## Local Boy Gets Third Prize In **Art Contest**

Donald Berlew Draws Primitive Conception Of Carnival Overture

One of the features of the Children's Concert, sponsored by the Junior League April 29 at 10:30 a. m. at Irem Temple, under direction of Ferdinand Liva, will be a showing of the drawings done by children of the fifth and sixth grades, individual conceptions of what a

piece of music means in terms of art. A local boy, Donald Berlew, in Joseph E. Park's fifth grade at Shavertown, topped his classmates to become representative from his school, one of forty-nine competing schools. He went on to win third place among top ranking entries.

Donald sketched a herd of pranc- capable hands. ing horses tossing their manes and Mrs. Gebhart died Wednesday following a violinist across a grassy night at Geisinger Memorial Hosfield, with purple mountains in the background and a wide blue sky with for only one day.

white clouds overhead. Wyoming Art League gallery Satur- liam Reid, pastor of Orange Methoday through next Friday, then at dist Church, officiating. Eastern Star Irem Temple. Winners will be intro- services were held Friday night. Fine Arts Fiesta in Public Square in of the order. May at the Junior League booth.

Donald is son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Berlew. Judges were wellknown artists of Wyoming Valley.

## Police Appoint Two Delegates

Kester And Updyke Going To Conference

Back Mountain Police Association met at the Game Commission Bulking Lake-Lehman ing on Thursday night.

President Byron Kester presided. The organization moved to send President Kester and its secretary Council, on May 3 at Harrisburg.

to present safety programs. Walbridge Leinthall as chaplain to made possible through cooperation fill out the present term of office.

tution, and the june meeting at Davenport. Pennsylvania State Police Barracks. Meetings will then be discontinued The Senior Chorus gave a widely

nual dance to be held at Jackson Laskowsky, and a piano duet by United Fund. Fire Hall, on May 12. Tickets may be Gloria and Dean Long. Vocal solos Murphy's appointment to the cations and, under the direction of The attractively designed con-

The Association also decided to Landis. have all Back Mountain Police Chiefs | Conductor Gerrity has had wide 30th at Dallas Borough Building to dacquaint each other with information of a police nature so that all tion of a police nature so that all the police nature so the police nature so that all the police nature so the police nature so that all the police nature nature so that all the police nature so that all the police nature n department. Meetings will be brief. He is a member of Concordia.

### Loss To Community



The untimely death of Mrs. Marie The theme for all the young Webb Gebhart, Sutton Creek Road, artists was the same: Roman Carnifor seventeen years teacher of used crayons. The record of the English and speech at Wyoming overture was played for all fifth Seminary Day School, comes as a students have passed through her

She was buried at Orcutt Ceme-Drawings will be on display at tery Saturday afternoon, Rev. Wil-

Musical Talent contest winners. forming the local Rainbow Girls tor. Drawings will be shown also at the Assembly, serving as district deputy

> She was a native of Wyoming, daughter of Arthur and Daisy Ryman

> She leaves her husband Hugh, secretary-treasurer of Dallas School Building Authority, her parents; a daughter, Mrs. Daisette Jones, Red Bank, N. J.

## Musical Program At Lake-Lehman

Give Varied Program Lake-Lehman High School vocal

Herbert Updyke to the second department under direction of Berannual Governors Traffic Safety nard Gerrity presented an evening This will be held at Zembo Mosque and traffic experts from all over the Junior Chorus; Lehman Junior Chorus; Lehman Junior of song last Friday in the school Chorus; and the combined Senior Chorus. Junior Choruses were at-The organization also elected tractively framed by a garden scene The next monthly meeting will be held at Dallas Correctional Insti-

## Pennsylvania Game Commission Building To Be Dedicated Today

Pennsylvania Game Commission, general public are invited. Northeast Division Headquarters The Dallas office, under the super-Building, on Memorial Highway, vision of Carl C. Stainbrook, is ad-

