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A LOW BID OF \$345,750

RECEIVED BY THE STATE
FOR CARVERTON PROJECT

Low bidder for the Abraham Creek Project in Carverton is

Irvin T. Miller Company, Inc., Burgettstown, Penna., the Gen-

eral State Authority in Harris-

burg told the Dallas Post yester-

Bid for the project, which in-

cludes a dam for flooding 165

acres of Kingston Township

above Saxe's Corners, is

It was not announced at that

A thief, with remarkable direc-

tion of purpose and commendable

abstinence, stole just one bottle of

whiskey from Lahr's Colonial Inn,

Overbrook Avenue, between mid-

night Sunday and Monday morning.

installed on Main Street, and will

be turned on the evening before

Thanksgiving. Police Chief Russell

Honeywell reminds that, as in years

past, he will be collecting contributions for maintenance of them.

time whether or not the bid

\$345,750.90.

would be accepted.

Just One Bottle

their masters called.

Collect For Lights

Taken By Burglar

#### Dallas Subdues Wyoming Team 32-0 To Garner Its Second West Side Conference First Place

Team Back To DHS

motorcade Saturday afternoon. Over

and band members from Dallas

High School to the Wyoming field.

with banners reading "Go Dallas,

Beat Wyoming," "Come See History

Most of the motorcade followed

three years behind them.

Bob Anderson, president of the

the Back Mountain continue to

boost local sports throughout the

Chairman Elton "Red" Brace and

assistants, Joe Reese, Jack Best-

manslaughter in the death of

another car off the road, hitting

Dallas Post will be in the mail Tues-

This means that correspondents,

ministers, and residents who are

writing publicity for organizations

must get their material to the of-

fice of the Dallas Post by this Sat-

urday, November 23, without fail.

This does not mean dropping it into

the mail on Saturday — This means

**Escapes Garage** 

Opens Front Door,

Bounds Down Bank

An unoccupied Roushey Plot car

Around midninght, Mr. and Mrs.

Somehow the car had started

The Martins got the car out of

Harry Martin were awakened by

day morning, two days early.

Larksville.

Dallas Senior High gridders captured their second consecutive West Side Conference championship Saturday by com- Back Mountain Area pletely overwhelming a supposedly good Wyoming eleven, 32-0 before some 3,000 fans on the losers' field.

Six interceptions along with a hard-charging defensive alignment played a major role as the Mountaineers ran their un-Motorcade Follows

beaten string to 21 straight. Dallas scored on drives of 76, 64, 41 and 60 yards plus a 45 yard return of a pass interception for a

Wyoming's deepest penetration was to the Dallas 36 yard line in the opening quarter

Joe Noon with three touchdowns and Alan Harris with three pass interceptions, along with a great defensive game. turned in by Kerpovich from his linebacker spot, were key factors in bringing home the championship.

Neither team scored in the first acre," etc. period as both clubs stayed to the ground most of the time.

before the drive stalled and Noon the contest. punted into the endzone. the victorious team back home,

Noon Goes 76 Yards their own 16 and engineered a from the bus, they were jubilant Lee Zimmerman attending. drive to the Dallas 36 mainly on over victory and welcomed the the running of Sova and Parra, throng of well-wishers. But there before the big forward wall of Dal- was an aura of sadness around them, las stiffened, forcing Sova to go to and the crowd quieted down when

After a third down pass went into the school's alma mater. The incomplete, Sova threw on fourth seniors shook hands with their his first interception at the Dallas parted for the showers, a successful Hospodar attending. 24 as the quarter ended.

On the very first play of the second period, Noon took a hand-off Booster Club, which planned the from Baker and broke into the motorcade, extends sincere thanks clear around the 35, going the dis- to everyone for their cooperation tance untouched for his first TD. in making the event a success. He Eddie Dorrance kicked the point expressed a wish that the folks in Dallas 7, Wyoming 0.

