

YOUR HEALTH

The property damage last year was a staggering \$1,590,600,000, the highest on record.

There were 48,500 fires in industrial plants and 44,300 fires in stores.

The number of schools and col-

lege fires increased over previous years with 5,200 listed.

Church fires numbered 2,900, a decline of 100 from the year before.

Nursing homes suffered a half million dollar loss from fires last year in the 600 fires reported.

Carelessness is one of the chief causes of these costly fires.

There is carelessness in the use of smoking materials and much mishandling of flammable liquids, and rubbish.

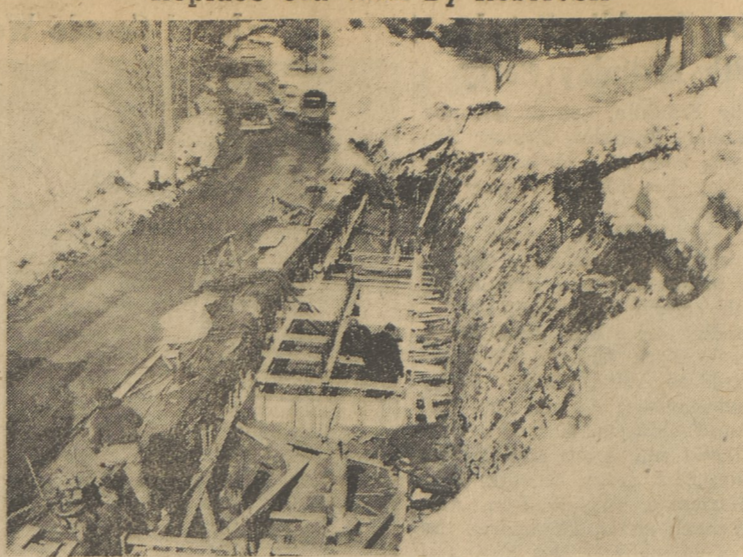
Electric defects and defective and misused heating and cooking equipment account for many fires.

Shavertown Birthdays

Greetings this week to Merten J. Coolbaugh, Mark Klosber, Jean M. Herr, Jerry Price, Bert Elton Brace, Thomas J. Jenkins, June Lee Tippett, Pamela Sue Porter, Mrs. Arthur Hontz, Alice Austin, Lewis Evans, Larry Klabeo, Harry Ritts, Sr., Walter Cook, Sandy Beech, Willard Puterbaugh, Ruth Turner, Elizabeth Banks, Florence Pugh, Ann Troop, Robert Williamson.

Leo T. Schwartz, Ruby Root, Fred Templin, Florence Woolbert, Barbara Kangas, Leon Weisa, Peg Maza, Debra Jean Ell, Mrs. Rick Rudy, George Gosart, Elizabeth Schweiss, Mary Zimmerman.

Replace Old Wall By Reservoir



This old retaining wall on Huntsville Road by the reservoir at junction with Overbrook Road is being replaced by the County.

Base of the new wall is shown here being installed by Addy Con-

struction men, featuring heavy steel support. The old wall, which ran around twenty feet high at one spot, crumbled with age and wear and tear from weather and flood.

One-lane traffic will prevail for the next two weeks until the job is done. Some skeptics will say the road has been so narrow there as to have always been one-lane.

Above the wall is the corner property, two houses, of J. Milton Culp. A neighbor says the wall dates from around the turn of the century, and owners of the property agree it was very old.

photo by Kozemchak

Herschel E. Booth Widely Connected

The sudden death of Herschel E. Booth at his home in Johnstown early Saturday morning, affects a number of people in this community.

Mrs. Booth, in Mercy Hospital at Johnstown, facing surgery, was not able to attend the funeral on Wednesday. Her serious condition is thought to have been a possible contributing factor to the heart attack which took Mr. Booth at the age of 59.

A native of Wilkes-Barre, he was employed by Sordoni Construction Co. as district superintendent of the Johnstown division.

His mother is Mrs. Blanche Booth, West Wyoming. His father was the late Arthur Booth.

The London family is related. George London of Center Moreland is his uncle, Jean Marie Pall, Mrs. Ziza Smith, and Mrs. Dale Oney are nieces. Almon Booth, West Wyoming, a former manager of the Dallas Acme, is his brother.

There are three children: Mrs. Blanche Cramer, Johnstown; Herschel E. Jr., Johnstown; Mrs. Audrey Virgin, Fort Wainright, Alaska; fourteen grandchildren.

Mr. Booth was a member of United Brethren Church, and Johnstown Lodge F&AM; Coudersport Consistory; Jaffa Temple, Johnstown Shrine Club; American Institute of Electrical Engineers and United Commercial Travellers.

Wins Grand Prize At Home And Industry Show



Northeastern Pennsylvania Home and Industry Show climaxed Sunday night, with the awarding of the grand prize and auctioning of the Russian home.

D. T. Scott, Jr., Dallas, was recipient of the grand prize, an all-expense-paid trip for two to either Florida or the New York World's Fair.

