

Silver Mint Julep Set, with Jigger, Frank Clark Jewelry; Pencil Sharpeners, Deemers; 1 Ham, Diamond Manufacturing; Cigars, S. Frieder & Sons; 1 Ham, Tom Garrity; Umbrella, The Hub; 1 Ham, Llewellyn Brothers; Bedroom Suite, Boyd White; 1 Mattress, Nelson Mfg. Co., Wyoming; 2 Chairs, Nelson & Sons, Kingston; 1 Case Oil, Klein Auto Parts; 1 Electric Soldering Iron, Kitsee Auto Stores; 1 Indoor Clothes Dryer, Willard Gary; 1 Kitchen Wall Plaque, Crossroads Lumber Co.; 1 Prehung Aluminum Screen Door 3/0 X 7/0 right hand, Apex Building Products Co.

1 Mirror 24"X20", Friar & Pizano; 1 Ham, Fernbrook Inn; 1 Camera, Davenport Pharmacy; 1 Wood Combination Door, Robbins Door & Sash Co.; 1 Fireplace Grate, Frank N. Henry; 1 Prehung Aluminum Screen Door 3/0 X 7/0 right hand, Whitesell Bros.; 1 Frosted Fruit Dish, 1 Fruit Dish, Endy's Gift & Card Shop; \$50.00 Cash Donation, Atlas Chain & Cable (Oliver Troup, Jr.); 2 Rolls Kennedy Half Dollars, Luzerne National Bank.

1 Economy Lantern w/Flasher and Battery, 4-piece Barbecue Set, 1 gal. Picnic Jug, 1 1/2 quart Casserole-Pyrex, Roller

Skates, 1 Barbecue Grill, Susquehanna Savings Loan; 1 Transistor Radio, McCrory's, Shavertown; Certificate for Cleaning, New Dallas Cleaners; Bowling Supplies, Bob Gebhardt Bowling Supplies; 9 Slips — Size 34-36, Natona Mills; 1 Ham, Attorney Robert Fleming; 1 Box Stationary, Zoeller Paper Co.; 1 Aluminum Screen Door, Whitesell Bros.; 1 Camping Tent, Sears-Roebuck; 100 sq. ft. Vinyl Tile, Strausser's Floor Cov.; 1 Stetson Hat, Adam's Men Shop; 1 Dress Shirt & Silk Tie, Louis Rosenthal Men's Clothes.

Replica of Old-Fashioned Pot Bellied Stove, George Jacobs; 1 Color Poloroid Camera, 1 Roto-Tiller, O'Malia Laundry; American Flag Flown over Capitol, Congressman Daniel J. Flood; 125 lbs. Hot Dogs for Refreshment Stand, American Store Co.; 1 Turkey—14-15 lbs, Harold Bertram; 2 Bags Orfergro, Penns State Seed Co.; 6 Manhattan Sport Shirts, McGregor Sportswear; 2 Hams, Homer Graham; 1 Ham, James Brownlee; \$500.00 Cash Donation, Hazard Wire Rope Co.—Joseph Ritz; Coil Plastic Rope — wire center, Hazard Wire Rope Co.; 6 Women's Suits, Woodbury Manufacturing Co.; 1 Case Oil, Roscoe Miller

4 Pairs Ladies' Shoes, Faith Shoe Co.; 4 Pairs Ladies' Shoes, Heavenly Shoes; 1 Genuine Wilson Golf Club Set—Sam Snead Type, 3 Wilson II Golt Carts; 1 Broyhill Bedroom Set, 1 Black and Decker Electric Utility Saw, 2 AMC 3/4" Electric Drills, 43 Black & Decker Electric 3/4" Utility Drills, 2 Black & Decker Electric Utility Jig Saws, Auction Committee. Personal Stationery—5 pkgs., Lieberman's Printery; 25' Water Hose, Vinyl—7/16" Inside Diameter, Joe Wasserstrom—Lewis & Bennett; 1 Baby Pig, Flowers, Hillside Farms; 1 Youngstown Gas Oven & Surface Unit, Eastern Penna. Supply Co.

