

Contest entrant

This photo, entitled "A Boy's Best Friend" is just one of the photographs entered in the amateur photography contest being sponsored by The Dallas Post and the Back Mountain Memorial Library. Due to recent inclement weather, the entry deadline for the contest has been changed to Friday, April 19. Amateur photographers are encouraged to enter this local contest which is offering cash prizes.

Photography contest deadline extended

Don't fret, photographers! The Back Mountain Memorial Library and The Dallas Post have extended the deadline of their photo contest for those of you who just couldn't make last Wednesday's deadline.

Members of the contest committee feel that, because of the unseasonably inclement weather our area has been experiencing, it was necessary to give local amateur photographers a second chance to get their photo entries in.

Thus, the new deadline for this local photo contest will be this Friday, April 19.

There are four categories in this contest, which is being sponsored in conjunction with National Library Week this month. Those categories are adult color, adult black and white, student color, and student black and white.

The Dallas Post will be awarding four \$25 cash prizes - one for the

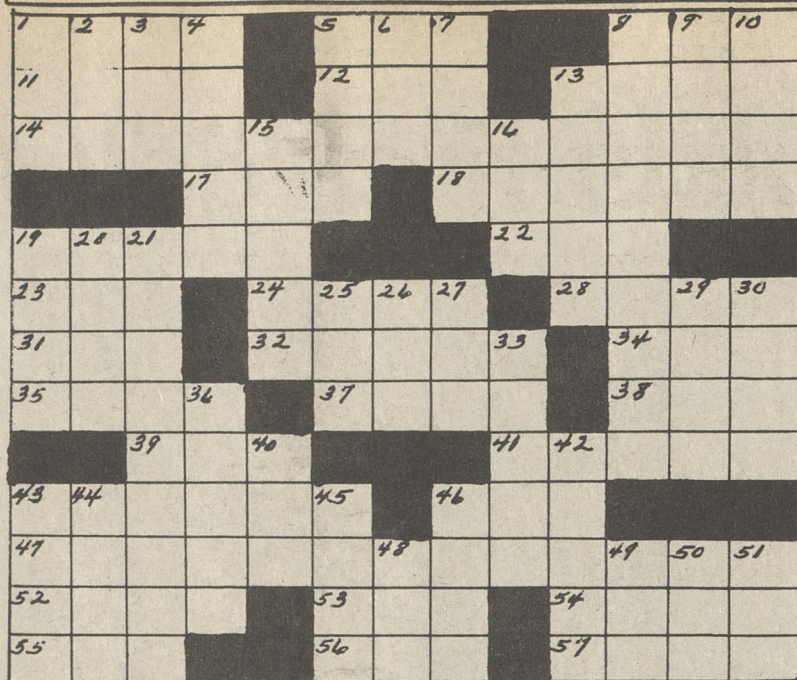
first place photograph in each category. Also awarded will be ribbons for second and third places as well as honorable mention. All winning photos will be published in The Dallas Post.

The first place winners in each category will then be submitted to the American Library Association to be judged in a national photography contest. The local winners, by being entered in the national contest, will become eligible for \$7100 in prize money.

Entry blanks for the local contest are available at The Dallas Post, 61 Gerald Avenue, Dallas; the Back Mountain Memorial Library, Huntsville Road, Dallas; and many Back Mountain businesses.

Any amateur photographer requiring additional information concerning the contest is advised to contact the Back Mountain Memorial Library at 675-1182.

