

Earl Parsons Claims He Was Beaten Sunday

Truck Driver For Gavy's Market Was Set On By 3 Youths

A Kingston youth, Robert Harron, 169 Division Street, is being held in Luzerne County Prison in lieu of \$500 bail which he was unable to raise when given a hearing Monday night before Justice of the Peace Frederick Anderson of Shavertown on assault and battery charges.

The charges grew out of the beating of Earl Parsons, Trucksville, truck driver for Gavy's Market, Sunday night near Blaze's stone house on the Luzerne-Trucksville highway.

Parsons, 23, a 4-year Navy veteran, was unable to attend the hearing because he is a patient at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital recovering from a broken nose and other injuries.

Parsons told Chief of Police Jesse Coslett and Asst. Chief Herbert Urdyke, who apprehended Harron, that he was returning home in his own car about 11 p.m. from Pauling's place in Edwardsville when his car was forced off the highway by another automobile. Three youths jumped out of the other car and with the exclamation: "Parsons you have had it" started beating him. Parsons was momentarily knocked out. When he recovered consciousness his attackers were gone.

With blood streaming from his face and nose, Parsons got back in his car and returning to Paulings where he found a friend who took him to the hospital.

Harron maintains his innocence and has offered a number of alibis which police are checking. He has a previous police record.

Linear Gives 95 Pints Of Blood To Bloodmobile

Separate Donations From Linear, Red Rock, And Misericordia

Red Cross Bloodmobile received a ninety-five pint blood donation from Linear Inc. in Fernbrook on Wednesday afternoon, and sixty-three pints from Red Rock on Monday.

Linear has a donation at its own plant, rather than send employees to the semi-annual Blood Day at Dallas Borough school, and Red Rock, far from any central point, furnishes donors under the same arrangement.

Natona sends donors to the Dallas Borough School on Blood Donor Day. Fourteen donors cooperated October 9, when Dallas netted 124 pints.

College Misericordia has its own Blood Donation Day, staged at some time during the school year.

Lake Street Intersection Closed October 26, 27

Lake Street, at Center Hill Road, will be closed to through traffic Monday and Tuesday, according to announcement by John Landis, Commonwealth Telephone Company.

Conduits will be laid across the street from a new manhole, completely blocking access.

Residents of Lake Street will not be hindered from travel to central Dallas.

Cars headed toward College Misericordia, customarily using Lake Street, may take the Lake highway to Center Hill Road, turn right, and reach Lake Street at Girvan's without hindrance, or reach it by way of Claude Street and East Center Hill Road.

Trucksville Young Man Is Killed When Train Strikes Car In York

A Trucksville young man who made his home with his brother, Phillip, on Highland Avenue, Trucksville Gardens, was instantly killed yesterday morning when the automobile in which he was riding was struck by a train in York.

He was Donald Straub, 23, formerly of Kingston, who has made his home with his brother since the death of his mother six months ago in Kingston.

A graduate of Kingston High School and Wilkes College, he was an employee of Sears Roebuck &

Company in York, but spent his weekends here. He was going to work with a friend when their car was struck yesterday morning.

A former member of St. Ignatius Church in Kingston, he attended St. Therese's Church in Shavertown after moving to Trucksville.

He leaves his brother, Phillip, district representative of Proctor & Gamble Company, and a brother, Walter, of Stroudsburg.

Funeral details were not available at press time.

United Fund Campaign Dragging Its Heels In Back Mountain Area

Only one week remains in the 1960 Wyoming Valley United Fund Campaign which ends October 28. The first district chairmen on the West Side to make their 100% quota were Mrs. Gomer Elston and Mrs. Fred Dodson of Kunkle.

Mrs. Fletcher C. Booker, Jr., and Mrs. Donald Davis report that Back Mountain Area A has reached 43% of its \$5,745 goal. Area A includes Dallas Borough, Dallas Township, Harveys Lake and Franklin Township.

