

School Employees Convene June 30

300 Are Expected From All Over Pennsylvania

Public School employees will hold their nineteenth annual convention Saturday, June 30th at Dallas Senior High School. Expected to attend are 300 employees from all over Pennsylvania. Last year the convention was held at Coughlin High School.

Rev. Robert D. Yost will give the invocation. Pledge to the flag will be led by Charles Mannear, president of Dallas School Board. Dr. Robert M. Bodycomb will give the address of welcome, and Dr. R. A. Mellman will give remarks.

Responding to Dr. Mellman's words will be Charles Sennick, president, with the Wilkes-Barre School District.

Luncheon will be served by the cafeteria staff.

The executive board will meet in advance of the regular session.

Grassland Field Day July 17

Forage Harvesters, Etc. Will Be Demonstrated

E. V. Chadwick, Luzerne County agricultural agent, reminds local farmers of the Grasslands Field Day to be held July 17 on the A. Jay Mott demonstration farm near Harveyville, one mile north of Huntingdon Mills.

Farm machinery, including self-propelled forage harvesters, will be featured, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Wagon tours will be available during the day to various points of demonstration and refreshments will be sold.

Ten years ago, Sterling Farm was the site for a Grasslands Festival that drew throngs from Northeastern Pennsylvania.

Distribute Coin Cards In Kunkle

Ambulance Quota Is Good Insurance

Kunkle is already starting its ambulance drive, with coin cards in process of distribution, and the first quarter due July 7. Kunkle, which has its own individual fire company, supports Dallas Community Ambulance in order to have ambulance service when needed. The quota for Kunkle is \$2.50 per household.

Mrs. Clyde Hoyt, chairman, is assisted by Mrs. Virgie Elston, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Conden, Mrs. Edith Haas, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Kunkle, Mrs. Jack Hiller, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Conden, Donald King, Clyde Hoyt.

The new Dallas Ambulance attracted much favorable attention when it appeared at the opening of the new Kunkle Fire Hall three weeks ago. Residents expressed themselves as delighted with its complete equipment, its comfort, its appliance for administering oxygen, and its other up to date features.

Police Have Clue On Hit-And-Run Car

Kingston Township and State Police are continuing their search for a hit-and-run driver who sideswiped a 1960 Rambler on Carverton Road Monday night at 10:15.

The Rambler, owned and driven by Thomas Williams, Avoca, was traveling east, when the phantom automobile swerved from the west-bound lane, and caved in the side of Williams' car. Police searched all near-by parking lots and diners that evening.

Williams was unable to identify make, model, or color of the hit-and-run car, but police have found blue paint deposits in the area of impact. Chief Herbert Updyke investigated.

Get 56-Inch Rattler At Mountain Springs

What is believed to be one of the biggest rattlesnakes killed in some time was dispatched Sunday afternoon at Mountain Springs by Charles Bytheway while with a fishing party from Kunkle.

The snake measured 57 inches and was coiled ready to strike but did not rattle when Mr. Bytheway discovered it.

With him at the time were Chuck Conden, Richard Stein, Dale Ide, and Audie Wertman.

Two Collide On 309

A car driven by Mrs. Helen G. Cavanaugh, Plymouth, was struck in the rear 3:15 P.M. Tuesday, by a laundry truck which attempted to pass her, while proceeding north on Route 309 below Carverton Road, Trucksville. Edward W. Hollen, Harrisburg, was the driver of the Pennsylvania Laundry Co. truck. He assumed all liability.

Gate Of Heaven School Has Seventy-Five Graduates



Gate of Heaven parochial school graduates, attired in traditional academic cap and gown, range themselves for their commencement picture on the stage in Gate of Heaven auditorium, gathered about pastor and school administrator Rev. Francis A. Kane. The seventy-five boys and girls who graduated June 10 from Gate of Heaven are, reading left to right, First row, Thomas D'Amario, Thomas Orf, William Halpin, Eva Zambeto, Linda Sorber, Sally Payne, Lois Rondinella, Geraldine

Gabel, Alice Reasoner, Charles Glawo, John Phillips, James Marascio. Second row: Thomas Cadwalader, Andrew Fedak, Herbert Mill, Richard Konnick, Daniel Klimovich, Neil Macintyre, Michael McCoog; Third row: Donald Metzger, Ronald Szela, David Jones, Joseph Stager, Judith O'Hara, Carmela Cavan, Rose Marie Gabel, Sharon Wagner, Mildred Cooney, Rosalie Pace, Alfred Pace, Patrick Malloy, David Mascali;