The Honorable James A. Thomp- thirteen north-eastern counties of son, president of the Commission, Pennsylvania, in charge of enforcing will preside and The Honorable the Game Law and various conser-John Morgan Davis, Lieutenant Gov- vation activities on 270,000 acres of pernor of Pennsylvania, will give the state game lands. dedication address. Representatives This is the first division office from various sportsmen's groups building constructed by the Game will be included on the program and Commission. all interested sportsmen and the

will be dedicated today at 1 P.M. | ministrative headquarters for the

## Medical Society Will Award Scholarship At Irem Dinner

Road, Trucksville, a member of the upper fifth of their class have been Board of Directors of the Boy Nanticoke. Luzarne County Medical Society distributed, according to Dr. Perkins. Scouts. scholarship committee, has an- He noted that judging of applications nounced that the recipient of the will be in the hands of representa-\$1.000 grant from the society will be tives of the four educational institu- organization. "With Pat Murphy honored at the society's Centennial tions to which the grant can be Week dinmer-dance Saturday night, applied—Misericordia, Wilkes, King's Business should set a high mark for Bowling To Benefit April 29, at Irem Temple Country and the Penn State Institute.

Dr. Perkins said the dinner-dance parents will be guests of the Luzerne will climax a week-long observance County Medical Society at the Armed Forces Day of the medical society's 100th year dinner-dance, he added. just below the YMCA.

Applications to high school seniors selection.

The scholarship winner and

Tomorrow's The Night For Dallas Junior High Band Concert



and sixth grade classes, and stu-shock to both this community and Junior High School Band will present musicians. Officers of the band are: urer. Ushers are members of the College Misericordia.

lents, under direction of their art Wyoming Valley, where hundreds of its annual spring concert under Howard Dymond, president; Beverly Student Council; stage hands memdirection of Alfred M. Camp, who Eck, vice president; Donald Smith, bers of the Audio-Visual Aids Club

Tomorrow night at 8 p. m., Dallas stands at the extreme left of his 110 | secretary; Andrea Krimmell, treas- | student teacher, Carol Robinson,

## Assessment Was The Same, But Taxes Were Lower 46 Years Ago

Charles Shales of Bunker Hill, paid \$40.20. Kingston Township, is exhibiting an Today his taxes are \$139.29. interesting 1915 tax receipt, signed Here is the way his 1915 tax by the late G. W. Roushey at that statement read: County Road, oneduced to the audience along with Mrs. Gebhart was instrumental in time Kingston Township Tax Collectenth mill; sinking fund eight-tenth mill; County one and eight-tenth Forty-six years ago Mr. Shales mills; dog tax 40c; poor tax \$1.75; property was assessed for \$1,760. It special poor tax 17c; Township road is assessed for the same amount to- \$12.01; less rebate 5 percent. His day, but the difference comes in the school tax was \$20.59 plus a 5 per-

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amount of taxes he pays. Then he cent penalty of \$1.03.



PATRICK J. MURPHY

paign chairman.

and success as the most satisfactory RACES Net. way to meet the obligation of our community," Murphy said.

The division is being enlarged and increasing importance of the solicitation on the West Side and particand the shopping centers.

confidence in the success of the direct traffic.

Murphy, a relative newcomer, Local stations participating Delaware, two years ago.

heading the division, Suburban future campaigns," O'Malley said.

South Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre, planning other fields of study will will be two tremendous firing and neighbors when the Charles institution on Sunday, May 7. have equal opportunities in the demonstrations, and a spectacular Casterline home at Harveys Lake Left to Right

## **National Alert** April 26 To 30

Civilian Participation April 28, 4 P.M.

