

# HL garbage issue undecided

Harveys Lake Borough Council last week left pending a decision on whether the borough would collect its own garbage or contract for collection. The decision was tabled due to the absence of Fred Merrill, council chairman and council member Bernice Stein.

Council members Jack MacManus and Robert Winterstein presented council with a feasibility study made on the situation. The vote on the matter was tabled until the regular June meeting.

The meeting was called to allow the opening and acceptance of a bid for pipe for the borough's road committee. Awarded the bid was Mancrete Company. The bidding was reopened on the pipe following the regular May

meeting of council. Of the bids opened at the May meeting only one, from the highest bidder, came accompanied with all advertised requirements.

Council Solicitor John Thomas announced that a hearing is scheduled for June 23 in the Luzerne County Court House for the public to have the opportunity to come forward on the borough's proposal to acquire a recreation area. The hearing will allow for claims on the property and public opinion on the matter.

In three votes taken at the special meeting, decisions were made to purchase a grader, pay the building inspector and hire a sewage inspection officer. The used grader was purchased from William Hicks. Council will pay

Hicks \$900 for the used grader.

William Yuscellis, building inspector, was granted a regular fee of \$50 per month, retroactive from Jan. 1; and a commission of 25 per cent on each permit given, retroactive to April 3.

The council accepted as their sewage inspection officer LeRoy Roberts from Dallas. Roberts suggested that council charge \$50 for each permit - \$25 for the backhoe test, \$20 for the percolator test and \$5 for the permit. Roberts suggested prices came far below those of the three other officers applying for the position.

Solicitor Thomas announced that due to the confusion on the council's ordinances for docks, building and zoning, he has

invited a municipal consultant to the borough to help with the amending of the ordinances. The consultant from the state's Bureau of Local Government will be in the borough May 27 to review the three ordinances and make recommendations.

In other council discussion, a decision on the borough's planner was tabled. The planner, Marvin Brotter, of Planners Associates of Scranton, was hired to assist the borough in its zoning. His fee was set at \$100 per month plus travel and expenses. Council received two bills from Brotter in the past few weeks totaling \$975, for what was stated at the meeting as, about seven hours of work.

Andrew Morgus, council member, made a motion to stop Brotter from further work in the borough. The motion was rescinded, however, when it was revealed that the planner has a one year renewable contract good until September.



CHARITY BALL--P.J. Pillets, general chairman; Robert Maturi, last year's committee head and George McCutcheon, co-chairman; discuss plans for the upcoming second annual Back Mountain Charity Ball, sponsored by the Dallas Kiwanis Club to be held June 28 at the Irem Temple Club Pavilion.

## Kiwanis sponsor ball

Plans are well underway for the second annual Back Mountain charity ball sponsored by Dallas Kiwanis Club. The ball will be held June 28 at the Irem Temple Club Pavilion.

Robert Maturi and George McCutcheon comprise the invitation committee.

Other committee members are: Thomas Heyhart and Walter Roberts, decorations and Bernard Banks and Adolph Grabensteeler, refreshments.

The cocktail hour will be from 8 to 9 p.m. Dancing begins at 9 p.m. and ends at 1 a.m. Music will be furnished by Hal Cragles "Kings Lab Band."

The Women of Kiwanis will assist their husbands in the ball preparation.

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## Shavertown "leaks" monitored

Water leaks in the Davis Street and Pioneer Avenue section of Shavertown are being monitored by the Shavertown Water Company, according to Venable. Venable said it is his belief the leaks have been repaired and the monitoring process is just a precautionary measure.

As a precautionary measure, water company trucks were hauling water to fill the tanks in that area Monday. Venable said this was done to assure the residents of a water supply. He added that, as of Monday, it was his belief that all residents of the area had their water restored.

Venable said the company is in the process of installing new lines and repairing some in existence. He said the repair and new installation is the result of leaks in the Davis Street-Pioneer Avenue area along with other leaks that have been occurring, "off and on for quite some time now."