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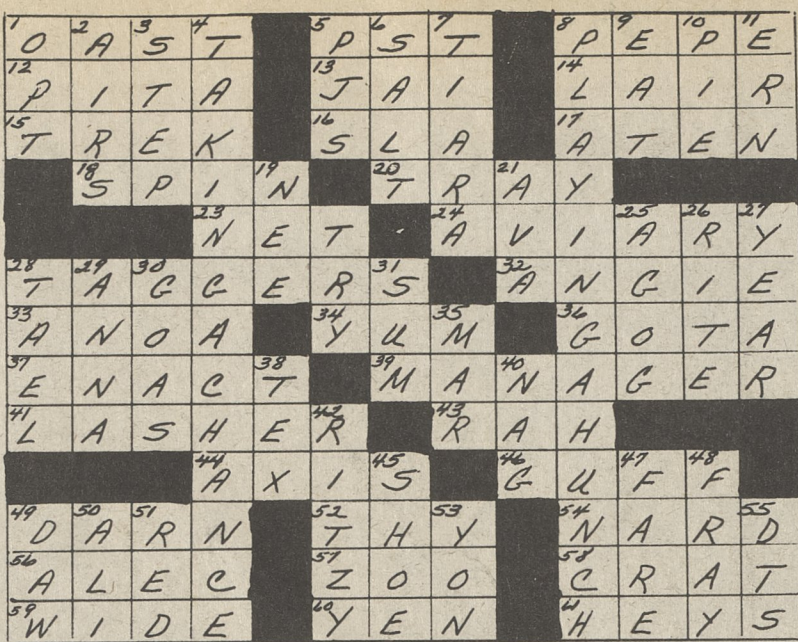
1. Wet
5. Soak Flax
8. Triple
11. Storage Place
12. _____ Glance
13. Kukla, _____ & Ollie
14. Game Show
17. Saint: Abbr.
18. Deceptive
19. Less Feral
22. Cartoon Expletive
23. Palm Leaf
24. Female Sheep
28. Fell
31. Total
32. Sweep Lightly
34. United
35. Arlene _____
37. Position On
38. High Card
39. Anagram for Oat
41. Burghoff Role
42. Metal Pin
46. Foot
47. Game Show
52. Voyaging
53. Very Important Person
54. Within: Comb. Form
55. Through
56. Morrow and Sullivan
57. Profound

DOWN

1. Venomous Snake

2. Dear _____
3. Spanish Cheer
4. Not Neg.
5. Martha _____
6. DDE's Command
7. Stretched Tight
8. Sem's Contents
9. _____ & Ruin
10. Black
13. Aviates
15. Scatter
16. Right Reverend (Abbr.)
19. Warty Amphibian
20. Robert or Alan
21. Alice In Wonderland Character
25. Which Person
26. German "A"
27. Supersonic Transport
29. Indian of Peru
30. Hart or Hind
33. Asian Country
36. _____ Luck
40. Egyptian God
43. Applause
44. Platinum Wire Loop
45. Rant
46. _____ Up
48. Cisco _____
49. Compass Direction
50. Summer Cooler
51. Sever

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER



Assault case closed

According to Dallas Borough Police Chief Ed Lyons, the investigation of the incident concerning the assault of Susan Betts of Pittston which occurred on April 4 in Dallas Borough has been completed.

"The investigation summarily disclosed that there was insufficient

evidence to warrant criminal prosecution," explained Lyons. "Dallas Borough Police turned over all the information in the matter to the District Attorney's office, and the D.A. came to the same conclusion. Ms. Betts was advised that she could pursue a private complaint if she wanted to," he concluded.

Coslett urges filing of tax rebate applications

Rep. Frank Coslett recently urged eligible persons to file property tax and rent rebate applications before the June 30 deadline.

Those eligible are senior citizens age 65 or over, widows and widowers age 50 or over and permanently disabled persons over age 18 who meet the income guidelines. The maximum eligible income is \$11,999. The maximum rebate is \$500.

Coslett reminded citizens that the 1985 property tax and rent rebate applications are based on 1984

income. Only one person per household may file. Those who receive a rebate will automatically receive an inflation dividend cash grant without having to file another application.

Individuals who file early are more likely to receive rebate checks in the Revenue Department's first mailing in early July, Coslett said.

Applications are available at Coslett's office at 1265 Wyoming Ave., Forty Fort, Pa. The telephone number is 288-3990.