1 Thermos Chest, Dallas Hardware; Dinner and Drinks for two, The Castle Restaurant; 1 Good Year Tire—Size 670X15, 3 Sideview Mirrors, Howard "Duke" Isaacs; 1 Toastmaster Automatic Toaster, Manley Tire Co.; 1 Patio Set, Fowler, Dick & Walker; 1 Chair, General Paper & Supply; 9 Pairs of Sneakers (Ladies'), Carter Rubber; Camera, Ace Hoffman; Kitchen Set, Sperling Tobacco; Portable Table, Town and Country; 1 Aluminum Beach Chair, Pomeroy's; 7 gallons Dogwood Paint, 1 qt. Dogwood Paint, Sagenkahn's; 1 Beach Hat and Purse, Rosemary's;

1 Ladder, Sherwin-Williams; Material for Women's Dresses, Newark Silk Co.; 1 Reconditioned Pool Table, Automatic Service Co.; 1 Lightolier, John Black; 400 Caps, A. Rifkin Co.; 1 Hand Embroidered Tablecloth, Dr. C. A. Perkins; 2 Boys' Suits, 3 Boys' Jackets, 6 Pairs Boys' Trousers, Buddies Men's Shop; 100 lbs. Hot Dogs, Pa. Gas & Water; 1 White Chair, 2 Chairs, 1 Red Chair, 1 Green Plastic Chair, 1 Coral Yacht Chair, Fowler, Dick & Walker; 2 Bicycles, Sordoni Enterprises; 1 Stuffed Elephant, 1 Stuffed Donkey, Shelborne Electric; 1 TV Antenna, Stapinski Walgreen's Drug Store.

1 Tennis Racquet—Jack Kramer Wilson, Lyle Slaff; 1 Set Door hinges, Anthracite Electric; 1 Coffee Carafe—12 cup electric plate; Harris Hardware; 1 Brass Door Knocker—Yale, Chapin Lumber; 6 Dresses, Harris Hogan; 1 Set Floor Mats for Pontiac, Al Johns Pontiac; 10 Boxes Greeting Cards, Mebane Greeting Cards; 75-8" Cinder Blocks, Santarelli Cinder Block Co.; 3 Shelving Units, Metropolitan Wire Goods; 1 Gym Set, Deluxe Game Corp.; 1 Merry-go-round, Back Mountain Lumber Company; 10 Pretzel Cans, Lew Garinger—Dallas (Continued on Page A - 8)

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## Government Sets Postoffice Plan

### Refuses To Extend Proposed Sidewalk

An architect's drawing of the proposed new Dallas postoffice property, to be located on site of the railroad station, was shown to Borough Council at a special meeting Tuesday.

Lay-out combines elements of two plans revealed last month in the Dallas Post, with the access driveway fronting on Church Street and the building facing the highway squarely.

General Service Administration of the federal government has approved this plan, prepared by Roushey, Smith and Miller.

One hitch, however, is that the government will have none of architect's recommendation that the adjacent highway bridges and the strange crimped intersection of Mill Street be repaired, and that a sidewalk be built along the highway from Church to Mill.

Borough Engineer John Jeter said that a letter from the State Highway Department showed that the state was not interested in completing the work on sidewalks, and that the bridge project and other work along the lower end of the postoffice grounds could cost \$8,000.

For this reason Council rejected the suggestion that Borough do the work. It was felt that the federal government would eventually see fit to build its own sidewalk.

### Sundry Bills

Council approved payment to solicitor Robert Fleming a fee of 20 per cent of the disputed \$4,500 tax from sale of Natona Mills, claimed in court by both Borough and Dallas Township. Court said the tax money goes to the Borough, so solicitor's fee is \$1,011.

Council president Harold Brobst said he was disappointed in "the high price of justice," since there was no question in his mind that the money was due the Borough anyway. Mayor Thomas Morgan added that litigation is an expensive luxury.

Road complaints were heard from Thomas West and Robert Jones, Reservoir Road.

A bill for \$34.56 was received from James Besecker for damage done to the wooden fence above Toby Creek next to the hardware store. Bill was referred back to Mr. Besecker with Council approval, since he is agent for Borough's liability policy.

### Police Report

Police report for June included 13 arrests, 10 red lights, one stop sign and two reckless driving. Police will patrol the Auction as usual.

Grace Cave reported the Borough Building will get a new roof shortly. Fines received: Moen, \$25. Building fees were \$31.30.

### Mailbox Vandalized

In an instance of vandalism in Huntsville this week, a mailbox belonging to Boyd R. Dodson, Follies Road, was knocked off its stand, and the bulb was removed from a driveway light, sometime between Monday night and Tuesday morning.

## Battle Silkworth Fire



—Dallas Post Staff Photo

Firemen are shown here battling the blaze which destroyed the frame farmhouse of Anthony Wisneski, Lake Silkworth excavating contractor, on Tuesday night. House was a total loss.

Companies from Sweet Valley, Jackson Township, and Lehman joined the Silkworth firemen in fighting the fire, which was completely subdued by about 1 a.m. yesterday.

Farmhouse was located about 2500 feet up a steep hill about a mile south of intersection of the Pritchard Road and Swamp Road. About \$5000 damage was done, according to fire marshal Lee Wentzel. Cause was undetermined, but the blaze broke out in the rear of the second floor while the Wisneskis were in Wilkes-Barre.

