

Back Mountain Exceeds Quota Of United Fund

Landis Praises His Workers For Their Last Minute Spurt

Wyoming Valley United Fund this week released results of the 1962 Torch Campaign in the Back Mountain area.

The Suburban Business Division, with a goal of \$2,343, raised \$2,692 for a final score of 114.9 per cent. The West Metropolitan Division, with a goal of \$3,430 raised \$3,430-55 for a final score of 100.1 per cent.

The results of the campaign in the Back Mountain area speak for themselves, Fund officials said. The campaign workers in the area really got out and did the job. And, of course, the people living in Back Mountain must realize the importance of the services provided by the 52 agencies of the Fund and have supported them accordingly, Fund officials said.

John N. Landis, Commonwealth Telephone Company, who served as chairman for the Back Mountain in the Suburban Business Division, expressed his thanks to all volunteers who "really came out and worked" during the campaign.

"Without their help," Landis said, "we could not have achieved the results we did."

Among the volunteers cited by Landis were George McCutcheon, Mrs. Lenore Shaskin, Willard Hoover, Robert Boyer, Frank G. Mathers, 3rd., Mrs. Landis, and Stephen M. Glova.

Mrs. Seymour Dimond, chairman of the West Metropolitan Division also had high praises for her workers. Among those were Mrs. Donald F. Innes, Richard Post, Abram Nesbitt, James F. Besecker, Jr., H. W. Powell, Frank Townsend, John Dewitt, Jr., Paul Goddard, Paul J. Selingo, Fred Dodson, Mrs. James Gearhart, Mrs. James Mitchell, Mrs. Mitchell Jenkins, Mrs. Austin Howard, Mrs. Myron Baker, Mrs. John Rogers, Mrs. James Edwards, Mrs. James L. Brown, Mrs. Ralph Govin, and Mrs. Stephen Stearn.

THANKSGIVING POST WILL BE PUBLISHED EARLIER THAN USUAL

The Thanksgiving issue of The Dallas Post will be in the mails on Tuesday, November 21 instead of Thursday, November 23 as would be our usual date of publication for the week.

All correspondents, publicity chairman and advertisers are therefore asked to have their copy in our hands by Saturday, November 18.

GOP Leads 3-1 In Franklin Twp.

Republicans carried Franklin Township by three to one majorities for all county candidates.

They also swept into all local offices.

Nellie Eaton, Republican was re-elected Tax Collector without any opposition. Herman Coon defeated Alex J. Matukitis 183 to 119 for Supervisor. In the School Director contest Louise Steinhauer defeated George W. Parrish, Democratic candidate for School Director at Large defeated Welton Farrar 190 to 91. Justice of the Peace John Fowler was re-elected 189 votes to 114 for his Democratic opponent Frank Zarnoch. David Parry won out over Henry Sweitzer 203 to 92 for Auditor. Bryon Kester, Republican incumbent Constable defeated Andrew Mattie 202 to 104. William Parry defeated Elmer DeWitt for Judge of Election 181 to 120. Mildred Lord was elected Inspector of Election over Democrat Florence Shively 200 to 91.

Republicans Carry Noxen

Franklin Patton and Leslie Kocher, incumbent Lake-Lehman School Directors were re-elected on the Republican ticket in Noxen Township.

They defeated Roy A. Dendler and Calvin Strohl Sr., who were running on the Democratic ticket.

Patton was high man with 191 votes; Kocher received 189, Dendler 168 and Strohl 165.

In the Supervisor contest Chester A. Keiper, incumbent received 109 on the Republican ticket and Ernest Teetse 58 on the Democratic.

Lucy Shalata was elected Judge of Election with the highest vote cast, 208 defeating Francis Belles who received 160. Arthur Ruff was unopposed for Auditor.

First Snow Of Season

Back Mountain had its first snow flurry Wednesday afternoon, so slight that it was gone before it landed on the ground.