Back Mountain Area B, under Mrs. Charles Frantz and Mrs. J. B. Marshall, Jr., has attained only 39% of its goal of \$4,564. Included in Area B are Jackson, Lehman, Shavertown, Trucksville and Carverton.

Fund workers gathered at a meeting Monday night at St. Stephen's Church House, Wilkes-Barre, to find that quotas were far below the 70% that should have been attained by this time.

Captains of the Back Mountain areas urge all solicitors to go back

on calls that have been unanswered and to get returns in. The next meeting will be at St. Stephen's Monday night, October 26, and the Victory Dinner will be Wednesday when final returns must be made.

Many organizations are dependent on the United Fund and will be forced to accept drastic cuts in funds if the 1960 goal of \$81,273,000 is not reached.

David Kunkle In Hospital

Flare-Up Of Infection After-Math Of Accident

David Kunkle who was taken to Veterans Hospital by ambulance on Monday night, is improving under treatment with anti-biotics.

David, almost fatally injured June 16, 1958, in a car crash near Patuxent Naval Base, hung between life and death for months at Bethesda Naval Hospital. Meningitis developed as an aftermath of his injury.

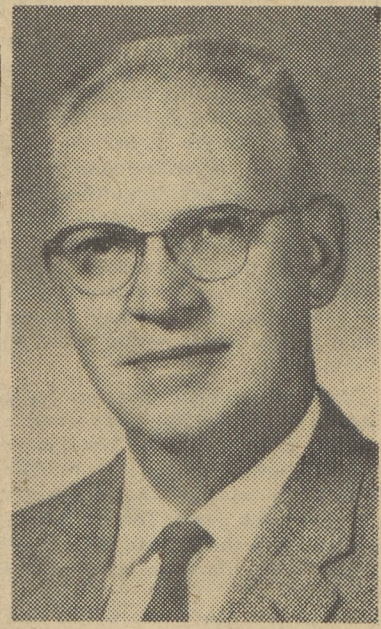
Surgeons believe that meningococcus organisms not completely eradicated by former treatment, flared up again to cause the present illness.

David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warden Kunkle, Lehman Avenue, was to have left Dallas Tuesday to become an instructor in X-Ray at Temple University Dental School.

Civil Defense Film

Stefan Hellerspork will speak and show a film on Civil Defense at the meeting of Gate of Heaven PTA on Tuesday night.

Delegate To Los Angeles



Lester B. Squier is one of three school administrators chosen at a recent meeting of Northeastern Pennsylvania PSEA to represent administration from the entire Northeastern tier of counties at a national convention in Los Angeles June 26 to July 1 next summer.

Mr. Squier, supervising principal of Lake-Lehman Schools, will drive to the Coast, according to present plans, taking with him his wife and two sons, pursuing the shortest route west, and taking more time for sight-seeing on the return trip.

Mr. Squier's selection is an honor for the Back Mountain and for Luzerne County. Anthony Marchakitus, Lake-Lehman high school principal, and former president of the Luzerne County organization of PSEA, placed Mr. Squier's name in nomination. Mr. Squier has been favorably known in the Northeastern Pennsylvania association for many years.

He has been administrator at Lehman since 1948, first of Lehman Schools, then of Lehman-Jackson, then Lehman-Jackson-Ross, and more recently the five-way Lake-Lehman jointure.

From 1942 to 1948 he was assistant superintendent of schools in Wyoming County. He started his school teaching career in rural schools at Nicholson, and was for a time high school principal there.

He graduated from Mansfield State Teachers College and from Pennsylvania State University.

Tax Collector In Hospital

Dallas Borough Tax Collector, Arthur Dungey is making a good recovery at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital where he underwent an emergency hernia operation last week.

Rotary Is Preparing To Serve 1,000 At Annual Turkey Dinner

Annual turkey dinner sponsored by the Dallas Rotary Club will be held on Thursday evening, November 5, in the Jackson Township Fire Hall.

