



THE CHICAGO KNOCKERS will appear Wednesday evening, September 8, at the Luzerne County Fall Fair. They will front line the entertainment on opening night.

The girls will first present a fashion show before going into the arena.

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**Fall Fair promises exciting entertainment**

From the city that gave you Al Capone comes the most spectacular entertainment to come along since the Harlem Globetrotters. Imagine beautiful showgirls who will present a modeling display and then wrestle in the mud. This is what you'll see at The Luzerne County Fair, Wednesday night, Sept. 8.

modeling display, you may find it difficult to believe that these girls could be serious about wrestling, but they are. The girls are true athletes and within a few seconds, they will be covered with mud.

"We plan to sell advance tickets for Wednesday night's performance," said Ray

Hillman, chairman of entertainment for the fair. "This is certain to be a sellout event and people should plan to get their tickets prior to Wednesday's performance, to avoid waiting in line for them."

What promises to be a wild evening of family fun will begin earlier in the evening with the world

famous Scott Martin's Hot Air Balloon Ride. If you've ever wondered what it's like to soar through the air, you'll get your chance at the fair. Take a ride in the balloon and feel the freedom of the birds!

Come out to the fair Wednesday night. There are thrills for every member of the family.



ART CONTEST WINNERS—Winners in the Back Mountain Art Contest, sponsored by Sue Hand of Dallas, are, left to right, Michelle Palls, Eric Paczewski, Libby

Davies, Todd Paczewski, Nikki Reisinger and Hugh Mundy. (Rod Kaye Photo)

**Art Show winner's announced**

Many proud parents and friends viewed the works of some of the Back Mountain's best young artists recently when over 100 drawings, paintings and clay sculptures by area elementary and intermediate students were displayed at Sue Hand's Imagery during the Summer's End Art Show and Contest.

sored by Joe and Sue Hand of Dallas, who also sponsor the Rossetti Memorial Art Awards for

area students in grades 7-12, held each year in March.

Contest judges were Helen Schmidt, artist from Mountaintop; Bina Holdredge, teacher from Dallas; and Laura Adams, College Misericordia art student. Judging was extremely difficult in many categories, as there was so much quality work submitted.

The contest was open to any elementary or intermediate student who had completed grades 1-6 and who lived in the Back Mountain. It was spon-

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**Deaths**

**Ethel H. Keeper**

Mrs. Ethel H. Keeper, formerly of 121 N. Main St., Shavertown, died Thursday, Aug. 26, at Leader West Nursing Center, Kingston.

Surviving are sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Bertram, Chase; several nieces and nephews.

**Lenna M. Varner**

Lenna M. Varner, RD 2, Meeker section of Dallas, died Sunday Aug. 22, at home.

Surviving are son, Bruce A., Meeker; daughter, Mrs. Pauline Slocum, with whom she resided; seven grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; and nine great-great-grandchild-

Funeral services were held Saturday from the Richard H. Disque Funeral Home, 672 Memorial Highway, Dallas, The Rev. Lynn A. Rothrock, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church officiated. Interment was in Cedar Crest Cemetery, Trucksville.

**Burton W. King**

Burton W. King, 195 Lakeside Dr., Harveys Lake, died Thursday, Aug. 26, at his home.

He is survived by his wife, the former Bethia Allen.

Funeral services were held Monday, from the Swanson Funeral Home, corner of Routes 29 and

Funeral services were Wednesday, from the Swanson Funeral Home, corner of Routes 29 and 118, Pikes Creek, with Rev. Jeffrey L. Rarich, pastor of the Maple Grove United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in the Maple Grove Cemetery, Pikes Creek.

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118, with Rev. Cliff Jones, pastor of the Huntsville Christian Church, and Rev. Edmund Johns, pastor of the Wyoming Avenue Christian Church, Forty Fort, officiating. Interment was in the Bloomingdale Cemetery, Ross Township.

**Gertrude V. Rood**

Mrs. Gertrude V. Rood, 49 Stang St., Shavertown, died Monday, Aug. 23, at her home following a prolonged illness.

Surviving are daughters, Mrs. Naomi R. Holdredge, Shavertown; Mrs. Cora Porter with whom she resided; brother, Arthur S. Bubble, Daytona Beach, Fla.; sister, Mrs. Alice Millen, Wilkes-Barre; three grandchildren; three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, from the Richard H. Disque Funeral Home, 672 Memorial Highway, Dallas, with the retired Rev. E. Lee Brehm, officiating. Interment was

in the Bloomingdale Cemetery, Bloomingdale.

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