Noon Again Noon's kick-off sailed into the winter at Dallas Senior High School endzone and Wyoming put the ball in play at their own 20.

With Sova and Parra again alter- wick and Bob Hislop are to be connating on running the ball, the gratulated for the fine job they did Redskins reached their 49 before for the first such affair. Dallas dropped Sova for two

Again, Sova tried to move his team by way of the airlanes, only to have Joe Noon intercept at the of Glova Fatality 45 and race down the sidelines for

Dallas led 13-0 as Dorrance's Stephen Glova, Harveys Lake, June

Dallas had another opportunity men and three men, who delibin the first half as Farley took a erated 90 minutes: Barry Davis, 18, settled until 100 years after Wilkes-Pnearly went all the way. The last car, the prosecution alleged, forced man got him at the 29.

Dallas was unable to move and Glova, who was unloading a vehicle Baker was snowed under on an at- in front of his mother's home in tempted fourth down pass.

Farley got into the act again just before half as he picked off just before half as he picked off another Redskin pass on his own Next Issue To 35 and raced to midfield. Harris Intercepts Again

On the third play of the second Publish Early half, Harris intercepted his second (Continued on Page 2 A)

#### Mrs. Stanitas Dies Of Burns

#### Was Raking Yard At Height Of Drought

October 10, at the height of the drought, Mrs. Barbara Stanitas was bringing it in person. raking her yard on Hollowich Road, a seldom travelled lane three miles from Harveys Lake. She decided to

burn a small pile of leaves. Early Tuesday morning, the eighty-five year old woman died at General Hospital, after weeks of agony, with no possible hope of recovery from extensive second de-

gree burns. The day of the fire, Stanley Harrison was visiting George Hollowich at one of the other two frame owned by Harry "Sonny" Martin, houses on the road. He spotted opened its own garage door Friday smoke from the neighboring yard at night, and bounded down a bank 2:30. While his friend alerted the before coming to rest. Daniel E. Roberts Fire Company, No one was injured, and the car Mr. Harrison ran to rake out the suffered minor damage.

and crackling flames, he stumbled pounding on their door, were greet-Plunging through dense smoke

fire, fast spreading toward the

ed by their son, just home from the over something. It was Mrs. Stanitas, her cloth- evening shift at work, who had a strange tale to tell. He had closed ing ablaze, recovering consciousness his garage doors, gone into the after her fall, as flames licked her house, when he heard a loud noise

Dr. Irvin Jacobs prepared her for from the garage.

Mrs. Stanitas, Lithuanian-born, rolling, broke a crossboard releashad lived on Hollowich Road for ing the garage doors, traveled afifty years, staunchly managing her cross the road and down over the own affairs. She had suffered sev- steep bank by his parents' home. eral accidents over the years. A It came to rest against a stone wall fall down the cellar stairs had dis- left from a torn-down barn.

A bad burn from flaming grease the field, onto Demunds Road, and in midwinter had been treated by back to the garage. Another little Dr. Lester Saidman. Greeted in the mishap occured while fixing a driveway by his patient, vigorously spring. Sonny caught his hand so shovelling snow, Dr. Saidman fum- that pliers and wrench had to be ed, "What on earth are you doing used to remove the obstructions.

'How could you get your car in and bandaged her hands and arms. | tery.

# Ambulance Logbook

Dallas Joseph and Jean Olivieri, Kingston, and Jackson Berkey, 19 W. Fallbrook, Dallas, to Nesbitt Hospital, after a head-on collision at the intersection of Pioneer Avenue and Old Main Road the evening of November 13, Jim Perkins and Jim Enthusiastic followers of Dallas Besecker attending, with an assist Mountaineers formed a mile long by Bill Berti.