This affair has grown in popularity until this year ticket sales of 1000 are anticipated. The dinner is prepared by the Women's Auxiliary of the Jackson Fire Company and serving is done by the men of the Rotary Club. Serving will start at 5 p.m. and continue until everyone is taken care of.

Dallas Women of Rotary will hold a bake sale on the lower level of the Fire Hall while dinner is being served on the main floor.

James Besecker, general chairman, reports that the following are serving as committee chairmen: ticket sales, Myron S. Baker; assisted by Phil Moore, Bill Krimmel and Fred Jennings; door, Dr. L. E. Jordan, assisted by Dr. Stanley Hozempa; ticket sales, door—Harold Titman, assisted by Harvey Johnson; in charge of waiters, Dan Chapman and Hanford Eckman, Jr.; kitchen, Red Ambrose, Paul Gross, Jack Landis, Joe Sekera, Ed Lannan; ice cream and milk, Charlie Roberts and Wilson Garring.

Proceeds from the dinner are used by the club for the promotion of civic projects in the Back Mountain.

Vandals Damage Cars With Wax And Lipstick

Vandals used lipstick and wax on both car windows and bodies in the parking lot at Prince of Peace Episcopal Church Tuesday night, in addition to soaping windshields.

This, says Chief of Police Russell Honeywell, is an expensive pastime for parents of children who did the damage. Wax and lipstick on paint jobs add up to new paint jobs. Parents are responsible. Honeywell has a lead on two of the pre-Halloween pranksters. This is the first serious damage this year.

Opening Of Bids Postponed Again

Date Is Now Set For November 12

Inability of architects Lacy, Atherton & Davis to get specifications for alternate heating into the hands of contractors in time for them to be included in their bids for the new Dallas Senior High School Building has forced Dallas School District Authority to postpone opening of bids until its regular meeting on Thursday, November 12.

Originally bids were scheduled to be opened on Thursday night, October 29.

First specifications prepared by the architects were for electrical heating only. Objections to electrical heating by certain taxpayers caused the State Department of Public Instruction to issue an order for alternate specifications to be prepared for coal, oil and gas heating as well.

Flames Destroy Brooder House

Five hundred baby chicks were burned to death, and a 150 foot building destroyed by fire at Carverton Monday morning. Efforts of West Wyoming, Franklin Township, and Harding volunteer fire companies kept the flames from spreading to a barn where great numbers of hens were housed, and to eight other chicken houses containing between 5,000 and 6,000 chickens.

Elwood Lord, owner and operator of the poultry farm on Grange Hall Road, expected the arrival of 2,100 baby chicks Wednesday morning. He has one more chicken house in which to place them.

A brooder unit may have exploded under accumulation of gas, when too little draft was left to provide proper combustion when banked. There were seven other such units in the building.

Firemen report the barn, very close to the burning chicken house, was saved with difficulty.

The loss is estimated between \$5,000 and \$6,000.

Elwood, son of the late John Lord and brother of Allison Lord, who died three months ago, is carrying on the poultry business for the family, sending quantities of eggs to market, and supplying fryers.

Wagner In Hospital

Frank Wagner, custodian at Dallas Junior High School, is a patient at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital where he was taken Tuesday in the Dallas Community Ambulance following a heart attack.

Bi-Partisan Group Will Oppose Borough Republican Candidates

One of the few communities in the Back Mountain area where there will be any local contests of consequence in the general election, Dallas Borough will have a full slate of candidates to oppose the regular Republican nominees.

Calling themselves the "Bi-Partisan Candidates for better local government," the slate is composed of three Republican and three Democratic candidates all of whom obtained Democratic nominations during the primary election.

