



BLOOD DRIVE—Members of the Back Mountain's Red Cross Blood Drive committee met recently to discuss plans for the March 18 blood drive at Lake-Lehman High School primarily for the purpose of raising blood to meet the needs of Lehman's Bill Simms, whose illness requires enormous quantities of blood plasma. Front row, left to

right, are Mrs. Charles Nuss, Mrs. David Eddy, Mrs. Jane Goodwin, Mrs. Linda Major, Mrs. Lillie Lamoreaux; back row, Mrs. Joseph Flynn, Mrs. Peg Spencer, Rev. Robert W. Harris, Mrs. Robert Cartier and June Shellhamer, Red Cross. (Photo by Mark Moran)

Blood Drive to assist Bill Simms

Bill Simms, a resident of Lehman, was the subject of discussion at the recent meeting of the Back Mountain Blood Drive Committee. Ms. June Shellhammer from the American Red Cross told the committee members about Simm's current blood needs.

Simms has a rare blood disease and since his admission to Geisinger Medical Center on Dec. 22, 1979, he has received 460 units of fresh frozen plasma. This has been supplied by the American Red Cross Blood Services. Fresh frozen plasma is a fraction of the whole blood collected at blood drives. The committee said it

felt that this blood drive is important because of the special needs of this Back Mountain resident. Because of this, the previously announced time of the drive has been changed to 12:45 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. on March 18 to allow more of Simm's friends and co-workers to get to Lake Lehman

Senior High School to donate their blood.

Anyone age 17 to 66, in good health, may donate blood. Blood can be safely given every 56 days or eight weeks, not more frequently. Donors under 18 must have parental permission on a special American Red Cross form.

Back Mt. Jaycees invite member prospects

The Back Mountain Jaycees will meet for their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 4, at Irem Temple Country Club at 7:30 p.m. with a special invitation to men of the community to attend during the club's annual membership drive.

The Back Mountain Jaycees are an organization made up of men from the community, age 18 to 35. The men helped build a park, sit on a drug and alcohol council, run children's films, Toys for Tots, SOBER campaign, and many other community projects.

In seeking to make the Back Mountain a better place to live and assist in any worthwhile project, the demand for manpower must be met with more members. A Jaycee spokesman said the club can offer a chance to help the community and members.

Meetings are held on a monthly basis and there are board meetings monthly for all directors and officers. Dues are \$25 annually, which is a small fee for the benefits to the individual. Interested men, age 18 to 35, are

invited to come to the meeting at Irem Temple, March 4 at 7:30 p.m. Other Jaycee activities include college book scholarships, bicentennial run, paper drives, clean-up programs, childrens programs, glass drives, Folk Arts Festival, environmental clean-up of Toby's Creek, road rally, crime prevention program, junk car recycling, health fair,

People in the News

UM Women install 1980 officers

Shavertown United Methodist Women's 1980 Officers were installed at a recent church worship service by the Rev. Margaret Reid. Women from the Unit participated in the worship service in observance of United Methodist Women's Sunday. Newly installed officers are: president, Mrs. Gordon Earles; vice president, Mrs. John Stahl; secretary, Mrs. William Parrish; and treasurer, Mrs. Andrew Kachmar.

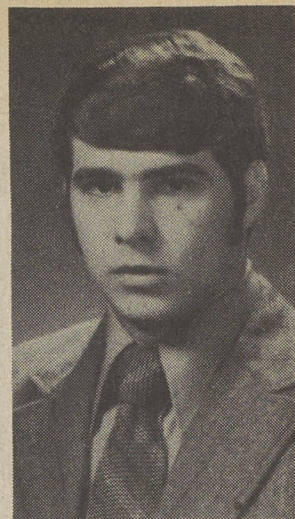
Mission coordinators installed were: Christian personhood, Mrs. John Bunney; supportive community, Mrs. Michael Olenick and Mrs. Donald Linker; Christian social involvement, Mrs. Jack Kloeber; Christian global concerns, Mrs. Thomas Jenkins; membership chairwoman, Mrs. Donald

Duermit; program resources, Mrs. George Jacobs; publicity and promotion, Mrs. Ross Williams; ways and means chairwoman, Mrs. Robert Shotwell; key woman to Church Women United, Mrs. Everell Chadwick; pianists, Mrs. Raymond Parsons and Mrs. Robert Deebble; nomination committee chairwoman, Mrs. Frank Paczewski.

Four unit meetings are planned this year with

monthly Circle meetings. The Spring District Meeting will be held at the Shavertown Church on March 15, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Some of the projects planned for 1980 will be a salad luncheon and fashion show to be held on Tuesday, April 15, at 12:30 p.m. The annual roast beef dinner on Wednesday, October 8, and a Holiday Bazaar scheduled for Nov. 7 and Nov. 8.



Ron Krakosky

Krakosky appointed to sales staff

Ron Krakosky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krakosky of 51 Maltby Ave., Swyersville, was recently appointed to the sales staff of Community Buick on Market St., Kingston. Ron joins his dad Frank who is the manager of the sales department.

Ron Krakosky is a graduate of Bishop O'Reilly High School where he starred in baseball and was a top quarterback in football. In the following summer after graduation, Krakosky quarterbacked the West to a big victory in Unico All Star game against the East. The West's first win in several years.