Kingston Township 100 cars, decorated with blue and Joseph Bunnell, James Street, white streamers, followed the team Shavertown, to the home of his son at Bristol on Sunday evening, William Frederick, Walter Davis, Many of the vehicles were hung and Willard Bullock attending. Ralph Burkert, Beech Street, to

Repeated At The Wyoming Massafternoon, Marvin Yeust and Tony Plata attending. The first forty cars, through the Frances Shimkus, Plymouth, to cooperation of police and faculty Nesbitt Hospital at 9:30 Tuesday Dallas received the opening kick- of Wyoming High School, were able evening, Frederick, Sheldon Macoff and moved to the Wyoming 42 to park around the field to watch Avoy, Joseph Youngblood and Wil-

Nesbitt Hospital at 5:15 Tuesday

liam Pugh attending. Lake Township Peter Delaney, Alderson, to Nes-Lehman Township

Pete Hospodar attending. the team formed a circle and broke Mrs. Nell Kenny, returned to

Noxen

Jennifer Brown, infant daughter from the Clinic to General Hospital vin Strohl and William Crossman

and Lackawanna County Participa-

been settled by runaway slaves who

made a valuable contribution to

the region, and that an under-

on through to Clark Summit from

where the fugitives made their way

Scranton, he stated, was not

Barre and political parties were

then divided into two parties, the

Whigs and Jacksonian Democrats.

interested in the Anti-slavery move-

ment and numerous residents took

part in the conflict, a goodly num-

ber becoming officers of the armed

There was a ready response to

the cause after the firing on Fort

command of Col. Samuel Bowman.

and later became leaders in the

prised of ten companies, two of

whom were Negroes. A total of

Ed Roth's crew, Charles Flack,

Robert Block, Tony Zachary, and

bulance call until Sunday at mid-

zerne County was the 143rd, com- dow.

political life of the area.

Ambulance Crew

Conyngham, Elisha Harvey, Henry the family den.

Lane Jarrett remain on Dallas Am- Roan and Carl Loucks.

Many in Luzerne County were

Found not guilty of involuntary ground ran through Wilkes-Barre

1, by a criminal court of nine wo- north into Canada.

Rev. Lewis Reveals County

Rev. William Lewis, Scranton, 5500 men served from the local

tion in the Civil War at a meeting ments which organized at Decatur,

of the Back Mountain Civil War Ill., in 1866 and which preserved

spoke Friday evening on Luzerne community during the conflict.

**Participation In Civil War** 

He disclosed that Waverly had they fought.

Late in the first period, the Red- horns blaring and students cheer- bitt Sunday morning around 11, est landmarks here falls before dis- grist mill to be ground into grain. Carverton area in the early 1800's, skins put a Dallas punt in play at ing. When the boys stepped down John Stenger, Tom Garrity, and mantlers, a victim of progress.

> nearby dam. ness. Farmers from the surrounding lumber of the old structure.

of James Brown, Loyalville, taken Friday with third degree burns, Cal-

He commended the GAR encamp-

Cats Killed In

**Carverton Fire** 

Mother Saves Tots

As Home Is Gutted

The worst home fire in Kingston

Township in many months killed

two cats playing in the cellar of

David Voitek's home on Orange

Road, last week, but Mrs. Voitek

was able to rescue David Jr., 3, and

Natalie, 2, in the nick of time,

Mr. Voitek, who was at work re-

stairs, she was unable to get through

to David, but thought fast enough

Shavertown and Trucksville fire

ambulance responded, and put out

the fire, which did an estimated

from that cellar.