Lake Silkworth Company was first on the scene, having received the alarm turned in by a neighbor. Actually, the property is in Hunlock Township. Silkworth's ambulance also stood by, after some dynamite caps exploded.

## Torchy Wilson Saved From Death After Encounter With Rattler

Quick thinking and knowledge of first aid measures saved the life of Allan "Torchy" Wilson, 62, Noxen, when he was bitten by a rattlesnake on the Fourth of July at 1 p.m.

Wilson was at his home when Albert Longo, a visitor from Bristol hunting woodchucks on the Roy Newell Farm, spotted two rattlesnakes and sought Wilson's assistance.

Wilson found the reptile slithering under some dead limbs. As it crawled into a stone pile, he grabbed its tail with his left hand, while his right rested atop the stone. A rearing head, struck his right forefinger, and there is some question whether the bite was inflicted by a second snake harbored there.

The injured man immediately sucked the venom from his finger and applied a tourniquet with a handkerchief. After dispatching the snake, Wilson was assisted to the office of Dr. Lester Saidman, Noxen, by Longo. The physician cauterized the wound and ordered immediate hospitalization, calling

ahead to give orders. Dr. Saidman complimented his patient, saying his prompt action saved his life.

Wilson then proceeded unassisted to his home nearby with the poison already coursing through his veins. His son Lee placed him in his jeep and set off for General Hospital. By the time he had reached Birth's gas station in Dallas, Wilson's hand was swelling, numbness extending to leg and head.

His son found State Trooper Joseph David nearby, asked faster transportation, and the trooper rushed the now seriously ill man to the hospital.

Rattlesnake serum was administered and intravenous injections applied. Wilson received 17 hypodermics from 5 p.m. until 7 the next morning. His entire family was called in as he hovered between life and death, but by Sunday morning he had shown improvement.

Wilson was released from the hospital on Tuesday, but Dr. Saidman warns that a severe reaction from the rattlesnake serum, used (Continued on Page 3A)

# This Week: 18th Annual Library Auction

## Signal Lack Irks Parents

### Faulty Drawings Not Approved By State

A delegation of Shavertown residents appearing before Kingston Township Supervisors last week demanded some definite answer to the traffic light problem at Center Street intersection.

The matter has been of great concern to parents and church groups alike and a letter from Shavertown Methodist Church Council was sent to the board requesting some action.

John Baur asked for specific location of traffic lights in the township and was informed that signals would be placed at Center Street, Harris Hill and Carverton Roads.

LaRoy Ziegler, board chairman, informed group that Ted Poad had taken new drawings direct to Harrisburg, expediting usual procedures. Edward Hall remarked that drawings had been presented to the state before, "but had been turned down since they were not true to scale and were returned to you." Ziegler explained it was due to 5th lane. Hall replied, "There was no waiting lane planned at the time drawings were submitted. Why was so much aggravation necessary in getting this done?"

Supervisor Arthur Smith interposed, "We couldn't get head nor tail from the contractor."

Hall answered, "I don't know why. Traffic men would have been glad to sit down with you if they had been invited. They have a file of our correspondence since we started this thing." Smith said, "We had to have new applications." "No, you didn't," countered Hall, "I looked over the file in Scranton. Pritchard and I checked it yesterday."

"Would you like to look over our file," invited Ziegler.

"Why should I," answered Hall. (Continued on Page 8 A)

## Hit-And-Run Driver Escapes, Lights Off

A car driven by Judith Wright, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wright, Orchard View Terrace, was victim of a hit-and-run accident at Pole 136, Harveys Lake, at 11:20 p.m. Saturday.

Driver of the unidentified car nearly hit head-on, reportedly doing in the neighborhood of 60 miles an hour, according to witnesses.

Driving toward Alderson, Miss Wright drew to a stop as she saw the white sedan headed straight at her. She was unable to pull off the road because of a large tree.

The hit-and-run car fishtailed around, ripping out the back bumper on the Wright car, and creasing the body.

Three witnesses ran out into the road to get the car's license number, but the driver put out his lights and drove off at a high rate of speed. Car was identified as possibly a white Pontiac or Chrysler.

## Antique Weapons

Antique Weapon Collectors will be interested to know that there are two Flint Lock Pistols and two Rabbit-eared shotguns to be auctioned off this year. Frank Slaff has donated one of each.

Myron Baker will give two Civil War swords, one was manufactured in 1862 and one in 1864 by the Ames Manufacturing Company of Chicopee, Massachusetts.

## Jackson Supervisors Launch Planning Law

Jackson Township Board of Supervisors approved the subdivision ordinance, advertised in the Post the week of June 25, at regular meeting Tuesday night.

Purpose of the law, which regulates sub-divisions, or housing developments, is to assure uniform and acceptable construction and planning of streets, lots, sewers, and so forth—in the interest of "harmonious development" of Jackson Township.