Bootblack Minstrel Guaranteed To Roll You In The Aisles



Two Rotary Exchange students of the cast of "Bootblack Minstrel," from the Netherlands, Elsbeth Gerits and Dick Kryck, will sing and dance in Dutch costume as part of the cast of "Bootblack Minstrel," to be presented Friday and Saturday by Dallas Woman's Club, junior and senior divisions in the Dallas Senior High School auditorium.

Willard Hoover Receives United Fund Trophy



Here chairman Jack Landis presents a trophy to Willard Hoover of Back Mountain Lumber & Coal Company for his outstanding work during the recently closed United Fund Campaign.

Back Mountain Junior League Members In Follies Of 1961

Back Mountain members of the Junior League of Wilkes-Barre are part of a troupe now rehearsing for the Follies of 1961, to be given at Irem Temple Saturday, November 18 at 8:30 p.m., a lighthearted musical interpretation of the story of Wyoming valley.

Local women in the opening number are Mesdames George Carey, Hale Coughlin, Houston Day, Richard Demmy, Richard Hogboom, Donn Innes, Fred Maier, Harry Powell and John Robinson, dancing as part of the "Rockette" chorus line. In the "Peace Pipe" dance are Mrs. Edgar Brace, Mrs. Charles Leonard, and Miss Ann Davis, along with Donn Innes, Robert O'Boyle, Harry Powell and John Vivian.

Mrs. John Robinson is assistant chairman. Mrs. Charles Frantz and Mrs. Donn Innes have primary responsibility for the program. Mrs. Donald Davis is in charge of the Cabaret to follow the performance. Mrs. John Conyngham is treasurer, and Mrs. Charles Flack is chairman of the make-up committee.

Proceeds will go into the Junior League Community Trust Fund to be spent on projects of benefit to the entire community. Follies proceeds have supported the Children's Concert (\$6,550); a hydraulic lift for the Wheel Chair club, (\$209); scholarships for teachers of gifted children, (\$495), a four year program of scholarships for case workers, (\$6,000), and the Wyoming Valley Historical Brochure, (\$400). In addition, every Junior League member must spend a half day a week of volunteer service in Wyoming Valley Agencies.

Tickets may be obtained from Junior League members of Central Ticket Agency.

Benefit Party

Auxiliary of Harveys Lake American Legion will sponsor a Benefit Party for Rehabilitation Monday evening at 8 at Jonathan Davis Fire Hall, Idetown.

Bootblack Minstrel Show Promises Best Entertainment In Many Moons

Bootblack Minstrel's fast stepping chorus is guaranteed to stop the show tomorrow and Saturday nights, especially when staid and sedate matrons don "beavers" and mop wigs in the Beatnik tap dance, executed to "The Sidewalks of New York."

A lot of good entertainment has been worked up over the past six weeks. There's a barbershop quartette, with Ken Bayliss, Don Evans, Ed Ratcliffe and Howard Wiley hamming it up. Soft-shoe, too, with four lovely ladies.

Jack and Betty Rogers will appear for the first time as a husband and wife team in a Rogers and Hammerstein medley.

George McCutcheon, by special request, is doing "Margee", and Arch Austin has a doleful number in blackface. Mrs. John Culp has a solo, "I Feel Pretty."

Endmen will all work in blackface.

During the grand finale, the cast will be supplemented by members of the Key Club, Keyettes, and Colorettes in costume, with Dallas Boy Scouts as background.

Red Ambrose, interlocutor, announces these end-men: Stanley Hozempa, George McCutcheon, Jack Stanley, Arch Austin, Bill Wright, Bob Brown, and Don Peterson.

Dancers include Mesdames Bernard Rogers, Lawrence Moretti, Ross Williams Jr., Charles Mahler, Walter Roberts, Samuel Shaskan, Harold Elson, Victor Cross, and Donald D. Clark.

Mrs. George McCutcheon announces names of usherettes: Glenda Williams, June Hayes, Rosemary Kravitz, Janice Priebe, Lynn Hughes, Carol Meyers, Charlene Ell, Peggy Jordan, Judy Miller, Susan Fleming, Marjorie Davis, Diane Yudiski.

