Can Lake-Lehman's New School Be Saved?

Farmer Killed Fighting Fire

Home Complete Loss At Center Moreland

A charred ladder and an overturned water bucket remain to tell of a 79-year-old Center Moreland farmer's vain attempt to save his burning home last Thursday.

Sidney J. Levitt, a resident of Center Moreland for 43 years, died of third degree burns after falling 15 feet from a ladder he was using to fight the fire.

Wyoming County Coroner Brice Sheldon stated the man may have been knocked off the ladder by an explosion which occurred during the height of the blaze. It was thought, by authorities, the explosion may have occurred when fire set off gas from an appliance in the home.

Coroner Sheldon said a wound on the victim's forehead indicated his head struck a stone walk in the

A neighbor Mark H. Brown called Kunkle Fire Company when the explosion occurred and flames were seen shooting from the Levitt home one-quarter mile away. Cause of the fire was not determined.

The seven-room home was almost completely destroyed when firemen arrived at 4:45 a.m. and found the victim's body. Tunkhannock State Police were notified.

Firemen stood by to keep flames from spreading to a large barn ponent and keenest rival. about 200 feet away. There were no other buildings in the immediate vicinity of the home.

Levitt, whose residence was located on a 100 acre farm, had 0 losses. given up active farming some years strength for this contest since John Fund Association. ago. He continued to raise produce for his own use.

Dorish returned to the line-up last bound have is located on week and Jack Sims will return in gaining the victory.

a dirt road leading to Beaumont about 11/2 miles from Center More- off with a knee injury.

Two pieces of fire equipment at the same were manned by nine firemen headed by Fire Chief Fred Dodson. Others responding to the Besteder, Austin Workman, Contrad Honeywell, Delmar Shupp, rad Honeywell, Delmar Shupp, Russell Transue, Albert Patton and them.

farm in Kingston before moving to Grose in this contest. The lefty will Center Moreland. He was a member of the Center Moreland Methodist Church. His wife, the former Mary Moore of Kingston, died 18

Disque Funeral, Dallas, last Saturday at 11 a.m. He was buried in Marsh Cemetery, Center Moreland. Surviving are brothers Fred and Asher England; a sister Liza, England. Children, Celeste Ruth, Philadelphia; Sidney, Jr., Titusville, Fla.; Mrs. George Deremer, Harveys Lake; also 17 grandchildren and three greatgrandchildren.

Tragic Accident Fatal To Son

Tractor-Trailer Hits

struck by a tractor trailer swinging foreign countries.

Trucksville for the past six years, papers. are leaving this morning for New In the meantime the breeders of

Utica Hospital.

Dallas - Mocanaqua Meet Sunday Highway Stakes **Afternoon In Booster Attraction**

Dairymen Can Sew-up Championship With Win; Of Harter Homes Manage To Squeeze By Swoyersville 2-1



RALPH HENDERSHOT

Dallas Dairy can wrap up another have his work cut out for him with Wyoming League championship Sun- such hitters as Handzelek, Gregory

et by Mocanaqua in and Uram in the A's line-up. a Boosto Late Albraction at the Dal- Game time is scheduled for 2:30. Business manager Jay Llewellyn Over the past season Mocanaqua Jr. has announced that a number has always been the roughest op-ponent and keenest rival. of door prizes will be awarded lucky ticket holders at Sundays' game. The down river boys managed by Win Heart Fund Game

"Tiger" Denoy are in second place Dallas Dairy scored five times in with a 7-2 record, while the Dairy- the first inning last Saturday as men are on top with 12 wins and they defeated Pittston Junction 6-1 in an exhibition game with proceeds The Dairymen should be at full going to the Luzerne County Heart

this week-end after a five week lay- Dorish Wins Sunday

John Dorish back in uniform kept Ralph Hendershot has been one his winning streak alive by downof the mainstays of the Dairy nine ing Swoyersville 2-1 Sunday in a

Swoyersville rallied for one run Russell Transue, Albert Patton and George Landon. Dallas Township fine defensive baseball and coming effort to tie the score.