Work is presently underway to install 600 feet of new pipe at Route 309 and

Old Main Street. About 1000 feet will also go in Trucksville, probably near Center Street, to relieve pressure problems, according to the water company manager. The leaks, however, have delayed the project.

Venable said he feels the new installations will solve the problems the company and customers are presently experiencing.

## Yaglenski retires after 38 years

### Correction

The Post incorrectly identified Al Besciglia, Orange, as the source of criticism of Emmanuel school bus operations in its coverage of a recent Franklin Township supervisors meeting.

The comment was correct but should have been attributed to Frank Zarnock. Besciglia was the originator of a comment on police patrols in the township.

The Post regrets the mix-up in identification at the meeting.

Pennsylvania State Police Major John F. Yaglenski, commander of State Police Area II, headquartered in Wyoming, will retire May 22 after nearly 38 years service.

Major Yaglenski, 60, a native of Glen Lyon, enlisted in the Pennsylvania State Police September 1, 1937. He served at several stations in Northeastern Pennsylvania including Towanda, Tunkhannock, Wyoming, Harvey's Lake, and Athens.

The major was reassigned to his present position, commander of State Police Area II in

Wyoming January 10, 1974. Area II is made up of Troop "N" Hazelton, Troop "P", Wyoming and Troop "R", Dunmore.

Major Yaglenski is married to the former Mary Ann Fultz of Spring Grove, Pa. They have one son and live in Shickshinny. A replacement for Major Yaglenski has not yet been named.

Larry Brown, Trucksville, has been elected a representative to the Student Government at Lafayette College in Easton, Pa. Brown is in the class of '78.

Gary Wayne Alter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Alters, Dallas, was among 673 Millersville State spring commencement. He received his degree in elementary education.

## Miller indicted for guard beating

Larry Miller, an inmate at the State Correctional Institution at Chase, has been indicted by the May grand jury on six counts. The indictments stem from Miller's alleged escape from the institution on March 9.

# Kingston Township to request school transfer

Kingston Township supervisors passed a resolution at last week's meeting authorizing Michael Stanley, secretary, to request Dallas School District to transfer ownership or lease the Shavertown school property to the township. The supervisors will ask the school directors for "nominal consideration" in the purchase of the school.

The supervisors were asked what was being planned for recreation. They explained that the East Center Street project is in the second stage of planning and will have a baseball field, tennis court, picnic tables, and parking areas on the four and one-half acres.

The supervisors also explained that the Shavertown school, if purchased or leased, would be used for recreation.

The East Center Street site will cost \$45,000 with the township to pay half the cost. Thomas Garrity will meet with the supervisors to discuss two parcels of land owned by him which he will allow the township to use for recreation. One parcel of land parallel to Lehigh Street, Shavertown and Trucksville, which can be used as a walking and bicycle path. It extends to the Luzerne Borough line.

Minibikes or motorcycles will not be allowed on the stretch.

Following a discussion of new sewer regulations from EDER, R. Spencer Martin, chairman of Dallas Area Municipal Authority, was appointed as the temporary sewage enforcement officer for the township contingent on reviewing a fee schedule from him.

Secretary Stanley reported that he sent out 34 letters to residents who have not yet hooked to DAMA lines that they must do so by May 30. If not their accounts will be turned over to the magistrate for possible fines. To date, only five people have hooked up to the lines because of the letters.

Harry Owens, recreation commission, stated that more support was needed for the bicentennial. He invited all groups and organizations to send representatives to the commission's meetings so there would be sufficient support.

Final plans are being made for the soap box derby to be held in July. Supervisors will meet with the recreation commission to discuss the possibility of forming a basketball league.

There were 27 applicants

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During the escape, Miller is alleged to have beaten a guard, Frank Sembrock and an inmate, Jerome Jackson with a baseball bat.

It is also charged that Miller stole a truck from the prison and a car owned by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moran, Trucksville.

The indictments are two counts of assault by a prisoner, one count of aggravated assault, two counts of theft by unlawful taking and one count of escape.

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