Dress rehearsal, is scheduled for tonight at 7:30 at the senior high school, Mrs. Francis Ambrose directing. Choreographer is Mrs. Richard Myers, pianist Mrs. Ira Smith. Tickets may be purchased through members of the cast, or the Woman's Club, or at the door, Curtain time Friday and Saturday, 8 p.m.

All three prison breaks have been by young men on work details, operating outside the prison enclosure. Disappearances have been of short duration, and prisoners have been apprehended with no resistance.

Fall Dance

Dallas Junior Women's Club will hold its fall dance Saturday night, November 25 at Irem Temple Country Club. Dancing 9 until 1. Baird's Orchestra.

Parents Will Have Opportunity To Visit Their Child's Classes

The program for Education Week in Dallas Senior High School will be held Friday afternoon, at 1.

At this time parents are requested to be sure to have a copy of their students' schedule.

Beginning at 1:10 a bell will ring and the parent will go to the student's first class for an explanation by the teacher of the work to be accomplished in the course.

The bell will continue to ring at ten-minute intervals in order that a parent may visit each teacher and hear what is being accomplished in each class.

At 2 p.m. teachers and parents will assemble in the cafeteria where refreshments will be served.

It is hoped that all parents will take advantage of this opportunity to see what is being done to educate the children of the district. There will also be an opportunity for the parents to make an appointment with teachers and guidance personnel for individual meetings at a time convenient to all concerned.

Gov. Lawrence Dedicates Prison Lays Cornerstone

Former Governor Fine Takes Part In Official Ceremony

State Correctional Institution at Jackson Township was dedicated at impressive ceremonies Thursday afternoon, Governor Lawrence speaking at the dedication in the auditorium and wielding a trowel carrying cement, when the cornerstone was slipped into place at the entrance to the Administration Building.

A highlight of the dedication was the prison band, which gave all it had to the National Anthem, playing of "The Land of the Free" from inside prison walls. What the band lacked in technique it made up in enthusiasm. Promised uniforms in the near future by Arthur T. Prasse, Commissioner of Correction, broad smiles lighted the faces of the performers.

About half of the prison enrollment viewed dedication ceremonies from gymnasium bleachers. The commissioner complimented the men on keeping the new institution spic and span.

Called to stand by Superintendent Frank C. Johnston were guests who had been invited to the luncheon in the administration building in advance of the ceremonies. Among the sixty invited guests were many local residents. They included Senator Harold Flack, James Lacy, Prentice Lacy, Lemuel Troster, Warden Healey was recognized as having served 34 years as head of Luzerne County Prison.

On the platform was former Governor John Fine, under whose administration plans for the prison were laid.

Rev. Father Clement J. Podskoch gave the invocation as Catholic chaplain; Rev. George Pickett the benediction as Protestant chaplain.

Attorney General David Stahl introduced the Governor. Stanley P. Yurkowski conducted the band.

In his address, Governor Lawrence stressed the rehabilitation program of the institution, in line with the modern conception of restoring men to useful and productive citizenship rather than mere punishment.

He said that placement of the institution in this area is the equivalent of location of a large industry, with \$2 million a year channelling itself through the area in terms of materials, and services. High unemployment of Luzerne County was a vital factor in locating the prison here. It provides jobs for 288 people, with a payroll of \$1,150,000.

Lacy, Atherton and Davis designed the institution. Cost for land and construction was \$14 million.

Enlists In U. S. Army

Ralph Dale Wagner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wagner Sr., RD 1 Harvey's Lake, has enlisted in the U.S. Army for a three-year period under the "Guaranteed School Program". He enlisted for Army Security Agency.

Wagner will take eight weeks of Basic Training at Fort Dix, N. J., after which he will receive a 14-day leave at home, then he will be assigned to Fort Devens, Massachusetts, to the Army Security Agency School for specialized training.