In particular the ordinance assures adequate open spaces for traffic, light, air, and proper distribution of population.

Plans for sub-division must be submitted to the Supervisors for approval as legal.

## Time Of Sale Of Glamour Items

Special items of unusual interest will go over the block at stated times, to permit maximum response from bidders, says Frank Huttman, auction chairman.

Articles, donors, times and values, are herewith listed:

Time	Donor	Value
7:30	G E Portable TV Set—Auction Committee	\$ 119.00
8:30	Girl's Bike — A. J. Sordoni Co.	39.00
9:00	Youngstown Built-In Gas Range With Double Oven — Eastern Pa. Supply	189.95
10:00	Westinghouse Automatic Portable Dishwasher — Auction Committee	249.00
<b>Friday</b>		
7:30	Boy's Bike — A. J. Sordoni Co.	\$ 39.00
8:30	Color Poloroid Camera, Auction Committee	160.00
10:00	Weber Stereo Tape Recorder — Auction Committee	199.00
10:30	Dumont Stereo Radio and Photo Console — Auction Committee	.....
11:00	Broyhill - 4 Piece Bedroom Set — Auction Committee	399.00
11:30	Nelson Mattress — Nelson Brothers	49.95
<b>Saturday</b>		
8:00	Tent — Sears & Roebuck	\$ 100.00
9:30	Free Standing Admiral Range—Eye Level Oven — Auction Committee	600.00
10:00	Apache Tent Trailer—Auction Committee	499.99
10:30	Natural Pastel Mink Stole — Auction Committee	249.99
11:00	RCA Color TV Set—Auction Committee	699.00

## Community Endeavor To Span Three Days

This is the great day at last, the beginning of the Eighteenth Annual Library Auction, for support of the Back Mountain Memorial Library.

Chicken barbecue tonight, starting at five, at Gate of Heaven parking lot, with men from the American Legion serving. If it rains, the dinner will be staged in Gate of Heaven school auditorium.

A copper-lined dry sink and a cherry dropleaf table have been on display down at the Powder Horn Antique Shop. Antiques Committee members have accumulated some of the nicest things offered in years.

On Monday and Tuesday, members brought their contributions to The Barn, where they were listed and locked into the secure horse-stall.

Members take turns manning the long display table where colored glass, fine china, polished brass, and bits of early American iron are shown.

Furniture is lined up in front of the table, protecting the display from the crowd. Signs, Please Do Not Handle, guard the treasures.

At the far end of the table, a booth houses the Pennsylvania Dutch dower chest, decorated by a master in the art, Mrs. Paul Gross, in a design obtained from the Metropolitan Museum in New York. The chest will be chanced off late Saturday night. Tickets are obtainable on the Auction Grounds.

Mrs. Mitchell Jenkins is liaison officer between Odds and Ends and Antiques, sifting boxes to separate possible antiques from more ordinary items. Each year, things turn up among the Odds and Ends which deserve more important display.

When nobody could be found to take responsibility for the Arts and Crafts booth, Mrs. William Ziegenfus was pressured into taking it. She has rounded up some interesting demonstrations as well as some fine contributions. A painting by Niccolò Cortiglia, Wilkes-Barre artist with a summer home in Beaumont, has been donated. Rather than put a piece of such value over the block, or selling it at the booth, Mrs. Ziegenfus' committee elected to chance it off.

Buses will be rerouted during the Auction, avoiding Lehman Avenue. Parking will be prohibited in some places, clearly designated by signs. Dallas Borough elementary school playground will be available, with Dallas PTA in charge of parking.

No cars will be permitted on Lehman Avenue, except those delivering goods, in the area between Huntsville Road and Spring Street.

Festivities will start with a chicken barbecue at Gate of Heaven school paved parking lot, starting tonight at 5 p.m.

Auctioneering starts at 7, at the Barnyard, continuing until midnight.

Saturday, the Children's Auction gets under way at 10 a.m., regular auction at noon. Final feature of the evening will be the award of the Ford Falcon car. Ernie Gay says tickets are going well, but that there will be plenty of tickets on the grounds during the three days of the Auction.

Eddie Brominski did a noble job of setting up the grounds, erecting tents and wrestling the heavy framework with the aid of his high school boys.

Explorer Scouts under John Butler and James McCook, are back (Continued on Page 8 A)

Random scenes from the 20th Lehman Horseshow Saturday: Crowd scenes, far left and right: Are you there?

Bottom left: Youngest entrant, 7 months old.

Top center: Crowd-burst from a cloudburst. Below: Sweet Valley firemen, the hand-spritz team and an engine brought out of semi-retirement for the parade.

Also: At Lehman center, some local charm, including the Queen's Court.

## Random Scenes From 20th Annual Lehman Horseshow



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