The Federal Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization has scheduled a nationwide Civil Defense Exercise called "Operation Alert, 1961" beginning Wednesday, April 26 and continuing through Sunday, April

Luzerne County Civil Defense Organization will participate in all tor, and Herman A. Wagner, Deputy Director, are now in their final the twenty-sixth annual four-day

County Civil Defense Units will be mustered and placed in operation in ten locations throughout the Coun-The main body, operating out of the Courthouse, will begin solving Slaff for eight years of devoted and Patrick J. Murphy, Upper De- the "solutions" shortly after 4:30 varied program, interspersed with Munds, Road, will direct the Subur- p.m. on Friday, April 28, with as-The organization is now in the readings by Dean Long, piano solos ban Business Division of the 1962 sistance from Civil Defense Sector 1961' process of sponsoring its fourth an- by Larry Carpenter and Mary Ann Torch Campaign of Wyoming Valley levels. All local Civil Defense units will assemble at Sector Control lo- guest. purchased from any Back Mountain police officer.

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phases of the "problem" unfold. The Suburban Business Division Sector locations at Wilkes-Barre, have all Back Mountain Police Chiefs and newspaper business, meet each month on the 15th and experience. He was director of St. was created last year to improve the Pittston, Kingston, Dallas, Nantiand has been a loyal and devoted Murphy, a manager for Sears Roe- manned by county amateur radio School. buck, is following his company's and personnel under the supervision of his own personal interest in the Fund. "The company and our people RACES Service. Additional comare deeply concerned with the munications will be established with and shortly thereafter married United Fund's continued program local areas participating in the Augusta Scher of Mt. Vernon, N.Y.,

Public participation will begin at ings and remain indoors until the Frank came to Wilkes-Barre as a vania. ularly among the smaller businesses Clear" is sounded. Regular and Civil Defense Auxiliary Police will The division chairman expressed be stationed at critical points to

campaign as a whole and his di- At the "take cover" signal all vision in particular. "I feel sure normal radio and television broadthat all our merchants will do castings will cease and "Conelrad" everything necessary to carry their 640 or 1240 on your radio dial will begin emergency broadcasting. transferred here from Wilmington, "Conelrad", on 1240, will be WBRE, Wilkes-Barre, WBAX, Wilkes-Barre, He is a member of Wilkes-Barre WPTS, Pittston, WAZL, Hazleton Dr. Charles G. Perkins, Harris Hill in Luzerne County who are in the Kiwanis Club and serves on the and on the 640 frequency, WNAK,

Chairman O'Malley welcomed 4:30 p.m., when radio and television

# Burned Out Family

Crown Imperial Bowling Lanes has was destroyed by fire in January.

# Frank Slaff Named Man of Year By Atlantic Coast Distributors



FRANK SLAFF

Frank Slaff, Machell Avenue was nonored guest (man-of-the-year) of the Atlantic Coast Independent Disphases of the coming alert. Plans held last Thursday night in the American Jewish Committee and is tributors Association at a dinner Col. Frank Townend, County Directors grand ballroom of the Waldorf As- a member of the Board of Directors oria Hotel in New York City during convention of the association. Eight hundred attended.

At the same time Mr. Slaff received a sterling silver plate inscribed: "T V Guide honors Frank outstanding service as a vital member of its organization - April 13,

Mrs. Slaff was also an honored

"The honored guest of ACIDA this year is a veteran of 37 years in the

on January 18, 1920.

Frank and Augusta Slaff are the parents of two fine sons - Lyle for districts 4 and 5. (Trucksville) who is associated with

clude partnership in the Luzerne sanitation problems. County News Company; managing

He is a member of Phi Sigma Conelrad stations operating from Delta Fraternity, Cornell Law 4 to 4:30. School Association, a member of the Masons and Shrine, on State Advisory Board of the Salvation Army, a member of Rotary Club, Elks, American Legion, Wilkes-Barre Advertising Club, representative of Wyoming Valley Jewish Committee, member Wyoming Historical and Geological Society, Wyoming Valley Art League, vice president of Board of Trustees of Temple B'nai B'rith

Frank is secretary-treasurer and Director of Publicity of ACIDA and director of Council of Periodical Distributor Associations.