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Presidents meet

Presidents of the five area colleges announced recently the formation of the Greater Wilkes-Barre Council of Presidents. Aim of the Council is to work cooperatively for the improvement of educational, economic and cultural life in the community. Dr. James H. Ryan, Penn State, above, explains the challenge of changing careers in the late 1980's and the 1990's to those attending the conference. From left, are Thomas Moran, LCCC; Dr. Christopher Breiseth, Wilkes College; Dr. Joseph Fink, College Misericordia; Dr. Ryan and Rev. James Lackenmier, CSC, King's College.

Seven

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all the way from kindergarten through 12th grade. I'd work to build bridges between the different stages of education with an integrated curriculum. I'd work closely with the Citizens' Advisory Committee which I consider to be the voice of the community, and with the media so that the board's role would be as open as possible. Finally, with state and federal aid being cut, the limited resources that will be available will have to be used very wisely, and I would be careful with every cent that's spent."

NAME: Dr. William Camp
ADDRESS: 60 Grandview Avenue, New Goss manor, Dallas
AGE: 42
EDUCATION: Doctorate from Carnegie

OCCUPATION: Professor of Sociology and History at LCCC
CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS: Administrative Board of Trinity Presbyterian Church, member of Back Mountain Environmental Group

SCHOOL BOARD EXPERIENCE: Just completing a four year term on board

FAMILY: Wife, Ann Camp; son, William Jr., fourth grade at Dallas; daughter, Adrienne, Kindergarten at Dallas Township

"I'd like to serve on the board again because of my concern and desire for a quality education system, especially with two kids in that system. As a taxpayer, I'm concerned about high taxes too. I'd like to see the best quality education possible with a minimum of experience."

NAME: John Cleary
ADDRESS: Aster Road, Applewood Manor, Dallas
AGE: 38

EDUCATION: Graduate of Hamilton College with B.A. in Economics

OCCUPATION: Owner of Cleary Forestry Products, a wholesale lumber and plywood brokerage located in the Dallas Professional Building

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS: Coached Little League; worked for the Fall Fair and Library Auction; member of Citizen's Advisory Committee for seven years; with two years as chairman

SCHOOL BOARD EXPERIENCE: Appointed in January to replace Barbara Mead. Has

served on Policy Committee, Co-Curricular Committee and Personnel and Finance Committee

FAMILY: Wife, Marianne Cleary; three daughters, Erin, sophomore; Shannon, 9th grade; and Kelly Intermediate School; two sons, Patrick, Special Ed, LIU and Michael, 4, Trucksville Nursery School.

"With the country and educational systems in a period where available money has turned to a drizzle, the board can no longer make choices between good and bad programs. They now have to choose between good and good, and have recently done that with the reinstatement of D.E.A.L. and Drivers' Education. With my experience as a father, taxpayer and local businessman I will pay attention to financial details. We'll be working with limited resources and I want to insure that our educational quality stays as good as it is. Dallas had the best TELLS results in the area, and I want to continue to be that good. We've made good inroads in working well with our excellent faculty and solving morale problems. In general, I want to see the best possible education for the money and that won't be all hearts and flowers. We need a level-headed group who bases judgments on facts, not friendships or partisan alignments."

NAME: Tom Landon
ADDRESS: RD 1, Dallas
AGE: 40

EDUCATION: Graduate of Dallas Senior High School and Wilkes-Barre Business College. Additional courses at Wilkes and LCCC

OCCUPATION: Sales Representative, Brown and Williamson Tobacco Corp.

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS: Member of Kunkle Methodist Church, Kunkle Fire Department, President of Back Mountain Junior Football Club, Member George M. Dallas Masonic Lodge, Republican committee member in Northern District of Dallas Township for past six years, Sgt. 1st class, 402 Military Police Army Reserves

SCHOOL BOARD EXPERIENCE: None

FAMILY: Wife, Ayleen, one son, Thomas, 9th grade, Dallas Junior High School; one daughter,

Tammy, 5th grade, Dallas Intermediate School.

"With two children attending Dallas schools, I am interested and concerned about the district. I want to become involved with policies, principles and procedures."

FAMILY: Wife, the former Cheryl Parsons, one daughter, Tracy, 15, student at Dallas Sr. High; one son, William, 10, student at Dallas Intermediate School.