Sandsdale Bulls Will Get Royal Funeral services were held from Reception In Canada This Sunday

week in isolation at the riet, will be on hand to take part Canadian border did not dampen in the ceremonies. safe Supreme Reflection (vg)

The two animals were trans- tive. of the Breeding Cooperative.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marson Sr., day because permits for transpor-Main Road, Trucksville, lost a son tation across the line had not been them artificially from Canada. in a tragic accident Monday after- signed by a Federal Veterinarian. noon. William Marson Jr., 31, on his The permits had been signed by way through Utica, returning with Dr. Thomas Shoemaker Jr., of his wife from a vacation in Canada | Tunkhannock who is authorized to to his home in Newtown, N. J. was sign them for any destination in

wide on a curve. His wife was treat- The animals had to be held in ed for bruises and shock at the isolation at Customs until Dr. Boon, Federal Veterinarian of Harrisburg Library Auction Gets Mr. and Mrs. Marson, residents of returned from vacation to sign the

Jersey. Their son will be buried to- Oxford have postponed their Open morrow. The young couple had no House until this Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Sands and daughter, Har-**Primitive Methodists Excavate For**

S. S. Addition, Start Construction

Primitive Methodist Church at be necessary to give up the church Fernbrook broke ground for its on its constricted corner lot, and man's the noblest work of God.

Pope once said, "An honest Teacher Association Community drink, man's the noblest work of God."

Leadership Responsibilities for Customer Leadership Responsibilities for Customer Community and Community and Customer Community and Customer Customer Community and Customer Community and Customer church school addition last week, build another one on level ground with excavation now complete and The present arrangement provides cinder block laying well under way no parking space, and no room for future expansion.

for the footings. Rev. Andrew Derrick states that It is a small church. When Rev the building will be attached to the Derrick moved to Fernbrook four Tommy Andrew, proprietor of the Harold G. Moore, State President. Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Williams, main edifice, a 15 x 36 foot two story years ago, twelve loyal members of T-Bar-A Rabbitry at Shavertown, addition, to contain six class rooms the congregation greeted him, to and instructor in art in Plymouth for the conference included Dr. Char-

growing Sunday School. ting their services which will hold has been made. To date, the capa- buncle. August 3, he will return to Congress of Parents and Teachers; nection with the Library Auction the cost to a minimum.

For the past year, when the con- never been tested. But Rev. Der- an operation which will release him ence of Christians and Jews; and cleaning up after the Auction gregation doubled, Rev. Derrick has rick forsees a day when the 125 just in time to judge in a rabbit Dr. Eugene P. Bertine, assistant ex- closes. This year the work has been seen a building program essential. seats will not be adequate. He is and cavey show at Courtland, N. Y. ecutive secretary, Pennsylvania State capably handled under the direction Eventually, he is convinced, it will looking to the future.

the spirits of Sandsdale Rocket Rosafe Supreme Reflection (v.g) see that the compressors are working

Masterpiece, prize bull recently is the Pennsylvania Aged Bull of properly. And the children feel dessold to the Oxford and District 1960 and was First Prize Winner olate about leaving their home. Breeders Association of Wood- and reserve Grand Champion at the People across the road are anxstock, Ontario, by Ralph Sands, but Pennsylvania Black & White Show ious to sell, having made up their it did throw a hitch into the Open held last year in Harrisburg. He minds to the move when the first House Ceremonies at Oxford where is $7\frac{1}{2}$ years old and will be on test survey was made. 3,000 persons waited to no avail to in Canada for the next 120 days, Harters with so much at stake, see Rocket and his companion, Ro- after which he may, too, be pur- are anxious to remain. chased by the Canadian Co-opera-

last season.

champion yearling of 1960. Shown PTA Conference instantly killed when his car was the United States but not to National Dairy Show in Waterloo, Iowa, Glo-Mor came in sixth.

Unexpected 3 Dollars

donation from a conscience ridden ents and Teachers.

The envelope bore a Pittston postmark. Inside a pencil written note said the money was owed to of District 7. the Auction sales and concluded than half million members of the consumed 20 gallons of ice cream, forever. Amen.'

Tommy Andrew Will Have Skin-Grafting

for accommodation of a steadily listen to his first sermon. Eighteen schools, has spent three weeks recles H. Glatfelter, Acting Dean, Getchildren appeared for Sunday School. ently at the Veterans Hospital, bat- tysburg College; Mrs. C. S. Garey, Men of the congregation are dona- Since that time, much progress tling with an extremely painful car- past vice president of the National One of the hardest jobs in concity of the main auditorium has the hospital for extensive skin graft, A. W. Gottschall, National Confer- is preparation of the grounds and August 11.

Cut Into Middle

Bulford's Hardware, Tommy Noon's Garage Directly In Line

No official notice has yet been received by residents who have homes or business places in the path of the widened highway project along route 309 from Luzerne to the Y at Orchard Farms Restaurant and the new A&P market.