Fourth row: William Cave, Edwin Raub, John Ruckno, Mary Margaret Burns, Dorothy Whalen, Susan Wazeter, Susan Allabaugh, David Caffrey, Patrick Carroll, Robert Costigan, John Groblewski; Fifth row: Thomas Harris, Paul Shiner, James MacDonough, James Harris, Edward Kupstas, Cynthia Konaavage, Betty Lamoreaux, Diane Taglia, Nancy Maier, John Gallagher, Water Ragukonis, Bernard McDermott, Nicholas Stredny; Sixth row: Leon Chase, Marvin

Serhan, Molly Messersmith, Barbara Dorrance, Barbara Jane Williams, Sandra Perkosi, Douglas Steele, James Balavage, Joseph Hudak; Seventh row: Timothy Houlihan, Richard Pryor, Anne Marie Rudinko, Linda Rogowski, Margaret Woychick, Sharon Smith, Charles Dunn, Thomas Miller, Winners of the American Legion Medals were Andrew Fedak and Molly Messersmith, Highest Average Award went to Daniel Klimovich.

She Helps Build Church — Literally



One of the chief engineers of Rev. Ralph Smith's project to turn a demolished building in Trucks-ville into a Free Methodist Church in Dallas is Ethel Smith, the pastor's wife. Who says the pioneer spirit has vanished from the face of America?

The Smiths came to this area to minister to the Dallas circuit of the Church last September. Since March they have been demolishing one of the highway in Trucks-ville, salvaging wood, pipe, furnaces, and most anything else that can be used in the construction of the new Church building. Mrs. Smith says her jobs around the place have been to help remove soil-pipe, to take nails out of boards, to stack the boards, and "easy stuff like that".

She and Rev. Smith have been married for twenty-five years, and have three children. The oldest, Patricia, is married and lives near Rochester. Robert, 19, has just graduated from high school in Ohio, and is assisting in the demolition until he can find a summer job. Ruth Elaine, 14, cooks the meals and looks after the parsonage.

As an officer of both the Wilkes-Barre District Women's Missionary Society and the Local Women's Missionary Society Mrs. Smith helps build the Church with her mind as well as with her hands. She is president of the Local Society.

As for hobbies and other activities, she says: "Just being a good pastor's wife is enough." When you think about it, it sure is.

Looks Forward To Seeing Europe Through Eager Eyes Of The Young

Rev. Robert D. Yost, pastor of Shavertown Methodist Church, is looking forward to seeing Europe this summer through the eager eyes of three young folks, finding new aspects of ground which he covered two years ago, as Nancy Welker, Jane and Thomas J. Graham, get their first view of the Continent.

This trip has been in the making for some time, in fact ever since Rev. Yost had such a marvelous time on a whirlwind tour of Europe in 1960. Jane and Thomas are daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Graham, Shavertown. Nancy is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Welker of Luzerne.

SPECIAL NOTICE

After the fourth of July, the Dallas Post will be closed Saturday mornings. Open again after Labor Day.

Duck Parade Stops Traffic On Highway

A parade of ducks stopped traffic on Highway 309 Thursday evening at dusk, when a mother duck escorting seven babies waddled across the highway near the Overbrook Avenue overpass. Mrs. Esther Scott reports that cars were lined up, with drivers much interested.

Dog Owners Warned

A drive against unlicensed dogs in Kingston Township is going to be made by police and the State Marshal in the near future. Owners will be prosecuted and fined by out of town courts, and the dogs will be disposed of.

Owners of licensed dogs which are running loose will also be prosecuted. A wave of dog-bites has hit the township in the last two months, and the police feel the situation is serious.

DOCTOR KILLS RATTLER; DRY WEATHER BRINGS SNAKES OUT OF HILLS

Prolonged dry weather is drawing poisonous snakes down off the hillsides in search of water.

Dr. F. Budd Schooley killed a 45-inch rattler and saw another when he drove into his driveway at his summer place at Noxen Sunday morning at 11.

He killed the first one quickly with a stick but the second one escaped in an old well on the Elmer Kocher place next door.

Not long ago, Jim Perkins, Dallas barber, who lives in Edwardsville, lost his miniature dachshund which was bitten in the throat by a copperhead. Dr. Richard Post did all he could to save it, but to no avail.

Pennsylvania Game Commission reports that its Food and Cover men working on State Game Lands 57 between Ricketts and Noxen have killed a number of rattlers, but no more than in previous years.