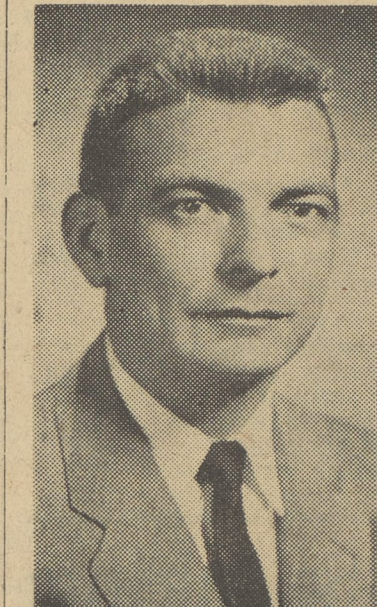
Heading the ticket are four candidates for Borough Council led by Fred Jennings who was narrowly defeated for the Republican nomination in the primaries. His running mates are Harry Burns, S. Warren Yarnal and Clemens Sudol.

All four are college men who

Psychiatric Social Worker with Children's Service Center in Wilkes-Barre. He served three years in the European Theatre during World War II. He is former president of Dallas Borough PTA and is active in Civil Defense and Boy Scout work.

Sudol, a graduate of Seton Hall University, East Orange, N. J., is a chemist and now plant manager of J. Roberts Manufacturing Company in Forty Fort. During the war he did work in blood plasma for the treatment of shock. He is active in the Holy Name Society of Gate of Heaven Church.

The group's candidate for School Board is Thomas E. Hillery who holds a master's degree in education from Penn State, and was formerly superintendent of schools



G. WARREN YARNAL
Candidate For Council



FRED JENNINGS
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DONALD CLARK
Candidate For
Justice-Of-The-Peace



HARRY BURNS
Candidate For Council

have a yen for community service and who are embarking on their first time in politics.

Jennings is an electrical engineer, graduate of Penn State, and formerly with the Glen Alden Company. Burns attended Clarion State Teachers College and North Carolina State College. He served three years with the U. S. Army in the middle East. He is industrial sales representative of Singer Sewing Machine Company and is head of Civil Defense for Dallas Borough.

Yarnal, a graduate of Juniata College with a master's degree from University of Pittsburgh, is chief

in Canton. He is a partner and general manager of Mahaffey Oil Company.

For Justice of the Peace Donald Clark will carry the banner for the Bi-Partisan group. He is a graduate of Ithaca public schools, Hargrave Military Academy and Temple University. Mr. Clark spent three years reading law before entering the cement business as northeastern Pennsylvania representative for Universal Atlas.

Acting as spokesman for the Bi-Partisan group, Donald Clark, a registered Democrat, said: "We feel (Continued on Section A, Page 8)

Beaumont—Champions of The Bi-County League



Kneeling, front row: Percy McMillan, first base; Alex Wilson, pitcher; Charles Everetts, pitcher; Carl Sickler, catcher; Herb Goodwin, infielder.

Standing: Harry Derhammer, manager; Bob Harris, infielder; Carl Crispell, outfielder; Bob Bellas, outfielder; Carl Straley, infielder; Larry Crispell, outfielder; Dick Searfoss, infielder; Mel Crispell, catcher.

A young alert team, with several of its members still playing high school ball, Beaumont had twenty wins and two losses during the regular season. It won two straight from Silvara in the semi-finals, and defeated Mehoopany two straight in the finals. Outstanding batters were Mel and Larry Crispell and Bob Bellas.