He was enlisted by M/Sgt. Thomas Beky, local Army recruiter at the Kingston Post Office Building.

All Republican Candidates Win Local Offices In Tuesday's Voting

Heavy GOP Majorities Here Contribute To Victory Of Two County Candidates

Republican candidates for County and local political office swept to victory in the Back Mountain region during Tuesday's General Election in many instances with three to one majorities.

In Dallas Borough all incumbent officers were reelected. Burgess Thomas Jenkins and Constable Russell Honeywell were unopposed.

Three incumbent Republican Councilmen, Wilbur Davis, Grace Cave and Robert Moore were re-elected.

Results: Burgess—Thomas H. Morgan, R, 588. Tax collector—Arthur R. Dungey, R, 598; Margaret McDermott, D, 199. Council—Robert F. Moore, R, 530; Wilbur H. Davis, R, 583; Grace T. Cave, R, 548; J. Warren Yarnal, D, 272; George Cave, D, 202; George Weale, D, 215.

School director at large—Anne Vernon 502; Walton G. Farrar, D, 281. Justice of Peace—Fred W. Jennings, R, 594. Auditor—Walter T. Rowett, R, 586. Constable—Russell D. Honeywell, R, 599.

Judge of election—South District, Arthur Miller, R, 154; North District, Haydn Richards, R, 58; John Nekrasz, D, 103. Inspector of election—South District, Georgianna Welch, R, 153; North District, Florence Phillips, R, 370.

JACKSON TOWNSHIP

TAX COLLECTOR
Louis Wilcox R 220
Bernard Cigarski D 208

SUPERVISOR
Elmer Laskowski R 268
Frank Elenchik D 360

SCHOOL DIRECTOR
John Fielding R 278
George Bulford R 278
Joseph Gibbons D 226
Edward Schrama D 219

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
Robert Culp R 297
Brown R 207

CONSTABLE
Gansel R 285
Rusloski D 222

Carl Aston R 509
Fred Gable D 199

SCHOOL DIRECTOR-AT-LARGE
Welton Farrar Anne Vernon

Dallas Borough 281 402
Dallas Township 400 1011
Kingston Twp. 501 1310
Franklin Twp. 91 190

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ROSS TOWNSHIP

	East	North	West	Total
TAX COLLECTOR				
Howard Post	D 156	23	73	252
Robert Gray	R 175	53	97	325
SUPERVISOR				
Raymond Shaw	D 145	32	88	265
Albert Wallace	R 183	39	67	289
SCHOOL DIRECTOR				
Michael Adams	D 168	89	104	311
Chester Culver	D 120	25	86	231
Cletus Holcomb	R 186	46	77	309
Harry Fiske	R 161	37	58	256
AUDITOR				
Leo Powell	D 150	31	70	231
J. Russell Farver	R 186	38	89	313
CONSTABLE				
Lawrence Smith	D 182	37	98	312
Virgil D. Mattice	R 125	34	61	220

LEHMAN TOWNSHIP

	NE	SW	Middle	Total
TAX COLLECTOR				
Robert Disque	R 247	108	229	584
John E. Korn	D 124	72	87	283
SUPERVISOR				
Michael Godeck	R 223	110	188	521
Walter Meade	D 147	66	119	332
SCHOOL DIRECTOR				
William Naugle	R 198	125	205	528
Bruce Williams	R 203	114	189	506
John Chesnovich	D 151	55	101	307
Joseph Niezgodza	D 165	64	120	349

