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Dance held

The Westmoreland Club was the setting for the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's Second Annual Dinner Dance. Mrs. Debbie Mozal, dinner dance chairman, and Mrs. Paula Denisco, Career branch president, welcomed guests to the affair which began with cocktails at 7:30 p.m. A variety of tempting hors d'oeuvres were served including scallops wrapped in bacon and stuffed mushrooms casino. Guests were invited to the main diningroom for dinner which featured filet mignon, fettuccini alfredo, fresh broccoli hollandaise, tossed spinach salad with hot bacon dressing, and croissants. A scrumptious hot caramel sundae was served for dessert. Throughout the evening, guests danced to the music of the Starfires. The auxiliary dinner dance was sponsored by Career branch of the auxiliary. Guests at the dinner dance, from left, are Dr. Charles Aquilina, Mrs. Charles Aquilina, Shavertown; Dr. Victor Ambruso, Mrs. Victor Ambruso, Wyoming; Mrs. David Barras, Dr. David Barras, Kingston; Mrs. John Morris, Mr. John Morris, Dallas; Dr. Charlotte Casterline, Dr. Peter Casterline, Dallas.



Investiture held

Lehman Brownie Troop 641, recently held their Investiture ceremony. The new girls were welcomed into the troop and the returning girls renewed their promise. Girls participating are shown here. From left, first row, Kristy Hozempa, Geri Yankoski, Geana Powell, Bobbi Stogoski, Kelly Spencer, Tanya Kosakowski, April Masters. Second row, Melissa Kozlowski, Lori Kubacki, Kristy Mascalis, Kelly Komsisky, Beth Kelly, Beth Turner, Diane Alters, Amy Rogers, Amy Groboski.

—People in the news—

NAVY SEAMAN RECRUIT DONALD J. MENIG, son of Jean Leary of 103 Church St., Dallas has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

During Menig's eight-week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields.

Menig's studies included seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid. Personnel who complete this course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in Physical Education and Hygiene.

A 1985 graduate of Dallas Senior High School, he joined the Navy in February 1985.

ARMY MAJOR JAMES F. MESITE, JR., son of James F. and Valentina A. Mesite of 147 E. Franklin St., Shavertown has been decorated with the Meritorious Service Medal at West Germany.

The Meritorious Service Medal is awarded specifically for outstanding non-combat meritorious achievement or service to the United States.

Mesite is a brigade personnel officer with the 93rd Signal Brigade.

His wife, Roberta, is the daughter of retired Navy Cmdr. Robert A. Holmes III of 1534 Benton Drive S., Jacksonville Beach, Fla. and Robin Holmes of 295 N. Roscoe, Palm Valley, Ponte Vedra, Fla.

The major is a 1969 graduate of the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, N.Y.

NEWLY PROMOTED SENIOR AIRMAN EDWARD P. YACOBOWICZ, son of Robert and Antonette Weiss of R.D. 3, Dallas, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal at Dover Air Force Base, Del.

The award was presented for exemplary conduct while in the active service of the United States.

Yacobowicz is scheduled to serve with the 436th Supply Squadron.

He is a 1982 graduate of Dallas Senior High School.

MR. AND MRS. ERNEST KING of Lehman Twp. have returned from a 13 day tour of London, France, Germany, Holland and Belgium.

Arriving in London by air, they joined a tour, leaving London by bus to Dover where they boarded a Hovercraft to cross the English Channel. In Calais, they met their tour bus, which carried them to Paris, across France into Germany and the Black Forest. The tour included a three day cruise down the Rhine with stops along the river where the bus would meet them and take them to various places of interest. They returned to England for the return trip home.

Mr. King visited many places along the tour where he had been during World War II as a member of the 636 Tank Destroyer Battalion.

THE ART INSTITUTE OF PITTSBURGH is pleased to announce that Scott Robert Ciravolo of RD 2, Box 345, Dallas, made the Dean's List for the spring quarter. Scott is majoring in Visual Communications.

The Art Institute of Pittsburgh is a two-year commercial design school with majors in Visual Communication, Photography, Interior Design, and Fashion Illustration. AIP offers an Associate in Specialized Technology Degree and is accredited by the Accrediting Commission of the National Association of Trade and Technical Schools.

NAVY PETTY OFFICER 2ND CLASS RONNY JONES, son of Lois J. Jones of Rt. 7, Shavertown, recently returned from a six and one half month deployment from the Mediterranean Sea while stationed aboard the frigate USS Trippe, homeported in Charleston, SC.

A 1977 graduate of West Side Technical School, Pringle, he joined the Navy in September 1977.

CLARA TROXELL, MILLIE DREHER, AND ANNA DYMOND spent last week at Raleigh's in the Catskills with the Kingston Senior Citizens.

GLENN N. EYET, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Eyet, of RD 2, Dallas, is a member of the freshman class at Juniata College, Huntingdon, Pa.

A 1985 graduate of Dallas High School, Eyet will major in pre-medicine at Juniata.

AN ENGINEERING PROFESSOR at Penn State Wilkes-Barre campus has been chosen by the Pennsylvania State University as acting head of the University's Department of General Engineering.

John Kolesar, professor of general engineering, was one of five faculty members throughout The University system recently named to posts in the newly created Division of Technology in the Commonwealth Education System and in the Department of General Engineering in the College of Engineering.

In his new position, Professor Kolesar will continue the Department of General Engineering's current responsibilities coordinating the efforts of more than 100 general engineering faculty members and the University's associate programs in engineering technology.

RAYMOND B. OSTROSKI, of Wilkes-Barre has been named associate counsel for Commonwealth Telephone Enterprises, Inc.