Chief Hughes Better

Lake Township Police Chief Edgar Hughes reports that he is feeling much better after suffering a slight heart attack several weeks ago, and is anxious to get back to work. He will have one more cardiogram, after which he expects to return to duty.

A Police Chief of another township, who knows Hughes well, reported that doctors had to be adamant about rest for the Lake Chief who wanted to go right back out on the job.

Mahle Goes Airborne

Richard C. Mahle, Meeker, recent graduate of Lake-Lehman High School, enlisted in the Regular Army (or three years, and is now undergoing initial processing at Ft. Jackson, S. C.

After completion of eight weeks basic training, he will undergo Airborne Training at Ft. Bragg, N.C.

NEWS DEADLINES ADVANCED BECAUSE OF FOURTH OF JULY

Next week will be a busy week for everybody in the Back Mountain area.

Because the Post's usual printing day, Wednesday, falls on the Fourth of July, the staff would appreciate all the early news and advertising copy possible.

We hope to go to press on Tuesday afternoon, with the Post delivered as usual on Thursday morning. This will make it possible for the entire staff to be off on July Fourth to attend Lehman Horse Show, work for the Auction which opens on the 5th, or go fishing.

The cooperation of advertisers, correspondents and all others will be appreciated. In order to meet these early deadlines we will be working Saturday and Sunday. All correspondence and advertising should be in our hands a day earlier than usual.

FAWN, SHEEP AND CHICKENS KILLED BY ROAMING DOGS

Dogs, running in packs, some of them valuable Collies and Police dogs, are creating considerable damage in the Back Mountain area to wild life that is now with its young.

A fawn was recently killed by dogs near Fielding's on Sutton Road. More recently Herman Thomas had one of his Highland Acres ewes killed and a lamb badly chewed up.

Dogs have also bothered cattle and chickens. Mrs. H. H. Zeiser, Huntsville Road, recently had two of her pet leghorns killed by wandering dogs.

Stray beagles, according to the local office of the Game Commission, are also running young rabbits as well as some deer during the early mornings.

Clubs Will Pick Citizen Of Year

Tri-Club Dinner On September 13

Alfred H. Ackerson, chairman of Dallas Service Club Council, has announced that the second annual dinner of Service Clubs of Dallas will be held on Thursday, September 13 at Irem Temple Country Club.

Arrangements this year will be in the hands of the Rotary which will provide the speaker and take care of details.

The Attendance Cup, won last year by the Lions, will again be up for grabs.

An additional feature will be selection of a local "Citizen of the Year," whose identity will not be known until after the dinner gets underway.

Representatives to Dallas Service Club Council are: Rotary, James Alexander, president, and Merton Jones; Lions, James Thomas, president, and Richard Myers, secretary; Kiwanis, Jerome R. Gardner, president, and Robert S. Maturi.

Two Injured In Head-On Crash

Two persons were rushed to Nesbitt Memorial Hospital yesterday morning with minor injuries after their cars collided head-on on Route 118.

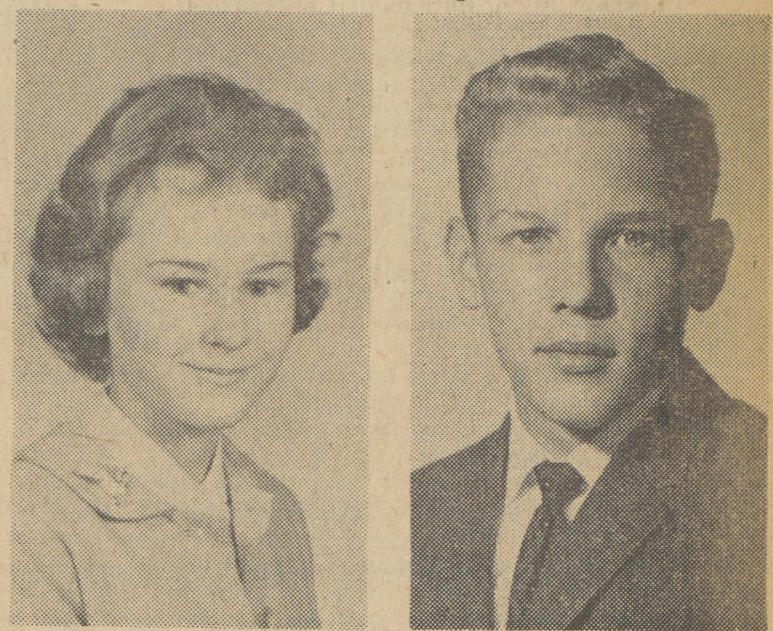
Mrs. Mary Lamoreaux, R. D. 2, Hunlocks Creek, making a left turn in her Chevrolet, collided with a Cadillac sedan driven by Albert Peters, Dunmore, at 7:50 in front of Maple Hill Rest Home, whose driveway Mrs. Lamoreaux was trying to enter. She is employed there as a cook.