Sumter with the first contingent, pairing TV, said the fire, which

the 8th Pennsylvania Regiment gutted the cellar and damaged most

formed on April 22, 1861. Four of the first floor, seemed to have

companies were placed under the started under the cellar steps in

Hoyt, John Geary and E. L. Dana Although Mrs. Voitek was able to

who achieved fame during the war rescue Natalie from the smoky

Crew for next week: Ray Titus, and Mrs. Floyd Brunges, until they

One of the Back Mountain's old- areas brought their oats to the The Heft family settled in the Upon the death of Mitchell Heft traveling through the wilderness Built by the late Mitchell and in 1928 at age 84, the old mill was from Easton to make a new home Philip Heft, Carverton, and opera- willed to his grandson, Ira Taylor, Mrs. John Dana and Sherman Carol Ann Schimpf taken Friday ted for many years by the former, who continued its operation until Hefft, Carverton, are the only reto General Hospital from Geri-Kay the old saw mill was originally run his death in 1958. His son, Marvin, maining members of the Heft fam-Nursing Home, Lee Wentzel and by water power supplied by the then sold the business to Stanley ily in this area. Mrs. Dana's father, Paszkowski, who repurchased the the late James Hefft was a cousin Heft, who lived in the home, la- building marked for demolition by of Mitchell Heft, and with heart-Maple Hill Nursing Home Saturday ter owned by the Metzes, owned the State Park project. He will sche she has observed the destruc-

Century-Old Carverton Mill Demolished For State Park

# Dr. Borthwick And Ambulance Crew Save Teenager's Life

the ideals and freedoms for which

Nesbitt Hospital yesterday morning. way to Nesbitt Hospital, where home of her sister late in the after- p. m. head fell into water in the commode Cificer Stanley Gardiner in nearly drowning her.

Prompt action by Kingston Town- | William Frederick was first to ship Ambulance crew and Dr. Mal- arrive on the scene when a call for colm Borthwick is credited with help was placed by the family. The saving the life of Frances Shimkus, ambulance manned by William 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis | Pugh, Sheldon MacAvoy and Joseph Shimkus, Flat Road, Plymouth, Youngblood arrived in a matter of when she was found unconscious at minutes and Dr. Borthwick, sumthe home of her sister, Mrs. Stephen | moned by Frederick, immediately Vrabel, Overbrook Avenue at 8:50 applied external cardiac massage. Tuesday evening.

Miss Shimkus was released from and resusitation continued all the The young girl had arrived at the Miss Shimkus was admitted at 9:45

noon. When she became ill, her Police Chief Frank Lange and

### College Misericordia Theatre 3 To Present Montovani Orchestra

Theatre 3 presentation will be Mon- able talent for the violin, the father tovani, the international star, whose relented and Montovani earned inrecords consistently top best-sell- ternational popularity. During the ing lists. Montovani and his 45 thirties Montovani formed his own piece orchestra will appear at the orchestral combination, TIPICA OR-Irem Temple Tuesday evening, Nov- CHESTRA, playing in restaurants,

Montovani's Theatre 3 program Always, Ave Maria, Charmaine, Carnival.

Now on his seventh American Best known regiment from Lu- to pull him out the side cellar win- tour, the popular Montovani has been called a "quadruple threat to the music profession," conductor, companies, and Kingston Township His father once served as concert master under Arturo Toscanini, Piero Mascagni, Saint-Saens, and \$7500 damage in a few hours. They others. Annunzio Paolo Mantovani were under direction of Andrew was born in Venice. At four, he went to London where his father The Voiteks are now living with conducted a salon orchestra in one

her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. of London's finest hotelsl. Turning toward music as his procaptain; Les Tinsley, James Wert- can repair the home. Voitek point- fession, he ran into parental opposiman, Leonard Harvey, and John ed out that many cross-beams are tion. The elder Montovani wanted reports, she found an oriental poppy his son to be an engineer, but when in full bloom in her yard last week

Misericordia's second junior demonstrated an unmistakhotels and eventually on radio.

As Montovani conducted, he exthe vicinity of the furnace, not far will include his usual unique ar- perimented until he evolved his famed "New Music," successfully on ommand of Col. Samuel Bowman. the vicinity of the full target in the listed the names of John B. from where the children played in sleeves, Wyoming, Moulin Rouge, five continents. The Montovani orchestra consists of 45 pieces of with current hits from Camelot and which 32 are in the string section, coming year were Richard Staub, jurisdiction over granting permisresulting in arrangements very near the symphonic in tone.