"Someone has to serve on the school board, and I'd like to see more parents of kids currently in the system actively involved with the District. I want to do something to help my children, and as a parent I can work for a better school district which will benefit all our kids. As a life-long resident of the District, I want to work for continued growth in our schools."

NAME: Mahmood Fahmy
ADDRESS: Valley View Drive, Shrine Acres, Dallas
AGE: 53

OCCUPATION: Director of Graduate Studies, Director of Continuing Education, Professor of Education, Wilkes College

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS: Shrine, Caldwell Consistory, Wilkes-Barre Rotary, Board member of Mental Health-Mental Retardation of Luzerne-Wyoming County; past president and board member of Northeastern Pennsylvania Child Development Council

SCHOOL BOARD EXPERIENCE: Past president of School Board, 1982, 1979-elected highest award getter on board. Resigned when selected to be Educational Consultant in Persian Gulf

FAMILY: Wife, Irandukht Fahmy, Roy, Dallas graduate; Raef, Dallas graduate; Randa, Dallas graduate.

"My major goal as school director would be to reinstate public confidence in the school district. Over the past two years, the public has lost its trust. I'd also like to develop harmony between the board, teachers, administration and staff. Community and parental involvement is very important. I'd like to help develop a challenging comprehensive curriculum to help kids achieve to their highest abilities

College

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Dr. Ryan explained that no one department will try to serve the five institutions but local students already cross register for courses not available in their home schools.

An example is that when the King's chairman of the biology department became ill several months ago, some of the students enrolled in a comparable biology class at Wilkes College.

Dr. Breiseth pointed out that when there was a diminishing enrollment in the theatre program this year, a joint theatre program was offered by the colleges to keep the course alive.

Lehman

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sored by the Cavalcade of Bands, Inc.

Chairman of the Board Joseph Jones submitted a proposal to reward outstanding performances by teachers, coaches and other educators by presenting them with a monetary stipend. The board approved Jones' recommendation to award John Miliauskas and Katherine Gregory, \$1,000. Miliauskas is director of the prize-winning Lake-Lehman High School Band and Gregory received national recognition for her Earth Space Science Program at Lake-Lehman.

Board members also announced that the registration for the Effective Parenting Skills course sponsored by the district had opened. The course is to begin Wednesday, April 17 and continue for six Wednesdays from 7 to 9 p.m. There

is a registration of \$10 to cover costs of the course which is limited to 45 participants.

The Ross Township Elementary School was approved for use by the summer migrant program, including transportation and food services.

Approval was given for the administration to advertise for a math teacher for the 1985-86 school year and the board approved the following additions to the substitute teachers list: Carol Thomas, Shavertown, elementary certificate; Mary Boiter, Tunkhannock, elementary certificate; Mary Mohr, Dallas, elementary certificate; and Janice Kiwak, of Sowyersville, art certificate.

The board approved the request to exonerate local tax collectors of Harveys Lake Borough, Jackson,

pace with these changes but creatively together, we hope we can do something to help in addressing these problems."

The Council plans to meet monthly until all problems are resolved, then less frequently.

Dr. Breiseth explained that the new Council is not the first time this has been done. Such a council has been formed in Lehigh Valley and is functioning very successfully. Another such organization has been initiated in Connecticut Valley. These are only two of such groups, who have united in order to better serve students, residents of the area and the colleges.

Lake, Lehman, Noxen and Ross Townships from collection of the 1984 per capita taxes for those double-assessed, deceased and non-residents. The tax collectors were also exonerated from collecting the 1984 per capita taxes unpaid and authorized the secretary of the board to forward the names of those unpaid to H.A. Berheimer Associates, Bangor, Pa., the delinquent tax collector.

In other finance requests, the board members approved the 1985-86 budget of the Luzerne Intermediate Unit 18, continuation of participation in the typewriter repair service program in 1985-86 as offered by the LIU 18 and to support the positions and resolutions adopted at the Pennsylvania Association of School Business Officials at the recent annual conference.

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