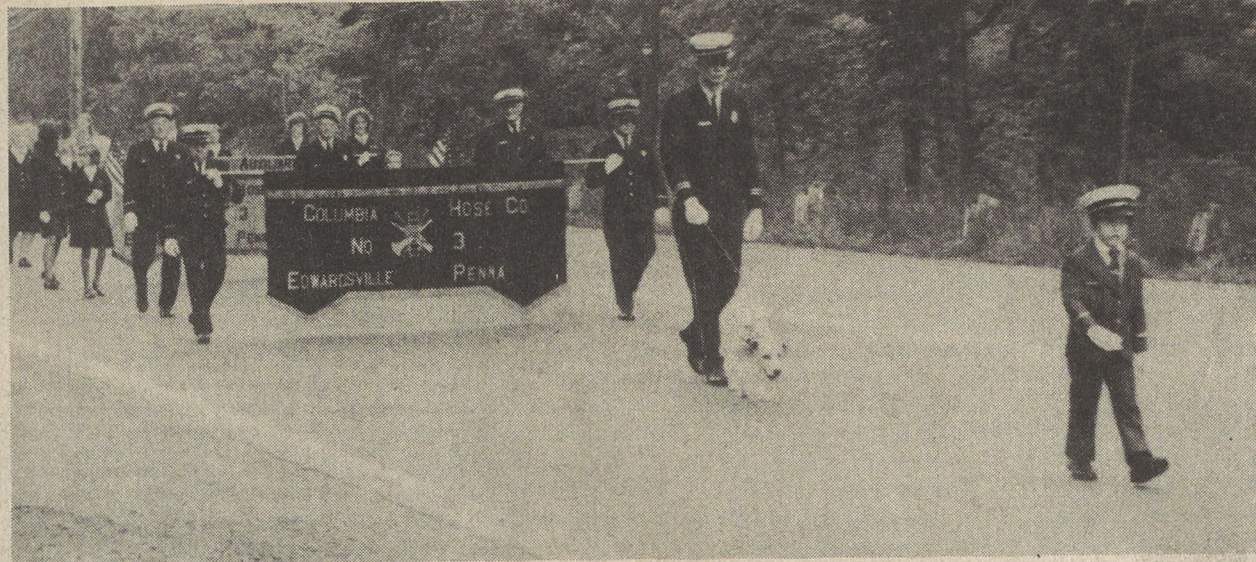


Dallas hosts Country Carnival parade



INVASION OF THE BACK MOUNTAIN—Just the Arab Patrol of the Shrine who marched in the Dallas Fire and Ambulance parade last weekend at the start of the Country Carnival. (Photo by Duncan Whitehead)