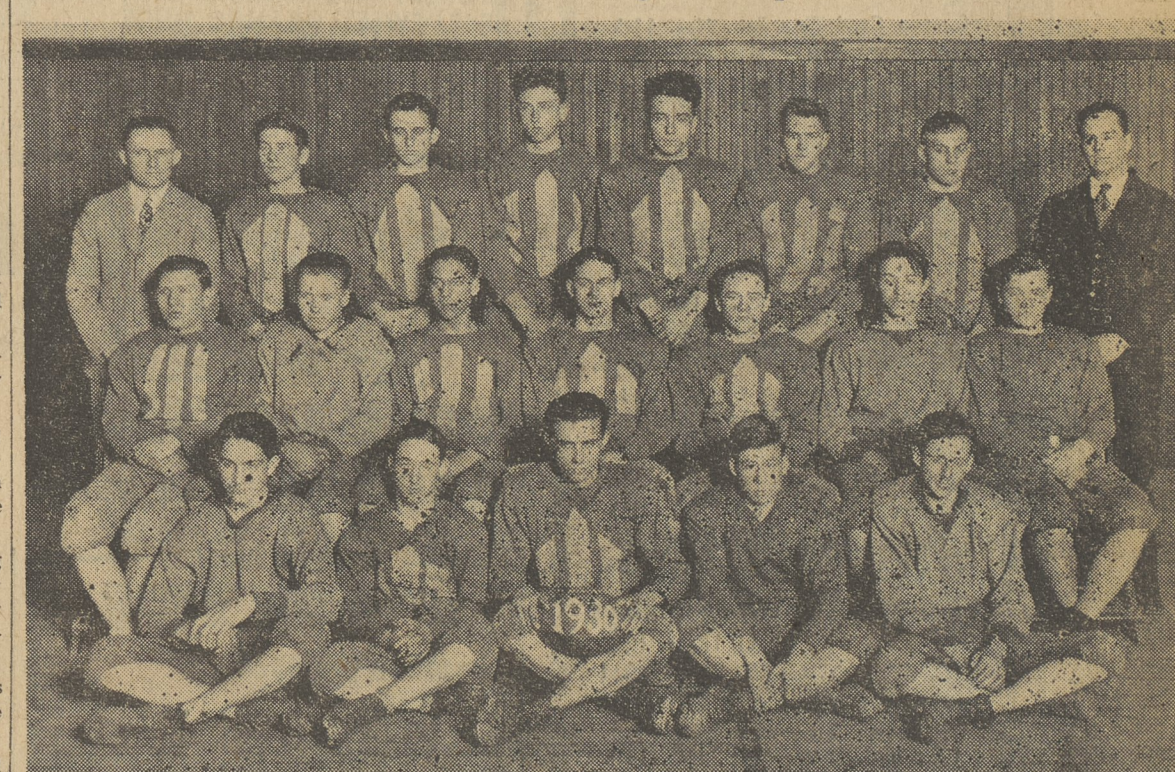
DALLAS TOWNSHIP

	North	Middle	South	Total
TAX COLLECTOR				
Anthony Hudak	D 32	145	283	411
Daniel Richards	R 120	467	492	1079
SUPERVISOR				
Frank Wusniewski	D 34	151	201	386
Fred Lamoreaux	R 114	449	517	1080
CONSTABLE				
John Gosart	D			392
Frank Wagner	R			1067

KINGSTON TOWNSHIP

	T'ville	S'town	Car'ton
TAX COLLECTOR			
Pritchard	R 648	572	80
Kann	D 290	217	56
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE			
Williams	R 675	564	91
Anderson	R 668	571	95
Lohman	D 252	218	42

One Of Dallas Borough's Early Teams



Here is one of Dallas Borough High School's first football teams; From left to right, front row: Samuel Brice, Robert Eipper, William Brickel, Foster Sutton (deceased, killed in World War II), Kenneth Besteder; Second row: Russell DeRemer, Charles Storey, Robert Rogers, Earl Van Campen, Kenneth Disque, Clarence LaBar, Richard Disque; Back row: George Bowen, principal, Richard Coolbaugh, John Jeter, deceased; Richard Templin, Irwin Coolbaugh, Wesley Himmel, deceased, Kenneth Oliver, Donald Wormley, coach.

The first Dallas Borough team was organized about 1928. In 1929 the team was coached by Earl Young. In 1933 the team won its first Back Mountain Championship, a Bi-County League having been created that year. Football was abandoned about 1935.