

Obituaries

DARL MOORE
Darl Moore, 83-year old resident of Jackson Street, Dallas, died Monday in Hampton House Nursing Home, Hanover Township, where he had been a patient three weeks.

Born in Ross Township, Mr. Moore lived in Dallas 43 years. He was a carpenter by trade. Survivors include a son, Glenn, Broadway; daughter, Dorothy M. Lengel, South Carolina; stepchildren, John, Alex and Fred Maculloch, Eva Mock, Elinor Chapman, Mrs. Stephen Mechina, New Jersey; Mrs. William Ransom, Florida.

The funeral service will be held this afternoon at 2 p.m. from the Bronson Funeral Home, Sweet Valley, with the Rev. Russell Steele officiating. Interment was in Bloomingdale Cemetery.

STANLEY A. SHULTZ

Stanley A. Shultz, a native of Larksville, died Nov. 30 at his home at 3, Dallas.

A former employe of the Hudson Coal Company, he retired in 1957. He was a member of Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas.

He is survived by his widow, the former Stephanie Gabriel; children, Julius, Raymond, both of Dallas; Mrs. Joseph Bohunicky, Mrs. Norman Hope, Endicott, N.Y.; six grandchildren; brothers and sisters, Rose Stukowski, Helen and Michael Schultz, Larksville; Frank Shultz, Plymouth.

The funeral was held Friday from the Kopicke Funeral Home, Kingston, with Requiem Mass at 10:30 in Gate of Heaven Church. Interment was in St. John's Cemetery, Dallas.

LAWTON CULVER

Lawton Culver, the road superintendent for Kingston Township, died Dec. 3 in Nesbitt Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient two days. A resident of Carverton Road, Truckville, Mr. Culver was 64.

A native of Laceyville, he was educated in Back Mountain schools and resided in the Back Mountain area for 35 years. He attended Carverton United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his widow, the former Velma Tinklepaugh; children, Lawton S. Culver Jr., Buffalo, N.Y.; Dale P. Culver,

Lock Haven; a sister, Mrs. George Hreha, Wilkes-Barre; four grandchildren.

The funeral was held from the Richard H. Disque Funeral Home, Dallas, Monday morning with the Rev. Donald Schalk, pastor of Carverton United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in Memorial Shrine Cemetery, Carverton.

HERBERT W. COOPER

An apparent heart attack claimed the life of Herbert W. Cooper of 101 James St., Shavertown, last Friday morning.

Born Jan. 19, 1903 in Exeter, Mr. Cooper was a carpenter employed by contractors in Wyoming Valley until his retirement three years ago. He was a member of Carpenters Union, Local 768.

He is survived by a brother, Norman W. Cooper, Truckville.

The funeral was held Monday from the Harold C. Snowdon Funeral Home, Shavertown, with the Rev. O. E. Germond, pastor of Forty Fort United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in West Pittston Cemetery.

LILLIAN MAE DAVIS

The death of Lillian Mae Davis occurred at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital Dec. 3 following an illness of several days' duration. Mrs. Davis, 65, was a resident of RD 2, Dallas.

Born in Plains, Mrs. Davis had resided in Wilkes-Barre until moving to Meeker to reside with her daughter three years ago.

She is survived by two daughters, Ruth Konsavage, with whom she resided; Mrs. James Wivell, Wilkes-Barre; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Albert Thomas, Bath; a brother, Frank Bidwell, Lexington, Mass.

The funeral was held Monday from the Harold C. Snowdon Funeral Home, Wilkes-Barre, with the Rev. Calvin E. Humbert pastor of Messiah Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial was in Maple Grove Cemetery, Pikes Creek.

Doctors Asked to Help In Drug Abuse Program

The Pennsylvania Medical Society Thursday struck a blow at drug abuse by calling on its 12,000 physician members to virtually eliminate prescribing "speed" or "pep pills" and to use extreme caution in any drugs with an abuse danger.

Dr. George P. Rosemond of Philadelphia, medical society president, announced that he has sent letters to local medical society officials who represent more than 90 percent of all medical doctors caring for patients in Pennsylvania.