### Kunkle-Beaumont Road Retaining Wall Caves

Property owners along the old Kunkle-Beaumont Highway are disturbed because Monroe Township Supervisors have done nothing to remedy a dangerous situation near the James Pellham property where a large part of a stone retaining wall has caved away making passage over the highway hazardous.

departments may be acquainted with present he is choir director of St. 317,851 or 100.9 per cent of its mportant current activities of each John the Evangelist, Wilkes-Barre. Sophia Slaff, he was educated at mount carmer. At Mountain area. Last year it raised and telephone. Sophia Slaff, he was educated at and the late Williams of Sophia Slaff, he was educated at and the late Williams of Students were given folders of Dwight Preparatory School in New Of the road may cave away if some member in the Department of Public music several weeks ago and have In taking on the chairman's job, fense radio link, will be fully York City and attended Cornell Law of the road may cave away if something is not done immediatey.

all Masonic Bodies in Pennsylvania of New Hampshire and Pennsylvania trombone. "Our honored guest started in the will attend the first Masonic Con- sylvania Association for Adult Edu- Judge Ben Jones To Speak 4 p.m. April 28, when sirens sound wholesale distributing business in gress ever to be held in the state cation, a member of numerous the fluctuating signal indicating 1924 as co-owner of Ginsburg News on Saturday, April 29, at the Masonic "take cover." Traffic will pull to Company, Mt. Vernon, N. Y. This expanded this year because of the solicipulation for Public School Adult Education for Public School Adult E

They Will Greet Retreat Visitors



set aside May 8 as a special benefit Here are a few of the people who Superintendent; Mrs. Charles R. 30 to May 6, is featuring Mental ter" will be shown in the auditorium which gets underway Monday. Dr. Perkins also explained that the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Mary-night for the Casterline Building are playing an important role in the Yhost, Auxiliary Mental Health Careers. Among the highlights will be open scholarship applicants need not be land, will have a mammoth display Fund. All the proceeds between work at Retreat Hospital and who chairman; Mrs. Harvey A. Sherman, house at the Luzerne County Medi- high school seniors planning medical of modern combat equipment on 9 p. m. and closing will be on hand to welcome visitors Activity Instructor in Occupational themselves of the opportunity to atcal Society's building and library on careers and added that those who are Armed Forces Day, May 20. There Fund which was set up by friends during open house at the down river Therapy, chairman of Open House; tend "Open House at the hospital

Claude H. Butler, M. D., Hospital Society of Luzerne County.

Woman's Auxiliary to the Medical ill patient.

SEE YOUR CHILD ON T V SATURDAY MORNING AT 9:30

How many children from Dallas area can you spot in the T.V. audience? Watch WBRE-T.V. at 9:30 A.M., Saturday, April 22, when Ferdinand Liva and part of the Wilkes-Barre Philharmonic Orchestra will present a lively introduction to the Children's Concert program with a lively participating

## **Civil Defense Training At** Kunkle April 26

East Dallas Unit Will Cooperate At Community Hall

Kunkle and East Dallas units of Civil Defense will meet Wednesday evening at Kunkle Community Hall for a training session in mass care, in event of a catastrophe which might leave many thousands of city dwellers homeless.

Stefan Hellersperk, chairman, announces that Mrs. Gordon Bell, from Wyoming Valley Red Cross, will conduct the three-hour period, which will start at 7 p. m. and, with a coffee break midway, close at 10.

East Dallas group. WSCS organizations of Kunkle and East Dallas flying start. partner with his brother, Sam, in Methodist churches will cooperate.

will attend.