But a number of people have been notified that their property would be taken, to ease curves in the road. Tommy Noon, whose garage is located dangerously on a curve, blocking sight of the highway to the left as cars emerge from lower Main Street, Fernbrook, is certain that his property will be taken to give better visibility.

The LeRoy Roberts home next door to Noon's, will also block a widened curve. Mr. Roberts has had no official notice.

In the case of the California Fruit Market, Philip Ansilio was told last summer by highway surveyors that the probable line would snip off about five feet of his parking lot, leaving the building. He has received no further notice.

Guyette in Trucksville, his place that the highway will be widened at Demunds. at that location.

Mrs. Pauline Besteder, next door, thinks her home is safely back, far enough from the widening. Harters Dairy is the chief victim Armstrong, pastor; at the left, Rev. in its fifty years of history

in this area. destroyed, though the plant itself will be left. The present survey line runs straight through the middle of Sherman Harter's home and Marian Harter's home, slicing off what is the best looking lawn on the entire

The first line eliminated houses Myhall's and the Stolaricks.

these homes, which were expected to 20 persons on Pennsylvania high- "The majority of these accidents Police Chief Irwin Coolbaugh was also on the scene.

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Each team collected six hits.

Washko finally stopped Bill Shaben to well maintained, in expected to been too well maintained, in expected to ways over the past week end, I am involved single vehicles; they were once again making an urgent appeal caused by loss of control on the been too well maintained, in expected to ways over the past week end, I am involved single vehicles; they were once again making an urgent appeal caused by loss of control on the been too well maintained, in expected to ways over the past week end, I am involved single vehicles; they were once again making an urgent appeal caused by loss of control on the been too well maintained, in expected to ways over the past week end, I am involved single vehicles; they were once again making an urgent appeal caused by loss of control on the been too well maintained, in expected to ways over the past week end, I am involved single vehicles; they were once again making an urgent appeal caused by loss of control on the been too well maintained, in expected to ways over the past week end, I am involved single vehicles; they were once again making an urgent appeal caused by loss of control on the been too well maintained, in expected to ways over the past week end, I am involved single vehicles; they were once again making an urgent appeal caused by loss of control on the been too well maintained, in expected to ways over the past week end, I am involved single vehicles; they were once again making an urgent appeal caused by loss of control on the been too well maintained.

Left also is the Hillside Inn. Bulford's Hardware Store is in the times.

line of march. the most recent survey cutting away our property, there will be no place for anybody to live, to take care of the plant. A milk plant isn't something you just lock up and leave. You have to be around to

Work on the new road is supposed to start this fall. It has been long ported from Carverton to the Rosafe's daughters have been delayed, as one plan after another border by H. S. Knill of Paris, On- terrific and he was extremely pop- was drawn up and abandoned, endtario, accompanied by Paul Jensen ular with Pennsylvania breeders ing with the recent decision to widen the existing road and eliminate Car On Curve At Utica They were delayed at the border from last Tuesday until this Mon- most valuable in the Sands herd, of building a divided one-way high-The two animals are among the as many curves as practical, instead

Sands herd is Glo-Mor Master King, All Pennsylvania Junior champion versilis a factorial formation for the champion versilis a factorial formation for the champion versilis a factorial formation for the champion versilis a factorial factorial factorial for the champion for the champion versilis a factorial factoria

650 Delegates Present

Back Mountain Memorial Library annual Summer Leadership Session two floats for the masquerade par-Auction received an anonymous \$3 of the Pennsylvania Congress of Parlade.

state organization, attended classes a large carton of cookies and an and lectures concerning Parent- unknown quantity of strawberry Leadership Responsibilities for Clifton's brother, David, Westcommunity. The conference was at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Special consultants and lectures R. D. 1, Dallas, Pa. Education Association.

Receives Award Second Consecutive Year



For the second consecutive year, Howard Artz, Director of Field Trucksville Free Methodist Sunday Services for the denomination. School took the award, "Sunday The trophy is given to the Sunday of business closely fronting the School of the Year," last week at School which most successfully highway, has had no official notifi- the New York Conference held on meets established requirements, and cation, but a persistent rumor says the Free Methodist camp grounds maintains the best Sunday School

Beulah Faulkner, New York Confer- ville has established a record.

program. In winning the award for Receiving the award from Mrs. the second successive year, Trucks-

says, she has heard nothing, and ence Sunday School Executive Rev. Armstrong was returned to Secretary, is Mrs. Frank Mathers, Trucksville for the sixth year, longer Sr. At the right, stands Rev. Grove than any other pastor of the church

According to a survey made last Governor Urges Local Police week, both Harter homes will be To Redouble Traffic Vigilence

Urges Use of Every Traffic Tool At Their Command To Stop Recklessness

across the street from Harter's, the made the following statement: accidents, the cause is directly at-This most recent survey leaves mation presented in the death of for conditions.