In 1951, Montovani recorded a surer. Queen of England. Among his col- Fuller, Steward. lection of awards are twelve gold

POPPY BLOOMING Mrs. Donald Paeglow, Parrish St.

# Heads Post Directors



BERNARD McDERMOTT

Bernard McDermott, 11 Lackawanna Avenue, was elected president of the Board of Directors of of the board. Daddow Isaacs Post at a recent reorganization meeting.

many years, is married to the forwer Margaret Pape, Lee Park, and of the supervisors for relocation is the father of two children, Linda near Gavy's Market and Trucksand Bernie, both students at Dal- ville Pharmacy. las Senior High School.

The new president is a member of Gate of Heaven Church and is | Harvester and Motor Twins, Inc sales representative for the House Matter was tabled for the present

secretary and Thomas Reese, trea-

series of waltzes for London Rec- President McDermott appointed ords to release in the U.S. Since the following committee chairmen: the Lady Rebeckahs of Trucksville then he has made more recordings Building and Grounds, Paul Shaver; than practically any living artist; Bar, Edward Buckley; Kitchen, Wilhe has branched into television, in- liam O'Brien. Other board members pairs have been made on the duck, to films, and he has even played are William Moran, Harold Brobst, weasel and water tank by Carl Hadcommand performances before the Tom Kane, Harold LaBar and Dick sell and Henry Hill. He disclosed

> elected head of the local Legion amounting to \$21,211. Post, makes the 13th member of the board.

at the Legion Home at 8, Saturday

#### Redistricting Move Put Off Till Monday

Question of redistricting Legislature and Senate, in which both Senator Martin Murray (D-Luzerne Co.) and the entire present Sixth Legislative District would both be voted out of existence, is postponed with adjournment in both houses until Monday

The Republicans failed to muster sufficient votes yesterday in the Senate, according to caucus leader William Z. Scott (R-Carbon), although the democrats, along with several Republicans, including Senator Harold Flack, Dallas, are out in force to save two Senate seats for Luzerne County.

In the Assembly, the Sixth District, including much of the Back Mountain, would be reapportioned substantially in favor of the GOP.

#### Demunds Road Fire

Dr. Henry M. Laing Fire Company responded to a brush fire call on

#### Franklin Twp. To Have Zoning

#### William Zell Heads New Planning Board

Franklin Township now has its own zoning commission.

Five prominent residents were appointed Saturday evening by the board of supervisors to set up rules

and regulations for the community. William Zell, chairman, will be assisted by Edward Dorrance, Raymond Goeringer, Hugh Gebhart and Henry Zarno in determining the best answer to problems facing the township.

Supervisors have had many complaints of refuse being dumped on private properties and along the roads in the area. A decision to set up its own dumping grounds or cooperate with other local municipalities in eliminating the nuisance will be among present conditions to be rectified.

Entry was gained by breaking a The rapid building boom in the window in the back door. Neigharea has contributed to the formaborhood dogs, probably smelling the tion of a planning board which will rat, set to raising a din about 5 be able to meet and solve its own a.m., and refused to come in when problems.

Franklin Township will follow the lead of Kingston Township in having an active planning unit. Dallas Borough is in the process of reac-Christmas lights are now fully tivating its present ordinances.

## **Architects Will** Redesign Plans

#### State Refuses To Aid Trucksville Dilemma

Kingston Township's proposed new municipal building and fire hall will have to be redesigned to meet budget specifications.

Bids submitted by six contracting firms were opened by Walter Roberts of Lacy, Atherton and Davis, at a meeting of the Supervisors Wednesday evening and rejected. Low bidder was Decker Construction Company at \$57,758. Highest estimate was that of Barretta Construction, \$77,864.

Other firms bidding on the project were Thomas Murray, Jr., Hedden and Company Somerville Construc-tion and Tabone and Barberra. Heating, plumbing and electrical bids were also received.