Instruction will cover feeding and Luzerne County News and Allan, a housing of great numbers of people; hand for the auctioning of a few Commander in the U. S. Navy and include information on what to do personal aide to Chief of Naval when children are separated from Baird with his trumpet and the Operations Admiral Arleigh Burk in parents in hasty evacuation of homes Rotary International Dixieland Jazz or schools; give information on how Band Quintet Plus One, will furnish Frank's business affiliations in- to manage the inevitable illness and

This training session comes two partner of the North Eastern Penn-days before a National Alert, slated promises to be brief. No speeches sylvania Edition of T V Guide, and for Friday, April 28, when civilian president of Slafbro Realty Com- cooperation will be required at 4 p. m., with all traffic halted, and

Dinner Speaker



ALFRED S. HOLT

tension Education and Recreation man, William Welch, and William will speak on "The Public's Respon- C. Welch. sibility for Continuing Education,"

tion for Public School Adult Educa-Pennsylvania.

## **Auction Kick-Off Dinner Slated** Thursday, May 4

Mannear, McCutcheon, Head Festivity For 15th Library Auction



GEORGE McCUTCHEON

Two weeks from tonight at Irem Mrs. Fred Dodson has charge of Temple Country Club, the Fifteenth the Kunkle unit, Ted Wilson of the Annual Back Mountain Memorial

the Luzerne County New Company Other church groups and firemen George McCutcheon announce the Co-chairmen Charles Mannear and time for 6:30. They have arranged This is the first training session for a smorgasbord dinner, and a light, spirited, and novel program.

sensational music

Auction chairman Les Jordon are planned. The committee takes no responsibility for anybody who feels inspired by the occasion

Community spirit and friendliness will predominate. Newcomers to the area are urged to attend, to get into the spirit of an Auction which has put Dallas on the map on a national

las organizations or members of the Auction committee. The Dallas Post has a supply. Library Auction will be held at the Barn in Dallas, July 7 and 8.

Tickets are available through Dal-

## **Band Students** At Montrose

Westmoreland Sends 6 Players

Westmoreland High School is sending six students to the Northeast District Band in Montrose this weekend, April 20, 21, and 22. Joining 175 students from forty high schools under direction of Dr. James Thurmond, of Lebanon Valley College, will be Marilyn Eck, John Alfred S. Holt, Coordinator of Ex- Wardell, Robert Wileman, Carl Ger-

Lester Lewis, Westmoreland band

Instruction, serving as Director of been hard at work practicing ever the Public Service Institute and since. Marilyn plays the bass clarisince 1957, Coordinator of Extension net; Wardell the trumpet; Wileman, Education and Recreation. He has baritone; German, clarinet; Welch, Approximately 300 leaders from done graduate work at University the bass; William C. Welch the

Justice Benjamin R. Jones will be of the U.S. A.; member of the Phi the principal speaker at the Back Delta Kappa; and at the present Mountain Protective Association time, President of the "75" Club of banquet to be held Monday, May 1, at 6:30 at Irem Temple Country Public is Invited. Reservations may Club at which time the Back Mounbe made with the instructors or with tain Community Service Award will be presented to College Misericordia.

## Retreat Hospital Invites You To Its Open House On May 7th

Dr. Claude H. Butler, Superin- | be on tour, occupational therapy 6 P.M. which is co-sponsored by the woman's open dormitory Woman's Auxiliary of Luzerne A program, which will include County Medical Society.

A program, which will include some 80 patients, will be given in

tion with National Mental Health to be given at 1:30 and 3:30 P.M. week, which will be observed April A 30-minute film "A New Chap-

It is hoped that many will avail and answer period conducted by

Various areas of the hospital will

tendent, has issued invitations to clinics will be open with a display residents and organizations of the of finished articles made by patients Back Mountain area to attend Open areas will include the recre-"Open House" at Retreat State Hos- ation center, gymnasium, greenpital on Sunday, May 7, from 1 to house, powerhouse, laundry and a

"Open House" held in conjunct the auditorium; two performances at 4:30 P.M. followed by a question

Mrs. Claude H. Butler, President of many services offered the mentally | Light refreshments will be served

to visitors during the afternoon.