Ostroski is responsible for providing legal counsel to Commonwealth's operating companies, which provide telecommunications, cable television, consulting engineering, supply and information services to a broad range of customers. Ostroski will review and draft legal documents and contracts, supervise the Real Estate Department, insure regulatory compliance with the SEC and FCC, negotiate contracts and assist in any litigation involving Commonwealth's three operating groups of diversified communications and high technology companies.

THOMAS SWEENEY, Administrator of the Meadows Nursing Center in Dallas participated in the Eighth Annual Public Policy Forum of the Pennsylvania Association of Non-Profit Homes for the Aging (PANPHA) held Oct. 8-9 at the Marriott Inn, Harrisburg.

Sweeney was among more than 150 facility administrators, directors and other professionals who took part in several sessions and small group discussions which focused on public policy issues concerning care for the aging population.



Scene created

A Halloween scene was recently created by Don Williams, Dallas, and is now on display in the lobby at the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas. Shown here, from left, standing, are Marilyn Gregorski, Activities Director, Meadows Nursing Center; Don Williams, Scarecrow, George; Hilda Laning, Meadows Nursing Center resident; Dracula. Seated, Blanche Hadsall, Meadows Nursing Center, resident.



Certificates given

Forty-eight employees in Wilkes-Barre General Hospital's Food Service Department recently received certificates of achievement for successfully completing a required number of continuing education programs designed specifically for food service personnel. Program topics included personal hygiene and infection control, food service sanitation and safety, cleaning and operation of equipment, fire safety, portion control, J.C.A.H., employee handbook and modified diets. Instructors for the program included representatives from Administration and the Education, Safety and Security, and Food Service Departments. Helen Meyer, assistant director of Food Service, coordinated the program. Pictured above are certificate recipients. From left, first row, Judy Noll (Wilkes-Barre), Mary Williams (Kingston), Karen Chalker (Wilkes-Barre), Terese Williams (Wilkes-Barre), Carol Burke (Wilkes-Barre), Anna Jewell (Kingston), and Jeanne Chivington (Exeter). Second row, Robin Duffy (Wapwallopen), Barbara Ann Derko (Swoyersville), Loretta Hine (Parsons), Helen Meyer, (West Pittston), Rita Nosal, director Food Service (Freeland), Mary Duffy (Plains), and Margi Ace, clinical dietitian, (Lafin). Third row, Mary Polachek (Wilkes-Barre), Kathy Agurkis, assistant director Food Service (Lafin), Pam Kasper (Wilkes-Barre), Mary Ann Knowles (Plains), Florence Check (Wilkes-Barre), Karen Baloga (Plains), Annmarie Shedlock (West Pittston), Michelle Bonetski (Harveys Lake), Rick Mattern (Kingston), and Fred Monteforte (Pittston). Fourth row, Carol Zukowski (Wilkes-Barre), Marty Kasper (Wilkes-Barre), Mike Kosin (Wilkes-Barre) and John Galey (Wilkes-Barre). Fifth row: Mary Jo Fisk (Wilkes-Barre), Diane Kane (Shavertown), Linda Thiemann (Wilkes-Barre) and Nancy Fox (Wilkes-Barre.)



Greetings extended

The ecumenical spirit prevailed at the Assumpta Council Home, Knights of Columbus, Luzerne when the Past Potentate Charles D. Lemmond, Jr. extended greetings from the Illustrious Potentate Paul Schramm, the Divan and Nobles of the Irem Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S. and congratulations to the recently installed officers of the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, Our Lady of Czestochowa Assembly. The installed officers for the ensuing year are: Faithful Navigator Edward F. Mark, Sr.; Faithful Admiral Joseph Kalinosky; Faithful Captain Anthony Blaso; Faithful Pilot Gary Quinn; Faithful Comptroller Emery Simkulak; Faithful Purser Frank Baran; Faithful Scribe Daniel Dubinski; Faithful Inner Sentinel Frank Rauscher; Faithful Outer Sentinel John Burba Sr.; and Faithful Trustees Robert Magalski, John Urban and Ernes Schmid. Reverend John C. Masakowski serves as Faithful Friar of Our Lady of Czestochowa Assembly, Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus. Shown here, from left, are Faithful Navigator Edward F. Mark, Sr. and Past Potentate Charles D. Lemmond, Jr.

Association holds party

Once again the Monroe Township Community Association held a successful Halloween party on Oct. 26, at the old Beaumont School. Over 165 ghosts, goblins, witches and spooks were in attendance. Games were played and door prizes were awarded. The guess cake, which was baked and donated by Barbara and Stan Rygelski, was won by Debbie Brennan.

Silver dollars were once again given as prizes for the prettiest, funniest, ugliest and most original. The judges for this year's event were Clara Smith, Alice Williams and Bob Pilger. The following won prizes: ages pre-school thru kindergarten were prettiest, Rebecca Weill; funniest, Laura and Nathan

Daniels; ugliest, David Fox, and most original, Mary Jane Simon, T.J. Plata and Casey Novajoski. Ages first thru fourth grades were: prettiest, Vicky Weiss; funniest, Peter Dobrowski; ugliest, Melissa Goble and most original Brian Crispell. Ages fifth thru ninth grade, prettiest, Jessie Geib; funniest, Ronnie Lee Visneski; ugliest, Carol Sheffar and most original Chrissy Mahoney and Jill Sperl. Ages tenth thru adult were: prettiest, Patty Post; funniest, Cindy Sickler; most original Brenda Crispell and ugliest, Selma Post.

Once again Judy Gramley would like to thank all those who donated prizes and helped to make this party a success.