The architects may have to delete fancy trim and cut floor space to meet estimate proposed. New plans are expected to be off the drawing board within ten days and job readvertised. All matters pertain to the proposed building will be referred to LaRoy Ziegler, chairman

A letter from the State Highway Department stated plans were Bernie, an active Legionnaire for too far completed on the new road to cooperate in the recent request

Two bids on a new township truck were received from International

A question placed before Solicitor Other officers elected for the Mitchell Jenkins as to who had vice president; Stephen Hartman, sion to use the new building brought his reply that such was up to the supervisors. Permission had been sought by Toby Creek Lodge and Ted Hinkle, township Civil De-

that the community now has on Commander George Cave, newly hand equipment and supplies The weasel was brought into use

fense chairman, reported that re-

recently when Henry Metzger, President McDermott and the Shavertown, was rescued. The units poard will take an active part in may not be used without permisthe annual Turkey Party to be held sion from Hinkle or Col. Leon Beisel

Mr. Hauck expressed concern over the school bus problem on Church Road recently reported as in too bad a condition for travel, but was assured by Mr. Ziegler that it would pack down as soon as cold weather

Mrs. Edith Knecht, Cliffside Avenue, complained about overflowing ditches on the street. Karl Loucks thanked supervisors for a job well done on Terrace Avenue, and Mrs. Elizabeth Wormeck infused a humorous note when she congratulated Mr. Ziegler on his reelection and remarked that it appeared no one else wanted the job since he had

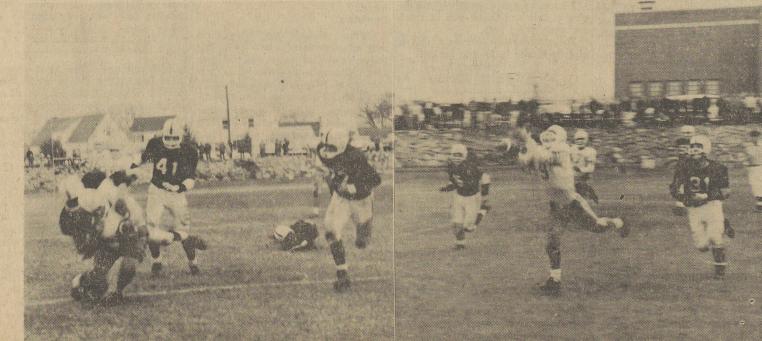
no opposition. Guard rails requested for Skyline Drive will probably be placed after supervisors study the hazardous turn. Road supervisor Lawton Culver stated a retaining wall will be needed first. A surveyor will

Pipe laying and bill board ordinances were adopted. Supervisor Arthur Smith, in answer to a query by Louis Ranier, informed him that two overhead lights at Carverton Road intersection were demanded by the state.

be called in.

William Tregaskis was appointed special police officer, and snow tires

# Fast Action In Saturday's Championship WSC Contest



This morning at 9, in St. Mary's

Action in Saturday's game, in! With a Wyoming defender on his most made it all the way. in the first half, in which he al- third.

The Mountaineers' record in the the driveway if I didn't shovel it?" Lithuanian Church, Kingston, a which Dallas roundly trounced back, and two more bearing down At right, Farley makes a running West Side Conference was seven Upper Demunds Road late Sunday Mrs. Stanitas replied, wincing as Mass of Requiem will be read, fol- Wyoming (away) 32-0 to clinch on him, John Farley is brought to attempt at a Baker aerial on the wins and a tie. Noon scored three morning, under direction of Chief Dr. Saidman treated the blisters, lowed by burial in the parish ceme- its second straight WSC champion- the ground after a nice punt return Wyoming 5 yard line during the of the five touchdowns in the last Daniel Richards, and the blaze was and chains were authorized for the game, Baker and Farley the others. | quickly extinguished.