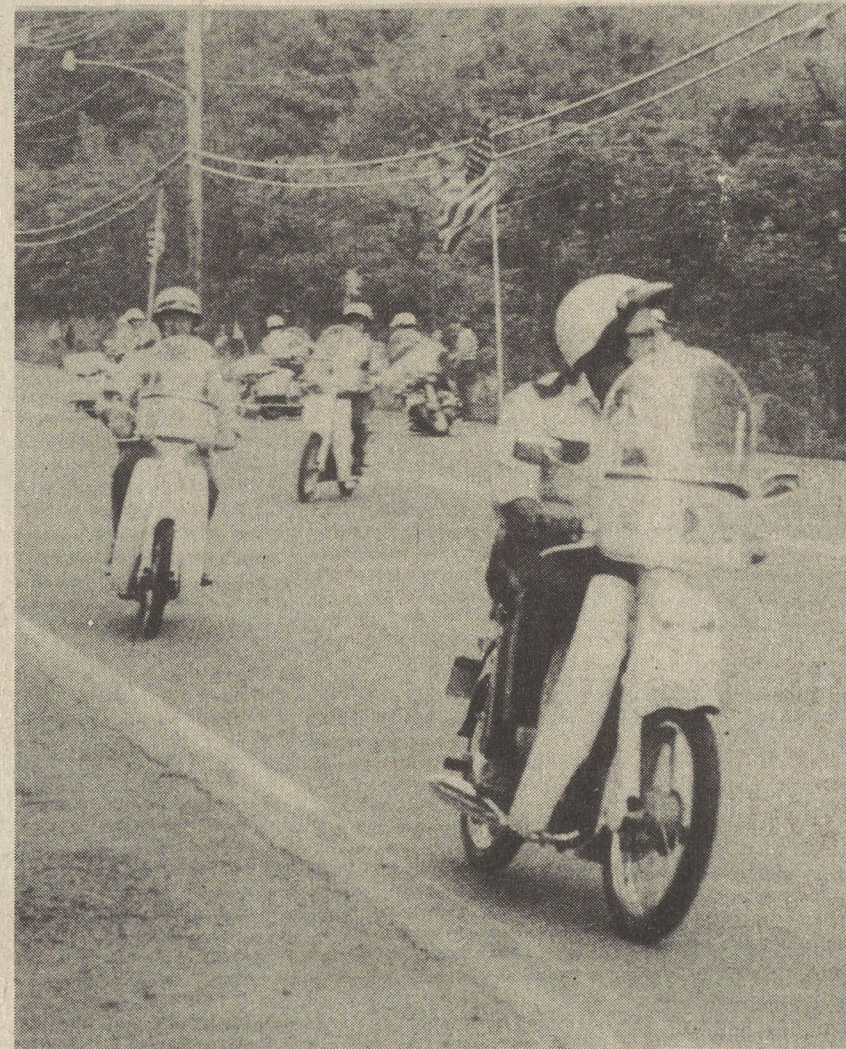


PARTICIPATION—Participation was the name of the game for the Columbia Hose Co. of Edwardsville, who had men, women, children, and their dog mascot marching in their unit in the Dallas Fire and Ambulance parade. (Photo by Duncan Whitehead)



SHRINE UNIT—Several Shrine units marched in the Dallas Fire and Ambulance Country Carnival parade last weekend such as the group above. (Photo by Duncan Whitehead)

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PAGANS—No such group as the noted Pagans, merely the cyclists in the Dallas Fire and Ambulance parade last weekend. (Photo by Duncan Whitehead)

Irish group, ethnic dancers at festival

Ethnic headliners will appear as guests each day of the Luzerne County Folk Festival which will take place Sept. 14 to 17 at the 109 F.A. Armory, Kingston. A grant from the Pa. Council on the Arts has assisted in booking the "name" entertainment

that includes DeDanann, one of Ireland's top folk groups, which will open the Festival on Thursday Sept. 14. On successive days will appear The Tatra Dancers, featuring Slavic dances. I'Ballerini, authentic Italian dancers doing authentic interpretations of the regional dances of Italy, and Voloshky Dance Ensemble, performing the spectacular dances of the Ukraine.

The Folk Festival, northeastern Pa.'s only full-scale multi-ethnic event, is a celebration of the region's ethnic diversity and presents a gathering of the customs, culture, heritage, food music and dance

of 28 nationalities and ethnic groups. Three major interest areas will be created within the festival by a division of the armory floor into display, demon-

stration, ethnic food and entertainment areas. Additional information may be obtained from the Luzerne County Tourist Promotion Agency, 301 Market St., Kingston, Pa. Phone 288-6784.

Casselberry receives scholarship

David W. Casselberry of Dallas, has been awarded a Duval Corporation scholarship in the amount of \$1900 for the academic year 1978-79.

This grant is presented only to outstanding students in the field of minerals engineering. David expects to complete the requirements for his Bachelor of Science degree in Mining Engineering at the Colorado School of Mines in May, 1979.

At CSM Casselberry is a member of the student chapter of the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical and Petroleum Engineers, class officer, and a member of Engineers Day Committee.

He attended Dallas

Pumpkin thief

A pumpkin thief is at work. Dallas Township Police report that more than 100 pumpkins have been stolen over the past two weeks from his pumpkin field along Wyoming Rd.

Senior High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Casselberry, 16 Hilldonia Avenue, Dallas.

Book sales continue

By Nancy S. Kozemchak

The library will be continuing the Tuesday book sale on the second floor of the annex from 10 a.m. to noon and from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the afternoon. In addition, we will be having a book sale on Thursday night, Sept. 21st from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and also on Saturday, Sept. 23rd from 10 a.m. to noon and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

The Summer Reading Program held in the children's annex of the library came to a close on Aug. 25th with an awards party. Approximately 92 children received a certificate for their reading achievement. Each child sent a helium-filled balloon into the air with their name and address on it, hoping someone will find it when it comes down and write to them.

Harry Kemelman's latest Rabbi novel has just arrived at the library. "Thursday The Rabbi Walked Out" rounds out the week, six best sellers later; once again starring the w y, lovable character of Rabbi Small, who employs Jewish wit and wisdom to solve the violent crime of murder.

Compassionate and steadfast in his belief and views of Judaism, Rabbi Small does not shun the controversial issues of the day. As is often the case, Rabbi Small's response may prove as controversial as the issue itself. Another new novel at the library is "Dear Judgment" by John Crosby. Two super-secret U.S. fighter jets, equipped with the latest nuclear warheads, have disappeared from an Air Force dock in New Orleans. The audacious heist could only have been masterminded by

the head of the Mafia. With ruthless glee, this man plays three would-be purchasers against each other. This novel combines a fast pace with thoughtful characterization. The display in the main building of the library is now showing a variety of natural products and herbs. Today, natural products are widely sought and you can find almost any item from fruit juice to dog food, toothpaste to shampoo, being produced naturally.

Herbs are an interesting field of study for something just a little bit different. They can be used in cooking, gardening, dyeing, tea making and medicines. The display includes sponges and cookbooks for natural cooking. This display comes to us from "Fundito", a holistic, health, educational and nutrition center operated on Main Street in Dallas by Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Reisinger.

You can learn anything you really want to learn. You'll find all the information you need in books at your library. Whether you're seeking a rounded education for life or specific knowledge on a single subject, you'll find that you can teach yourself if you really want to learn. Stop at the Back Mountain Memorial Library today and get started!

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