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Halloween Parade set for Sunday

The 25th Annual Halloween Parade, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Dallas will be held Sunday, Oct. 28, at 1:30 p.m.

Participants of the parade should assemble at 1 p.m. at the Dallas Township Elementary School on the corner of Church Street and Route 309. Judging will take place between 1 and 1:30 p.m. with the parade scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m.

The parade will begin at the Dallas Township Elementary School, proceed down Church Street, turning right onto East Center Hill Road. The parade route will then take a left on to Lake Street, across from the Rea & Derick Parking lot, cross Church Street through the Acme parking lot and end at the Eastern Star parking

Five prizes will be given in each of the following categories: Prettiest, Funniest, Most Original and Best Group.

Fire trucks from Back Mountain communities will also participate in this year's parade. Judging will be done by members of the Dallas Kiwanis Auxiliary.

Bernard Banks is chairman of this year's parade and is being assisted by Martin Moore as co-chairman. Committee members include Walter Kozemchak, George Maculloch and Joseph Grimes.

Make this Halloween a safe one

It's not too early to lay plans for making Halloween a safe, but exciting evening, according to Pat Higgins, Safety Director, Valley Automobile Club, AAA.

Halloween is a night for fun. It has a special appeal for children who look forward to making the rounds of homes in their neighborhoods, as well as carving pumpkin faces with a candle inside for window display.

Older youngsters may be planning parties at school or church. Some adult groups are planning parties too — at a lodge, dinner club or social center.

As parents, we must be especially concerned in preparing for Halloween. We don't want our kids to be disappointed, and we don't want them to get hurt.

Boys and girls like to dress up in costumes for an occasion like Halloween. Some will be in white garb, looking like angels or ghosts. White will stand out, making it easier for drivers to see children.

Others will want to dress up like a visitor from another planet. Some will prefer dark costumes imagining themselves to be Zorro or the Weevil. Many kids like to don masks or wear crazy-looking hats. If dark clothing is used for a costume, a good safety feature to add is reflectorized tape on the front, back and sides. Such tape might also be added to hats.

If a child wants a mask to hide his identity, or portray a monster image, the slits for his eyes to see through should be large enough to permit good vision.

Children should roam about in small groups, so they can share their excitement and be more readily visible to drivers when crossing streets.

The Valley Automobile Club reminds parents to repeat basic pedestrian safety rules. Cross only at corners, using crosswalks, at traffic signals and very importantly, don't run between parked cars or into traffic. Household cars can also help by providing adequate lighting on porches and sidewalks, where possible.

Here are a few more safety tips for youngsters from your local AAA. Have a parent, older brother or sister go trick-or-treating with you; if someone older can't go, trick-or-treat with a group; plan your route ahead of time and tell your family on which streets you will be trick-or-treating; wait until you get home to sort, check and eat your treats.

Help your youngsters and the neighbor kids to enjoy the last night of October without anyone being harmed. Let's have a safe Halloween.

Name corrected

In the October 17 issue of The Dallas Post, it was incorrectly reported that the Calgary Baptist Church had purchased the Back Mountain Library. The actual name of the church is the Calgary Baptist Church.

LAKE-LEHMAN HOMECOMING COURT



Dallas Post/Ed Campbell

Homecoming hopefuls

One of these lucky young ladies will be named 1984 Lake-Lehman Homecoming Queen during pre-game ceremonies of the Lake-Lehman/Pittston Area football game this Saturday afternoon. Chosen by members of the senior class, these six senior girls will present the school at Homecoming with one of them being selected by the entire student body as 1984 Homecoming Queen. Shown here in front of a partially snow-covered mountain, which is actually a mural in the faculty lounge at Lake-Lehman High School are, from left, seated, Mandy Wood and Jodi Casterline. Standing, Deanne Williamson, Donna DeGennaro, Monica Fletcher and Cheryl Campbell.

Queen to be chosen

Lehman Homecoming is Saturday

Lake-Lehman High School is celebrating Homecoming Week this week as six young ladies from the senior class have been chosen to represent their classmates as members of the 1984 Homecoming Court. Having been voted by the senior class, these six girls will be featured during pre-game ceremonies of the Lake-Lehman/Pittston Area football game this Saturday afternoon where one of the girls will be crowned 1984 Homecoming Queen. The entire student body will vote tomorrow for the senior girl they would most like to see represent the school district.

Members of this year's Homecoming Court include: Donna DeGennaro, who is the daughter of Patrick and Lois DeGennaro, of Shavertown. Donna has played field hockey for four years and served as co-captain of the team this year. She has been a member of the tennis team for two years, a football manager for two years and a member of the yearbook staff for one year.

Cheryl Campbell is the daughter of Edward and Florence Campbell of Lehman. Cheryl has been a member of the yearbook staff at Lake-Lehman for one year.

Deanne Williamson is the daughter of Carl and Marie Williamson of Hunlock Creek. She has been a member of the Lady Knights field hockey team for four years and serves as co-captain this year. She has also been a majorette for six years.

Mandy Wood, daughter of T.N. Wood, Jr., of Harveys Lake, has also been a member of the Lake-Lehman majorette squad for six years. Mandy has also been a basketball statistician for two years and was a member of the golf team for one year.

Jodi Casterline is the daughter of Mabel and Bill Casterline of Harveys Lake. She has been a majorette for six years, a basketball statistician for two years and a field hockey manager for two years. Jodi was also recently named to "Who's Who Among American High School Students."

Monica Fletcher is the daughter of Edward and Vivian Parsons of Lehman. Having recently moved to the Lake-Lehman School District from Georgia, Monica was recently named to "Who's Who Among American High School Students." Each of the six girls will be escorted during the Homecoming ceremonies by the senior boy of their choice.