"A review of highway accidents vailing conditions. Mrs. Harter says, "We've been in by the State Police and by the "In nearly every instance over the ning next week."

On Active Duty



CLIFTON WILLIAMS

Clifton Williams, CD3, is serving cruiser on a mission of readiness and our command.' goodwill in the Western Pacific.

In April the men on ship partic-At Gettysburg College ipated in a Port Festival in Naga- To All Police Chiefs: saki commemorating the opening of More than 650 local unit P.T.A. that Japanese Port to the commerce delegates were at Gettysburg Col- of the outside world. Cliff works in lege this past week attending the the carpenter shop where they made

Topekamen also gave two orphan Representing the Back Mountain parties while in Nagasaki. Woody Area was Mrs. Thelma C. Culp, Lake- Woodpecker and Bugs Bunny car-Noxen Schools, Program Chairman toons delighted the children even though they couldn't understand a The delegates, representing more word that was said. The children

children and youth in health, wel- moreland Class of '61, is in the fare and education as it pertains 109th Field Artillery of the 28th to the home, school, church and Division. He is taking basic training under the general supervision of Mrs. Clifton and David are the sons of

of Ziba Smith and Tony Hudak.

Governor Lawrence this week that, in a preponderance of the "In view of the preliminaty infor- tributable to speed-driving too fast

Levitt was born Sept. 6, 1882 in England. He operated a truck in Kingston before moving to the Carter will probably get the England. He operated a truck in Kingston before moving to the Carter will probably get the England. He operated a truck in Kingston before moving to the Carter will probably get the Starting and from manager Bob went hitless in four trips.

Washko finally stopped Bill Shalata's 48 game hitting streak as Bill probably get the pectation of being evacuated.

Left also is the Hillside Inn.

business here for fifty years. With Bureau of Traffic Safety indicates past week end, tragedy occurred when caution was abandoned.

persist in ignoring the basic precepts plant will be in operation. of safety. In consequence, I am instructing the State Police to mount ceed in reckless disregard for their own safety and for the safety of suite.

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cess and a true expression of democracy, will attend the August

"To make this campaign most and recklessness on every highway-_ time. major or minor -- in every part of Occupancy will be effective althe State.

of the year when our highways will continue to be crowded with families on vacations and on week-end trips. If these persons are going own home, and beginning with next to be able to use our highways in his two years active duty in the safety and without fear from sudden US Naval Reserves on the USS Top- death, we must proceed against the office, increasing the time as eka. Cliff is a graduate of Westmore, incautious drivers--the fringe elemland, class of '59. The Topeka is a ent-with every enforcement tool at

Governor Lawrence also sent the following telegram:

"I know that the members of the Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association have been making a monumental effort in holding traffic accidents to a minimum. But it would seem that we must re-double that effort if our highways are to be safe from a careless and reckless minority such as those responsible for the frightening death toll of twenty over the week end just past.

"We are coming into the time of the year when our highways are crowded with families on vacation and week-end trips. It these persons are to use our highways in safety, without fear of sudden death, we must proceed against the incautious driver with every enforcement tool at our command.

"I urge you to call upon the members of the Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association to mount an all-out offensive against drivers in their community who operate with reckless disregard for either their own safety or the safety of

> David L. Lawrence Governor"

Mortal Blow Struck At Educational Program Of Lake-Lehman Jointure

Work Of Years Will Be Lost Unless Residents Who Have Faith In The Future Speak Their Mind

Lake-Lehman's proposed new high school is dying.

Residents are already preparing for the funeral. Unless the thinking people of the community step in, willing to stand up and be counted at an open meeting called for 8 p.m. August 7 in Lehman, the corpse will be buried. It will be a costly funeral.

WHO SAID WATER IN DALLAS IS NOT FIT FOR DRINKING

A Dallas resident purportedly heard on a local radio station Tuesday that water in Dallas was not fit to drink.

Lettie Culver, office manager of the Dallas Water Company, said the Health Department, Wilkes-Barre had not notified her company that anything was amiss. They would be out checking the wells right. now if there were some pol-

lution in the water, she said. Water is under the constant supervision of the State Health Department.

Water in Dallas is tested regularly by William J. Breese, registered chemist and headchemist for the Pennsylvania Gas and Water Co. Breese's reports are sent to the Health Department, Wilkes-Barre, Mrs-Culver said.