Mrs. Lamoreaux's car was turned completely around by the impact, and Peters' car was thrown into the guard-fence. Neither passenger was seriously injured, but the front ends of both cars were damaged beyond repair. Both parties were treated for cuts and bruises at Nesbitt Hospital. Fire Chief Le Wentzel took them in the Lehman ambulance.

Peters, an engineer on a construction project at Nesbitt Hospital was on his way to Williamsport.

Chief Wentzel, Lehman Township Police Chief Joseph Ide, and Officer Chet Lamoreaux investigated. Mrs. Chet Lamoreaux called Ide and Wentzel to the scene, which was close to the Chet Lamoreaux's home.

Receives American Legion Awards



American Legion School Award presented by Daddow Issacs Post 667, for the outstanding boy and girl in the 8th grade of Dallas Junior High School, was awarded to Jeris Jordan and Scott Alexander. The American Legion School Award is designed to give recognition through the award of American Legion Medals to the boy and to the girl most worthy in high qualities of leadership, scholarship, honor, courage and service.

Jeris is daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Lester E. Jordan, Trucksville, her activities include Girls' Drill Team, Mixed Chorus, Girl Scouts, Sodality

of St. Therese's Church, takes piano lessons and is a member of the National Pi Mu Music Society. A career of nursing is planned.

Scott Alexander is son of Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, Shavertown. Activities for Scott include being a Star Scout, Band, Wrestling, piano lessons, a member of the Back Mountain Youth Group of the Presbyterian Church, and swimming. He was elected president of Student Council for the school term of 1962-63.

Scott is planning on going to college, Majoring in Science and Mathematics.

Kenneth Rice To Open 228 Home Development On His Orchard Farm

A new residential development having more than 225 lots on the Kenneth Rice Farm will give free access to school buses and shorten considerably the distance Dallas High School busses have to travel.

This was brought out at the meeting of Dallas School Board Tuesday night when Mr. Rice appeared before the Board and offered free access to the high school grounds over all roads to be constructed in the new development. He asked only in exchange a small triangle of land located at a right angle presently owned by the School District. The parcel of land is 100 x 100 x 75.

The offer by Mr. Rice was in sharp contrast to the attitude taken some years ago by New Goss Manor residents who refused to permit the School Board to have access to the new high school grounds over a highway from New Goss Manor.

Since then high school students from New Goss Manor have had to cross lots to school, or walk the long way around via Route 309 and the East Dallas Road.

Mr. Rice said the small pie-shaped piece of land is needed in order to carry out the wide sweep of streets and contouring of the new development, otherwise the whole road plan and contour of the development might have to be

changed and several lots spoiled. Mr. Rice said he expects to develop 225 lots, located on curving driveways reaching toward the 1300 foot summit where his own new home is situated. Roads, drainage, and disposal system will be the first steps.

Entrance to the development at the lower side will be at a point where the Commonwealth Telephone Company right-of-way climbs steeply up the hill from Fernbrook, and from Highway 309.

It was Mr. Rice's own idea to encourage use of roads for school buses and future citizens walking to school.

A fine high school within walking distance, with probability of construction of a new elementary school in the future, would, he said, attract the right kind of people to the area.

Dr. Robert Mellman, commenting upon the proposal, stated that shortened bus routes would materially lessen cost of transportation. It is unrealistic, he said, for buses to travel miles out of their way if easier access can be arranged.

Access through the Rice farm will clip miles from the route.

The Board voted acceptance of Mr. Rice's plan and referred the matter of the sale of land to Solicitor Jonathan Valentine for study.

MAGAZINE SALESWOMEN FINED \$19.

Dallas Township and Lehman Township Police had a busy weekend expelling a pair of 19-year old girls selling magazine subscriptions from house to house. The girls had credentials from "Globe Reader's Service", Wisconsin, but no permit to sell in either township.

