PEOPLE

Singers planning concert

The New Community Singers, under the direction of Shirley Mahle, and accompanied by Elaine St. Clair, are now in rehearsal for the spring season.

The group is comprised of 25 women from the Back Mountain Area who enjoy music and entertaining for church, social, and civic organizations, and who are richly rewarded by visiting the many nursing homes in the Wyoming Valley.

The musical program will include: The Pipes of Spring; I Would Weave A Song For You; You Got to Reap Just What You Sow; If I Ruled The World; What Color is God's Skin?; We Are the World. The program concludes with a tribute to the liberty of America with the following songs: Americana; This Is My Country; words of The New Colossus by Emma Lazarus, and the ever popular and dynamic God Bless America written by Irving Berlin and introduced by the unrelenting voice of Kate Smith in 1939.

Anyone interested in contacting the New Community Singers may call Shirley Mahle at 675-3249 or Marianne Williams at 675-3151.

Scouts win six ribbons

Boy Scout Troop 331 of Harveys Lake recently won six ribbons when its members attended Polar Bear Camp Out at Frances Slocum State

The boys won ribbons for: first place in the sack race; second place for fire building; third place in the ice awl; third place in overall competition and a Participation Ribbon. All the boys attending received a Snoopy Polar Bear Badge.

Those attending were: Barry Pahler Sr., Scoutmaster, Chet Koprowski, assistant Scoutmaster; Ted Nafus, Barry Pahler Jr., Derrick Bologna, Chet Koprowski, Heath Williams and Tom Lewis.

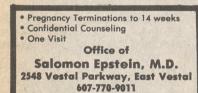


MARY BIANCA RICCI

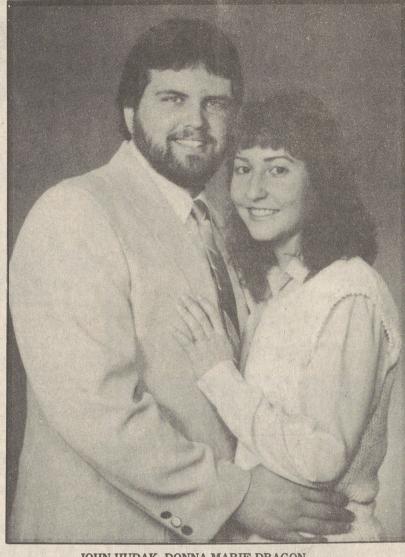
Five years old

Mary Bianca Ricci, daughter of Pete and Mary Ricci, Haddonfield Hills, Dallas, is celebrating her fifth birthday on April 23. She had a party at Cartoon Pizzeria on April 19 with all her friends from Mercy Center Preschool and her cousins.

Mary Bianca is the granddaughter of Joseph and the late Mary Czopek of Plymouth and Joseph and Bianca Ricci of Dallas.







JOHN HUDAK, DONNA MARIE DRAGON

Engagement announced

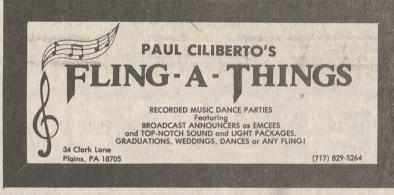
Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Dragon, Jr., Harveys Lake, announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna Marie to John J. Hudak, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hudak, Dallas.

Miss Dragon is a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School and also Luzerne County Community College with an associate of applied science degree in Dental Hygiene. She is employed by Rural Health Care of N.E. Pa., Nuremberg, and Dr. Joseph A. Donato, DMD, Freeland, as a registered

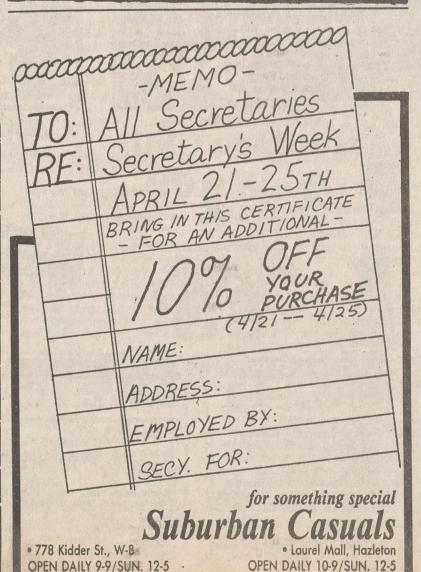
Mr. Hudak is also a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School and a magna cum laude graduate of Johnson and Wales Culinary Institute, Rhode Island with an associate degree of occupational science in Culinary Arts. He is employed by Genetti's Best Western, Hazleton.