Three College Misericordia Dormitories On Lake Street

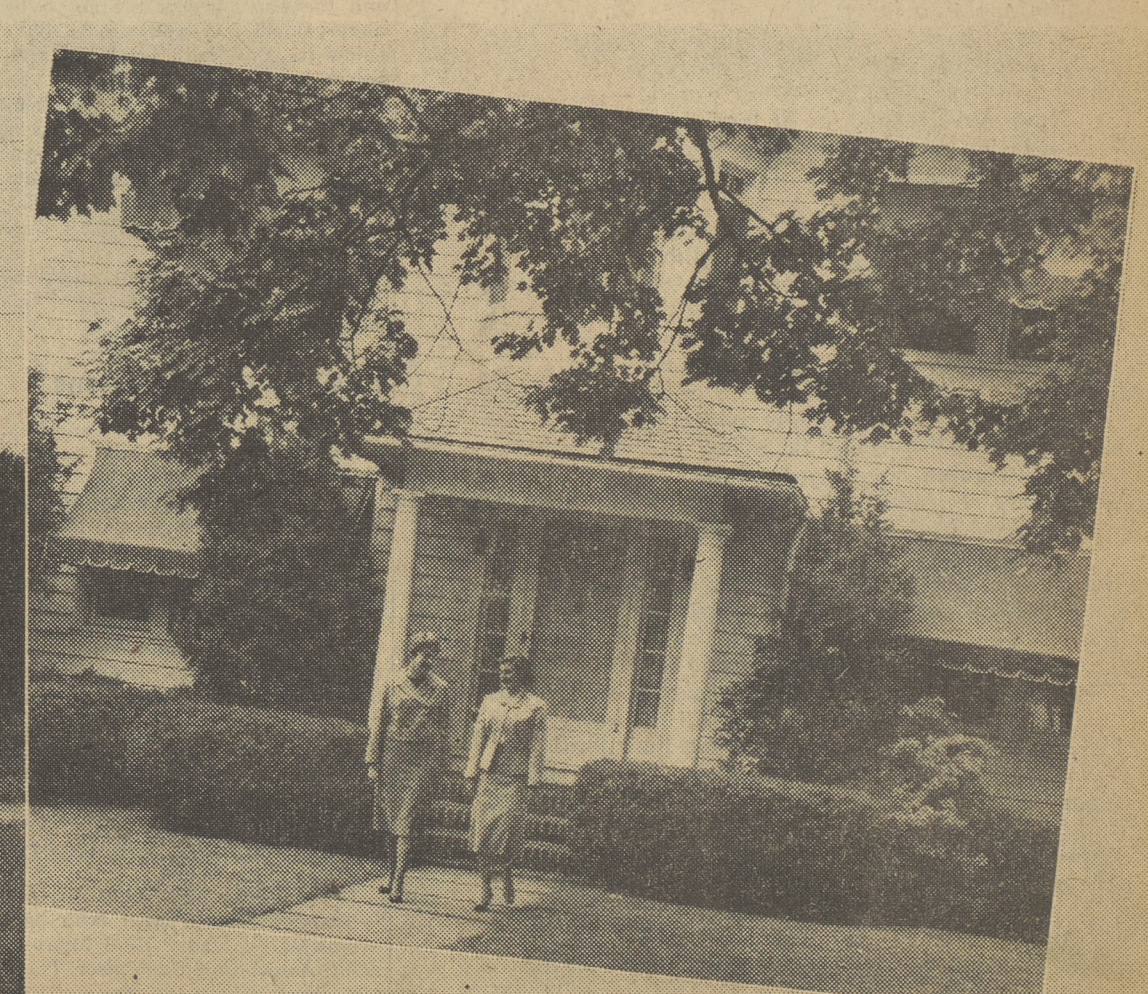


Lake Street is acquiring a new look, with more and more properties passing from private individuals to College Misericordia ownership. For a number of years Rosary Hall, in the center picture, has been in active oper-



ation as an adjunct of the College. More recently, residences of sufficient size have been purchased and converted to dormitory use.

Standing on the pavements of Avila Hall are Judith



Doyle, Betty Ringle, and Mary Frances Burns. The building was the former Murphy home.

At the entrance of Rosary Hall are Marilyn Gaita, Judith Leydecker, Regina Shehadi, and Joan Synave.

Coming down the walk from Mercy Hall are Esther Burke and Lois Holzbach. This building is the former Titman home.