Other Homecoming activities at the Lake-Lehman High School included a Lehman T-Shirt Day on Monday where all students were allowed to wear Lake-Lehman t-shirts; a Test Tube Trickle Contest on Tuesday where the winner receive a ticket to Saturday's football game. This contest required one person to lie on the floor, holding a test tube in their mouth while their partner stood above them and attempted to pour the contents of a pitcher of water into the tube.

Today at Lehman is "Lehman Pride" dress-up day and tomorrow will feature the voting for Home-

coming Queen. A pep rally will be held Friday at 2:15 p.m. while the Lake-Lehman Band will sponsor a Homecoming-Halloween Dance at 7:30 p.m. Friday. Admission is \$1.00 for those in costume and \$2.00 for those not in costume. Students will be able to pick up their yearbooks at this dance. A haunted hall will also be featured.

The Homecoming ceremonies will take place prior to Saturday's football game with an all-you-can-eat bar-b-que being held following the game at 4:30 p.m. The bar-b-que is sponsored by the Lake-Lehman Band.



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Beautiful, isn't it?

Autumn is such a pretty time of year, it seems almost sad to see the leaves disappear and the colder weather arrive. Dallas Post photographer Ed Campbell captured the above scene near the Huntsville Dam one day last week. Such scenery certainly makes one appreciate Mother Nature and the absolute beauty of the Fall season.

Post 672

American Legion notes 50 years

By CHARLOT M. DENMON
Staff Correspondent

Daddow-Isaacs American Legion Post 672 held installation of officers Saturday evening at the Legion Home, Memorial Highway, Dallas, marking the beginning of the local Legion's 50th Anniversary, which was chartered April 29, 1935, at a meeting of the county committee.

The organization of the Daddow-Isaacs American Legion Post began April 10, 1935, when a group of World War I veterans met in the borough building in Dallas and made specific plans for the new Post.

A general meeting for the nomination, election and installation of officers was scheduled for April 19, 1935 at the borough building. At that meeting, Arthur Brown of Dallas was named commander of the new Post. Other officers were Homer C. Teall, senior vice commander; Paul Shaver, junior vice commander; Marion Garinger, adjutant; Arthur Dungey, financial officer, and Donald Frantz, chaplain. Shaver, Teall, Dungey and Garinger were named to a committee to apply for the charter.

During that year of its organization, the new American Legion Post held a contest for a name to be given to the organization. Although records do not show who and when the name was selected, it is known that before the first anniversary of the Dallas Legion, the name selected was Daddow-Isaacs.

Daddow-Isaacs was selected in memory of Lloyd Daddow, who died of pneumonia while in the armed service, and Gomer Isaacs, also a veteran and son of Wesley Daddow.

From April through September, the Legionnaires participated in numerous community activities as well as conducting a strong recruitment program. In September of 1935, members met Wednesday, Sept. 25, and re-elected Arthur Brown as commander. Other officers elected were Homer Teall, first vice-commander; Paul Shaver, second vice commander; Charles Stookey, adjutant; Arthur Dungey, finance officer; and Donald Frantz, chaplain.

In December of that year, Legion members agreed to assist in securing enlistments for the U.S. Army for assignments in Panama and Hawaii.

Although other members may have joined the new Post late in 1935, it is known that among the original 24 charter members were Albert Stetzer, N. Edwin Nelson, Thomas G. Reese, Clare Winters, Harold Titman, John Blackman, Frank Ferry, John Garbutt, David J. Joseph, Lewis LeGrand, William McNeel, H. Brook Arnold, Stanley Wroblecki, Paul Shaver, Charles Stookey, Arthur Dungey, James Hummel, Clyde Veitch, Ralph Antrim, Wayne King, Arthur



COMMANDER ED LYONS

Brown, Homer Teall, Marion Garinger and Donald Frantz. Of these members, Clyde Veitch and Thomas Reese are the only two living.

During the years from 1935 to the conclusion of World War II, members of the organization in Arthur Brown's Hardware Store, Dallas Borough Building, I.O.O.F. Building, the observation post, which was the small wood building adjacent to the cemetery at the top of Huntsville Road and in private homes. Some of their very first meetings were held in Ryman's store, where Dallas Centre Hardware is now located.

In 1946, at the conclusion of the war, Frank Ferry, three times Commander of the Legion, played a key role in securing the Wallo property on Huntsville Road, Dallas, as a permanent home for the Daddow-Isaacs Post.

The building had been an Inn prior to the Legion purchasing it. The Legionnaires kept it intact with a diningroom, kitchen, rest rooms, a large meeting room, and upstairs, an apartment for their manager and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lamoreaux.

The Legion members held their meetings and other events at the Post Home on Huntsville Road until July 14, 1954, when it was totally destroyed by fire. The blaze was discovered about noon that day by Leonard Wennlund, who saw a large billow of black smoke and immediately sounded an alarm. Ten companies responded to the blaze but could not save the \$40,000 property.

Ferry, who was then serving on the board of directors, helped spearhead the drive to build a new Post home, which is the one now located at the corners of Center Hill Road and Memorial Highway in Dallas.

Wardan Kunkle had donated the lots where the building now stands and with the assistance of Joseph and Bill Wallo, the new building was soon under construction and the Legionnaires moved into their new home in 1956.

In 1958, members of the Daddow-Isaacs American Legion initiated the first Americanism Night, an affair at which an award was presented to the person voted "Outstanding Citizen for Distinguished Service." The Legion held this event for a number of years until it became so popular that it was taken over by several Back Mountain Service Clubs. Several years ago, however, the event was discontinued due to lack of interest.

On May 11, 1960, Daddow-Isaacs Post observed its 25th anniversary with a special dinner and program at the Legion Home. Atty. William T. Malone, Scranton, Department Commander of the American Legion

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