The letters urge them to have each member participate in a voluntary ban on the use of amphetamines—often called "speed" or "pep pills"—except

for two specific and fairly infrequent conditions.

The two exceptions are narcolepsy, a rare condition in which there is an overpowering urge to sleep, and hyperkinesia, an infrequent childhood disorder involving extreme overactivity.

Greatest use of the amphetamines in recent years has been as an appetite depressant in weight control but the state medical society, by action of its House of Delegates, feels the dangers in such a use outweigh the advantages. The voluntary ban would eliminate the use of amphetamines for controlling weight.

Dr. Rosemond's letter added:

"I also request you to ask your members to look at their prescribing practices to insure that all prescriptions for drugs with an abuse potential are written with caution."

Some persons abuse drugs by using them for purposes other than for which they were prescribed and others have diverted prescribed drugs into drug abuse markets, Dr. Rosemond said. He especially asked physicians to guard against patients getting multiple prescriptions from different doctors.

Dr. Rosemond said much of the drug control effort has been aimed at the illegal drugs such as heroin, LSD and marijuana "but an equally important and perhaps more dangerous group of drugs has received much less attention. These are the legal drugs such as amphetamines."

In addition to the physician campaign to curtail the use of dangerous drugs, Dr. Rosemond has asked for the cooperation of the Pennsylvania Pharmaceutical Association and local pharmacists in evaluating the success of the voluntary effort.

The two groups also will be meeting to determine the feasibility of extending the effort to include the barbiturates and other sedatives with a high abuse potential.

Tax Relief Available To Elderly

Sen. T. Newell Wood announced this week that application forms for senior citizens seeking property tax assistance are being distributed in the six counties of his 20th Senatorial District.

It was estimated that nearly 5,000 forms will be available at municipal buildings, banks newspaper offices, and other public business places for the convenience of the taxpayers.

Senior citizens who are unable to pick up their applications are invited to write Sen. Wood at Box 628, Wilkes-Barre, requesting that their application be mailed.

Sen. Wood explained that the assistance program is available to three groups: Persons 65 years of age or older; widows 50 years of age or older; and disabled persons. According to the new law, Sen. Wood stated that no rebate will be given if the household income is more than \$7,499 per year. Tax rebates have a limit of \$200 per homestead per year.

Claims must be filed with the Property Tax Assistance Bureau after Dec. 31, and not later than April 29, 1972.

Sen. Wood's district includes the counties of Wyoming, Susquehanna, Pike, Wayne and parts of Monroe and Luzerne.

Economic Council Forms Higher Education Group

Representatives of various colleges in Northeastern Pennsylvania and the industrial community met recently in the offices of the Economic Development Council of Northeastern Pennsylvania (EDCNP) to discuss educational needs for Northeastern Pennsylvania. They agreed to form an advisory group to EDCNP to be known as the Regional Advisory Committee for Higher Education in Northeastern Pennsylvania.

This committee will consist of the presidents and heads of the various two- and four-year institutions of higher education serving the seven-county region of Northeastern Pennsylvania and representatives of top management within the industrial community of the region. One of the specific purposes of this advisory group will be to examine the potential for establishing a regional master plan for higher

education to provide guidelines and policies for concerted and cooperative efforts on the part of industry and colleges in the region to meet the changing needs of higher and continuing education in the future.

EDCNP President John B. Hibbard stated, "This advisory group will be an important instrument for looking ahead to the needs and challenges of Northeastern Pennsylvania in the 1970's and 80's. It will provide the liaison required to meet the specific needs of the industrial community of the region in matching employee training with available or prospective college courses."

Howard J. Grossman, EDCNP Director, discussed the possibility of establishing a task force on science and technology to meet what will perhaps be a large federal and state effort in the next several years on transferring and applying high technology to solving social and economic problems.

Aboard Ship

Navy Petty Officer Third Class James F. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Smith, Woodcliff Drive, Dallas, is serving aboard the guided missile destroyer USS John King, which celebrated Thanksgiving Day in port at Athens, Greece. The John King is in the Mediterranean with the U.S. Sixth Fleet.

He is a 1969 graduate of Dallas Senior High School.