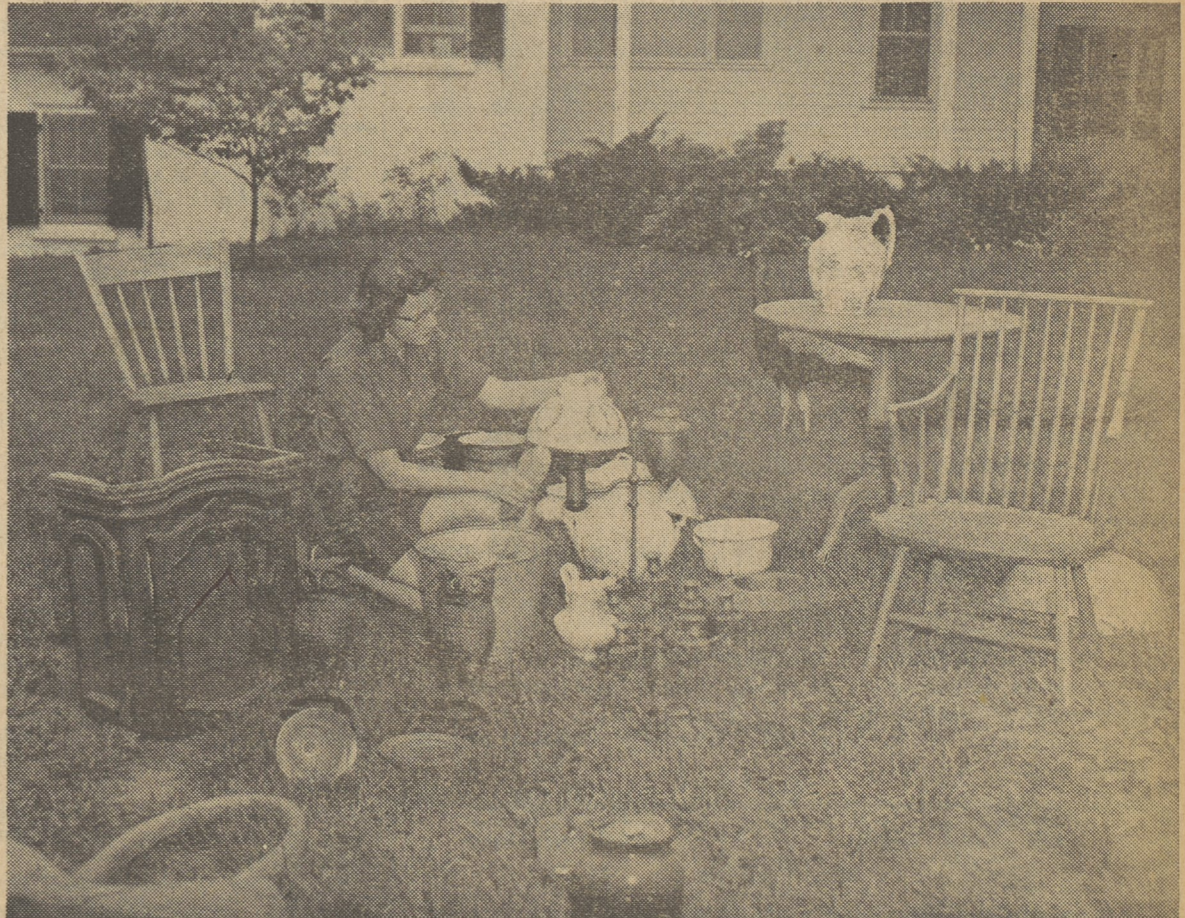
Friday, Chief Joseph Ide, Lehman Township, received complaints about the girls from the Harvey's Lake area of the township, picked them up at 1:30 P.M., and threatened them with arrest if they did not leave. He gave their names as Wanda Wallace, Pittsburgh, and

Maureen Reynolds, England. Their local address was 28 N. Washington St., Wilkes Barre. He described Wanda as a "shrewd talker".

Two young men drove the car, a 1957 Chevrolet, for the girls, Douglas R. La Follette, Virginia, and Louis Arthur Hernandez Deldalle, Texas.

Assistant Chief of Police, Dallas Township, Stanley Gardiner arrested the girls Saturday in the act of selling subscriptions. They were fined 19 dollars each by Squire George Preter, and expelled from the township.

Mary Frantz Looks Over The Loot



Mary Frantz, on the lawn at her home at Chase, busily washes up some of the treasures which the Henry Jones barn disgorged for the Library Auction. That's George in

the background, dragging his tail feathers across the grass behind the tiptop table holding the large china pitcher. "Is he stuffed?" somebody wanted to know. Anybody who has

ever heard George sound off, knows that he is not stuffed. If he starts moaking in time, there will be peacock feathers for the Auction.

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