard Risley on deck assisted by Robert Laux, Charles Nuss and Carl Hedden; midnight Saturday, the deserted grounds with forlorn and forgotten old chairs in front of the Auction Block.

But there are two pictures that stand out as masterpieces in my opinion; the one of a little girl dressed all in red, cuddling her recently purchased puppy captioned: "Successful Bidder wins her heart's desire, a puppy, for 50 cents. Children are the only buyers who find the auctioneers a soft touch." It would make a wonderful magazine cover and will delight the hearts of her mummy and daddy when they see it.

The other is the study of my mother holding a picture given to the Auction by Frances Dorrance and which she had just purchased. The story behind it is interesting.

Working at the Auction block on Saturday night when the crowd was at its largest, I felt a tugging at my trouser leg. It was Joe Covello, very excited. "I just got my finest picture . . . and," he hesitated a moment, "I've just learned it's your mother!"

As soon as the magazine arrived I took it over to her house to let her leaf through it without warning. When she came to the page and the photograph in the upper right corner, she said: "I know that woman; who is she?"

I hesitated, "Why it's you, mama!" She laughed, "My, I'm ugly!" But for her son, it just about made Friends Magazine the greatest publication in the World!

**The Diary Of A Bible**

January 15—Been resting quietly for a week. The first few nights after the first of the year my owner read me regularly, but has forgotten me I guess.

February 2—Clean up. I was dusted with other things, and put back in my place.

February 8—Owner used me for a short time this afternoon looking up a few references; went to Sunday School.

March 7—Clean up; dusted, and put in my old place again. Have been down in the lower hall since my trip to Sunday School.

April 12—Busy day, owner led devotions at mission circle, and had to look up references; had an awful time finding them, though they were in the right place all the time.

May 5—In Grandma's lap all afternoon. She is here on a visit. She let a tear drop fall on Colossians, second chapter, verses 3-7, steadfastness.

May 6—In Grandma's lap again this afternoon. She spent most of her time on First Corinthians 13, and the last four verses of the fifteenth chapter, "charity, steadfast, unmovable."

May 7, 8, 9—In Grandma's lap every afternoon now. It's quite comfortable. Sometimes she reads me and sometimes she quotes from me with her eyes closed.

May 10—Grandma gone; back in the old place again. She kissed me goodbye.

June 3—Had a couple of four leaf clovers stuck in me today.

July 1—Packed in a trunk with clothes and things. Off on a vacation, I guess.

July 27—Still in the trunk, though nearly everything else has been taken out.

July 15—Home again, and in my old place. Quite a journey, though I don't see why I was taken.

August 1—Rather stuffy and hot. Have two magazines and a novel and an old hat on top of me; wish they would take them off.

September 5—Clean up; dusted and set right again.

September 10—Used by Mary a few minutes today. She was writing a letter to a friend whose brother had died, and wanted an appropriate verse.

September 30—Cleaned up again. What does my Bible say?

If we read three chapters each week day and five each Sunday, we can read the Bible through in one year.—The Canadian Baptist.

"Why is it that the wrong number on a telephone is never busy when you call?"—Charles Knouse.

**Mrs. Ella Major Is Hostess To W.C.T.U.**

Mrs. Ella M. Major entertained members of the Dallas WCTU at her home last week.

Business consisted of a talk by Mrs. Mildred Weidner in which she stated that \$9 billion had been spent for liquor last year; report of Mrs. William Higgins on the affluents sent to mental hospitals; announcement of the WCTU convention to be held at Central Methodist Church, Wilkes-Barre, October 7 at 6:30 p.m.

Present were Mesdames Della Parrish, Eliza Gillman, Mattie Had-sell, Ada M. Fritz, Edward Keen, Laura Jones, M. Samuels, I. Chapin, Dorey Rogers C. S. Hildebrandt, Z. E. Garinger, Mildred Weidner, William Higgins, D. A. Waters and Laverna Rice.

Next meeting will be held at the Weidner home.

**Birthday For Sandra**

Sandra Rogowski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rogowski, Pikes Creek, celebrated her eleventh birthday Thursday with an outdoor barbecue for classmates from Gate of Heaven school, and former classmates from Lake-Noxen. Tables were decorated in circus motif. Guests were Tally Thomas, Mary Ann Daily, William Donachie, Beverly Noon, Gerry Gavigan, Barbara Hoover, Saralee Kibler, Bonnie Kallybaugh, Ronnalee Stepanski, Sally Winter, Linda, Ronnie, Joann and Jonnie Rogowski.

**Bennington Survivor Will Visit Pikes Creek**

Chief Petty Officer Edison Henish, a survivor of the ill-fated Bennington, escaping while six of his comrades were killed at his side, will visit in the area for three weeks, together with his wife, the former Hilda Winter, RN, of Meeker. The couple will arrive Sunday, and stay with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rogowski, Pikes Creek, and Mrs. Annie Winter, Meeker.

**Worth Repeating . . .**

At the time most automobiles are consigned to the scrap heap, they are about 14 years old and have gone 121,000 miles.

The average age of a member of Congress is 53.

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