Christmas Festivities

The Junior group of the Wyoming Valley Stamp Club, under the advisement of John D. Jones, will hold its Christmas party Dec. 7, at 7 p.m., in the YMCA. Inexpensive gifts with a fun motif will be exchanged during the evening. The first meeting of the 1972 season is scheduled for Jan. 4, at 7 p.m.

Dallas

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wasserott, Douglas and Debra, Orchard View Terrace, have returned from a motor trip through Florida. During their stay in the southern state they visited the new Disney World, Cape Kennedy, and Silver Springs.

Maude Cloak, Upper Demunds Road, Dallas, is a patient in Berwick Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Baker and children, Matthew and Timmy, Claremont, Calif., are guests of Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Maslow, Huntsville Road, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Pregler, Overbrook Avenue, spent the Thanksgiving holiday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Janosky and children Carol and Wayne, at York.

James Regan, Hillcrest Drive, New Goss Manor, Dallas, has been appointed chairman of the membership committee of the Century Club. At a meeting of the club's executive meeting held Dec. 1, Regan reported there are 964 men and women in the club. He pointed out that the club needs only 36 additional members to reach its goal of 1,000 and that memberships are open to men and women making an annual gift of \$100 or more to King's College.

Robert Laux of Dallas is president of the King's College Century Club.

Mrs. Kurt Cleaver, president of the Women's Association of Trinity United Presbyterian Church, expresses appreciation on behalf of the organization to all those persons who donated to the Christmas gift of money that was sent to their adopted Indian boy.

Members of the Women's Association of Trinity United Presbyterian Church are reminded that the regular meeting will be held Dec. 14 at the home of Mrs. Warren Koehl, Elmcrest Drive, Dallas.

Congregation of Trinity United Presbyterian Church welcomed the following new members last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. Alan Adams, Travis Adams, Walter Adams, David Kopetchney, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Meeker, Mr. and Mrs. David A. Monk.

Fred Daley, 52 Ridge St., Dallas, is recuperating from an illness at his home.

Mrs. A. W. Anderson Sr., RD 4, Dallas, is a medical patient in Mercy Hospital, Wilkes-Barre.

Fred Weiss, Dallas, was elected vice president of the Irem Temple Police Unit at the recent annual meeting. George Eckrote, Kingston, was re-elected secretary for his 19th consecutive year. The members of the Temple Police Unit will participate in patrol and security duty in conjunction with the ceremonial to be held Dec. 11.

Mrs. Gordon Dietterick Jr., 226 Machel Ave., Dallas, is a medical patient at Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Jessie Austin Brickel Memorial Class of Dallas United Methodist Church will hold a Christmas party at the

Franklin Tea Room, Dec. 10, at 6:30 p.m. Mrs. Richard Owens is in charge of reservations.

Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Kresge, Pinecrest Avenue, Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar S. Parker Jr., 365 River St., Forty Fort, entertained at a cocktail party last Saturday night in honor of Atty. and Mrs. James Anzalone, Hayfield Farm, Lehman. Mrs. Anzalone is the former Jessie Guthrie Conyngham of Chase.

Mrs. Harriet Thompson, Shrine Acres, recently entertained retired employees of Natona Mills at an annual Christmas party at her home. The affair hosted by Mrs. Thompson gives the members an opportunity to keep in touch with former associates.

Attending the party were Florence Davenport, Hazle Bogart, Gertrude Rood,

Margaret Grey, Helen Grey, Rae Johnson, Loreen Crews, Virgie Elston, Marian Perrin, Elsie Franklin, Virgie Sorber, Elizabeth Hess, Edith Weaver Costanzo, Guoda Taylor, Minnie Hazeltine, Florence Condon, Susan Williams, Margaret Cundiff, Gertrude Hoffman, Martha Williams, Emma Carlson, Gertrude Turner, Ruth Anstett, Della Bellas, Frieda Goss, Dorothy Lord, Elsie Boehme, Ruth King, Mr. and Mrs. James Gallagher, and the hosts.

Christmas gifts were exchanged.

Bill Wasser, Willow Grove, was a house guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wasser, at Lake Catalpa last week. While visiting, Bill and his father went deer hunting.

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