After his high school days, he attended Kings College where he again starred in baseball, this time under Coach John Dorish. In football he quarterbacked Coach Eddie Brominski's Kings College Club Football team to the national title in 1971.

Krakosky and his wife, the former Ruth Richards, and their daughter Jennifer live on James St. in Shavertown.

Postupak visits class on framing

Jerry Postupack, proprietor of Cameo, the House of Living Ideas in West Pittston was awarded a certificate of excellence for completion of a week's training at Herb's International Training Center in Jackson, Miss.

The class specialized in advanced and innovative approaches to framing with emphasis on creative and decorative mat cutting.

Democrats meet Feb. 28 at Fernbrook

The Back Mountain Democratic Organization will hold a meeting Feb. 28, Thursday, 8 p.m., Fernbrook Inn.

All members are urged to attend this important meeting. The public is welcome.

Anyone interested in joining the club, call 696-2792. Dick Fuller, chairman will preside.

Brian J. Thomas completes course

Airman Brian J. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Thomas of 147 Shadetree Road, Shavertown, Pa., has graduated from the U.S. Air Force security police specialist course at Lackland Air Force Base, here.

Graduates of the course

each credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Thomas studied security and law enforcement. He is being assigned to Malmstrom Air Force Base, Mont., for duty.

Bradbury promoted

Navy Lt. William R. Bradbury, son of William J. and Martha R. Bradbury of 112 Davis St., Trucksville, Pa., has been promoted to his present rank while serving with Fighter Squadron 121, Miramar Naval Air

Station, San Diego.

A 1971 graduate of Dallas Senior High School, Dallas, Pa., and a 1975 graduate of Wilkes College, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., with a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering, he joined the Navy in October 1975.

Back Country Briefs

by Michael Polk, 333-4387

Men of East Dallas United Methodist Church are completing plans for their benefit pancake and sausage dinner to be held Saturday at the church social rooms. Serving will begin at 4 and tickets can be secured at the door.

Franklin Township supervisors will hold their March meeting Monday evening at 8 in the basement of the Orange United Methodist Church. Board Chairman William Meade will preside.

Communion will be administered at the morning worship services Sunday in the three United Methodist Churches that comprise the Centermoreland UM Charge at East Dallas at 9; at Dymond Hollow at 10, and at Centermoreland at 11:15. Rev. Charles Munoz, pastor, has announced.

Rev. Russell Lowery of Pittston will be the guest speaker at the Union Lenten service of the Centermoreland UM Charge this evening at 7:30 at Centermoreland UM Church.

Young Men's Class of Mount Zion United Methodist Church is completing plans for a benefit pancake supper to be held Saturday evening, March 8, starting at 5 at the church. Tickets are available from any member of the class or can be purchased at the door.

Choir of Carverton UM Church will rehearse this evening at 6:45 at the church.

Sympathy is extended the family of the late Willard Smith. Flowers on the altar for Sunday morning's worship service in Mount Zion UM Church were placed

there in his memory by the Men's Bible Class of the church.

Supervisors of Northmoreland Township will meet Monday evening at 7 at the home of the board's secretary, Mrs. Bea Beatty, Route 292, Centermoreland. Board Chairman Jack Husband will preside.

Mrs. Roy Thomas, Mount Zion, entertained members of the King's Crusader Class of Mount Zion UM Church last evening.

Registrations for Little Leaguers will take place Saturday afternoon. Little Leaguers of Northmoreland Township can sign up at Ben's Market in Centermoreland. For Little Leaguers of Franklin Township, registrations will take place Saturday afternoon. Little Leaguers of Franklin Township, registrations will take place Saturday afternoon at the Hislop residence in Orange.

Choir of St. Frances X. Cabrini R.C. Church will rehearse Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Stanley Krzanowski, Jr., assistant manager of the McCrory Store in Orange, N.J., will arrive Saturday to spend a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Krzanowski, Sr., Carverton.

Several members of Mountain Grange 567 of Carverton will attend the Pomona Grange session at Jackson Township Saturday evening.

Howard Earl of Mount Zion is a patient at the Veterans Hospital in Wilkes-Barre. He has been a patient at the VA Hospital since December 17, and has undergone knee surgery.

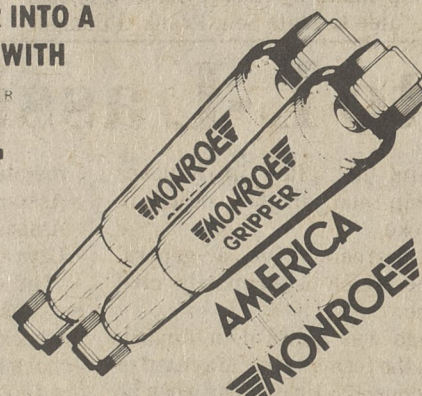
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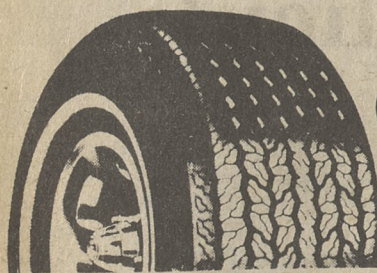
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