Shown with his son Philip in photo above, Mr. Scott receives congratulations from Howard White-

berland, chairman of the show, at left, and John J. Dougherty, Jr., of the Greater Wilkes-Barre Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The Russian home, auctioned off as an ideal summer cabin, brought spirited bidding. The successful bidder was John M. Kester of 621 Miller Street in Luzerne. Handling the bidding were Robert Bachman and John Vivian, Library Auction stalwarts.

berland, to Lt. Wayne Moss, Shick-shinny.

Anniversaries: Mr. and Mrs. George Ellsworth, Harveys Lake, 55th; Mr. and Mrs. Cary Graham, Dallas, 25th. Birthdays: George Dendler, Noxen, 81.

Deaths: Mrs. Elsa Schneider, 94, Valley Crest, formerly of Shavertown; Frank Heslop, 80, Demunds Road; Mrs. Bessie Schultz, Dallas; Paul Eckert, 60, Dallas.

AUGUST 1, 1963

Foreign exchange students Gail Rumbaugh, Penny Farrar, Linda Davies, and Judy Casterline, honored by Dallas Rotary.

Drew Bittenbender, Sandy Wazeter win in midget races.

Supposedly rabid fox shot at Lake.

Petition of Lehigh Valley to abandon rail service to Dallas raises storm. Road construction crews already grading for relocation of tracks at great expense to taxpayers.

Commonwealth announces reduced rates for Lake area. Married: Margaret Malkemes to Walter T. Mahoney.

Died: Chester A. Keiner, 60, Noxen; Ralph Kocker, 21, Pleasant Valley. Anniversaries: Mr. and Mrs. George Dendler, 59th; Mr. and Mrs. Paul LaBar, 25th.

AUGUST 8, 1963

Linda Davies, bound for Australia. Rotary Exchange; Frederick Malkemes bound for Africa to teach in Kenya.

Final Auction session, looks like around \$17,000 net.

Monday building fails to move at auction.

Tributes: Elizabeth Ruder resigns. Died: Herman VanCannon, Shavertown; Mrs. Sarah Moss, 81, Pennbrook; Mrs. Beulah Kitchner, 83, native of Still; Charles J. Westervelt, 69, Hunlock Creek; Mrs. Molly Seeger, 60, Lovallville. Married: Patricia Sholtis to Albert H. Suttler Jr.; Lorraine Batory to Philip Novicki.

AUGUST 15, 1963

Center Moreland Auction draws good crowd.

Dallas School Board fights highway dangers for school children.

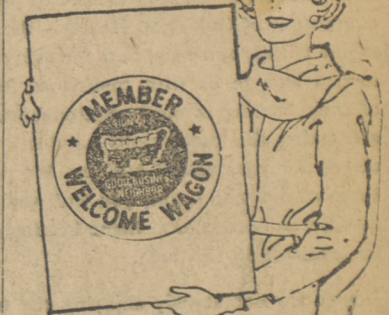
Welton Farrar candidate for school director as George Parrish withdraws.

Married: Patricia Lee Meyer to William E. Donoghue; Sharon Lee Myers to Walter Lawrence MacPeck; Irene Shultz to Norman Hope; Carol Story to Theodore Montross. Anniversaries: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ruggles, 70th.

Clarence Laidler retires after 42 years of banking.

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Footprints On The Sands Of Time

(Continued from previous month)

JULY 25, 1963

Lt. Colonel William O. Funderburke, native of Texas, takes over command of Benton Air Force Base.

Jeffrey B. Carr, 25, Trucksville, meets instant death at Mt. Pocono in auto accident.

Memorial Plot erected by Trucksville Service Wives and Mothers dismantled by new highway construction crew.

Four Pringle girls escape serious injury when their Corvair dives into Harveys Lake.

Lehigh Valley Railroad petitions for abandonment of 6.2 miles of Bowman's Creek branch running through Dallas from Luzerne.

Dr. David Kunkle opens office in Trucksville.

John Sulcoski, former Dallas teacher, writes new books, entitled "Semimicro Experiments in Chemistry."

Married: Judith Ann Fenstermacher, Dallas, to Martin Stefanik, Freeland; Nancy Ann Handshaw, New Cum-

Advertisement for Evans Drug Store. Features 'DOLLAR DAYS' with '10 GIANT SALE DAYS' from THURS. MARCH 12 thru SAT. MARCH 21. Price: \$1.99. Address: SHAVERTOWN, 674-3888.

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Advertisement for PLASTIC TOILET SEAT. Text: 'Solid Plastic in White and Colors Special \$6.25'. Includes an image of a toilet seat.

Advertisement for a key duplication service. Text: 'DON'T LET THIS HAPPEN TO YOU Stop in and let us make a Duplicate Key... It will take only a minute and costs so little!'. Includes an image of a key.

Advertisement for a 'What-no key!' service. Text: 'What-no key!'. Includes an image of a man holding a sign that says 'HAVE GONE TO DINNER, HOPE YOU HAVE A SPARE KEY.'.

Advertisement for Whitesell Bros. Text: 'Whitesell Bros. BUILDING SUPPLIES & CONTRACTORS'. Hours: Store, Yard and Office Hrs. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Phone Dallas 674-1671. Route 118—Just Off Harveys Lake Highway.