Report on the last water check made July 7 said "This water at the time of the check was free from pollution and meets standards of the United States Public Health Department for drinking water"

Administration Office To Move To High School

School Equipment Starts Moving By End Of Next Week

Dallas Schools Administrative ofwith caution and prudence at all three-lane highway. Both are evidschool the latter part of next week, who would be attracted to a comence of excessive speeds under pre- and school equipment will be de- munity with outstanding school livered at the new school, begin- facilities

A cafeteria workshop is sche- of the five-way jointure are reduled for August 17 and 18, by sponsible for expenses incurred or "We must reduce to the barest which date the contractor gives contracted for, a sizeable bill which minimum the number of people who assurance that the sewage disposal will be rendered with nothing to

Administrative offices are on the carried to completion. an all-out offensive, particularly on They consist of a superintendent's office, a general administration of- education as a foundation for suc-

No date has yet been set for effective, I am also calling upon dedication of the new building. It every other law enforcement offic- is probable that the laying of the ial in Pennsylvania to mount a full- cornerstone and the dedication will scale crackdown against speeding take place at one and the same

most immediately, for purposes of "We are coming into the time installing furniture and equipment. For Two Weeks Dr. Robert A. Mellman, who recently submitted to surgery, cautiously resuming his work in his week, he expects to be able to spend a short time each day in his strength returns.

Tax Notices Now In Mail

School Tax Is 15 Mills Higher

Tax notices for all municipalities in the Dallas Union School District will be in the mails this weekend bearing a fifteen-mill increase or 80c per \$100. valuation for school tax purposes.

per \$100 valuation.

Collector Arthur Dungey. They | cipated that the nation's quickening previously received notices for defense program may improve Borough and County taxes and business during the last halfsometime later received notifica-tion of personal property taxes. Of the largest employers in the

It is still possible to apply artificial respiration, if residents who have faith in the future of their community, rise up and become as vocal as the group which is spearheading a movement to sabotage

the Building Authority. An eminent educator will moder-

the educational Program, and which

has brought pressure to bear upon

ate the meeting. Dr. Eugene A. Farley, president of Wilkes College, who had a vision of the future when he took the presidency of a small and struggling junior college in 1935, and who has wrought a miracle by never recognizing the possibility of defeat, will

What will it cost NOT to build the school?

These are the things that will be lost if the school is lost: Architect's fees of \$110,674. Land contracted for: \$42,155.

Topographical survey: 1,297; survey of property, \$1,825. Test boring to determine weight bearing: \$728; test holes, \$96. Drilling of well: \$1,700.

Viewing: \$300. Department of health, \$25. Painting of sign for school site,

Add to this total: ten years lost in development. Wholesale resignation of key people on the school board, who for no compensation, have given their

selves, to furtherance of an educational program which the residents said they wanted. Down the drain, the endless

time, their effort, their whole

trips to Harrisburg. Lost, with nothing to show for it except a hole in the ground. The five-way jointure was formed in 1958, with the express purpose of building a new high school which would be large enough to house both senior and junior high school students, and still leave

Win, lose or draw, all components show for it unless the program is

It is still possible to pick up the marbles if people who believe in

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Linear Plant On Vacation

Maintenance Force To Make Necessary Equipment Repairs

The plant of Linear Incorporated at Fernbrook will be closed for two weeks starting Monday, July 31, so that office personnel and foremen can take their vacations and also to permit necessary repairs to equipment

The Maintenance Department, Machine Shop, Boiler operators and a skeleton office force will remain on duty during the two-week period ending Monday, August 14. P. H. Moore, vice president of

manufacturing, said yesterday the last scheduled shift will be Friday and operations will resume at the beginning of the first scheduled

shift on Monday, August 14. There will be no changes in School millage last year was 65c machinery and equipment for the

manufacture of other products. For taxpayers in Dallas Borough Although there has been a this will be the third set of tax slackening of orders during the notices received this year from early part of the year, it is anti-

For Dallas, Franklin and Kings- area are: A. W. Swartz, Sr., Chairton Townships, however, this man of the Board; C. H. Carlough, week's mailing will be the first President; T. S. Sadler, Vice-Presi notices received by taxpayers. The dent and General Manager: P. H. blow will probably be a little hard- Moore, Vice President Manufacturer for them but it all sums up to ing; F. A. Lewis, Vice President the same thing. It all depends on Sales; J. B. Johnson, Vice President whether its easier on a dog to cut Technical Director; A. W. Swartz. his tail off a little at a time or all Jr., Treasurer and B. Grouppo, Secretary and Controller..