The wedding will be solemnized May 10, 1986 at Our Lady of Victory Church, Harveys Lake.

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Only a year ago another Sweet

Valley businessman moved to our

A COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE, what a great idea. Haddonfield Hills looked like Maxie's Flea Market on Saturday morning as cars lined up both sides of the road to look for bargains. People parked at one end of the road and walked and bargained all the way around the block.

I missed out on this one and I could see the dollars I wasn't making by not being a part of it. Hats off to the ladies who organized this sale, I'm told it will be an annual event, next year I know at least one more house will be added. Read the garage sale ads every week in The Dallas Post and attend them. You always find something that's a conversation piece if nothing else and they are fun.

DIANE AND JOSEPH DES ROCKERS, welcome you to Haddonefield Hills and to the Back Mountain. The Des Rochers moved into the lovely home they purchased from Marge Wimmer Ruch on Saturday during all the traffic and congestion

of our first annual garage sale. We want you to know we are a quiet. friendly neighborhood, and it's a very peaceful area to live in. Your move happened to be on a rather unusual day.

HILLARD

I am your neighbor Jean Hillard, I live two doors up from you and I'm putting a copy of The Dallas Post in your mailbox. Now if you read my column, you'll better understand our neighborhood and I look forward to meeting you later this week. Welcome to Haddonfield

DAVE AND MICHELLE MOSS, owners of Moss Machinery in Sweet Valley, are up to something in Dallas. As I was pulling out of Great Beginnings last week I saw Dave and Michelle putting riding tractors and mowers in the building between the Treat and Mr. Donut. I think a welcome to another Sweet Valley business might be appropri-

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area, Russ Majors, who now is in Trucksville. The Back Mountain is moving right along, it's good to grow. Moss Machinery handles Wheel Horse, Snapper, Honda etc. Welcome to Dallas. AS OUR PRESIDENT is cautioning all Americans not to leave the country, one of my co-workers left as planned for a 10-day trip to England. Betty Sorchik of Sweet Valley had no fears as she boarded a plane in Newark, New Jersey to go on a planned tour with her aunt to England. We all pray she has a

us Saturday as planned.

PAUL AND ALISA NULTON, owners of Nulton Funeral Home in Beaumont, returned from an 18-day trip by car from Florida. This is the first trip the Nultons have taken since 1968 and Alisa reports it was just wonderful.

safe very good trip and returns to

The Nultons toured most of Florida, always on the move with no special destinations at any set time. As they were traveling over the Blue Ridge Mountains the fog was so dense they sought a place to sleep to get out of it. Finding a hotel with a vacancy it turned out to be one of their most scenic pleasures of the trip. The view was breathtaking overlooking the mountains and nature's beauty.

There are many lodges in those areas and the Nultons would someday like to go back to the Blue Ridge Mountains and horseback ride thru that area, that sounds

MR. AND MRS. JAMES TUR-RELL of Noxen have returned to

their home after spending the winter months in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Welcome home to you, you are the first to bring the Florida sunshine back with you!

GEORGE L. SCHILLING of Harveys Lake is the winning name drawn at Stapinski's in Dallas to compete for a trip for two to the Paradise Islands. A name will be drawn from several other stores also, they will each be placed in a box for the grand drawing to be held May 2. Congratulations to Mr. Schilling, we'll be rooting for you on

ED STEINRUCK of Sweet Valley passed away at the age of 53 last week at his home with a heart attack. Ed was a parts salesman to gas stations and garages in our area for many years before opening his own business in Sweet Valley. Our sympathy is extended to his family and loved ones.

DARCI DAVIS, daughter of John and Sharron Davis, Shavertown, won in vocal competition on Saturday. Darci received a superior rating, she is not eligible to compete nationally. The next competition will be held in June in Michigan. Congratulations Darci, keep singing and smiling.

GEORGE MACULLOCH, manager of Merchants Bank, Shavertown Branch celebrated a birthday on Sunday. George lives next door and I overhead someone talking about his age it sounded like they said 39 and holding. Whatever, George that's personal anyway so just plain "Happy Birthday."

(Jean Hillard is a Back Mountain resident whose column appears weekly in The Dallas Post.)









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