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Graduation held

As part of an on-going effort to rehabilitate inmates through educational means, the State Correctional Institute at Dallas last Friday held its annual graduation ceremonies at the facilities auditorium. Approximately 40 inmates received certificates, along with several others who received special awards. Hector Padin received the outstanding student award while Darryl Moore was honored as the vocational Student of the Year. Anthony Miranda was voted as class valedictorian. An outstanding special service award was also presented to inmate Michael Vaccarello for his efforts in acquiring funding for the institutions academic and vocational programs. He also received an associates degree in applied science from Luzerne County Community College. Senator Edward P. Zemprelli, featured speaker at the affair, told the inmates, "Obviously you are not going anywhere now, but what about a week, a month or a year from now? This is not a maximum security facility, so you will be returning to your friends and families at some point. You have to pay your debt to society, that's true, but you should have some say in how you are rehabilitated. I urge all of you to use your time wisely and set positive goals and do what you can to obtain them." Zemprelli is the democratic floor leader in Harrisburg.

Study questions prepared

The Back Mountain Solid Waste Study Committee, which is comprised of representatives of Dallas Borough, Dallas Township, and Kingston Township recently prepared and forwarded a questionnaire to all private refuse haulers who service the Back Mountain Area.

The questionnaire will solicit from the private collectors such information as the type of equipment used in collection, service area, customer data, and collection data relative to the amount of solid waste disposed of by each hauler. The questionnaire will also address local landfill tipping fees and the time incurred by each hauler in traveling to local landfills.

The survey will also request each private hauler to comment on the overall subject of solid waste collection and disposal for the Back Mountain Area.

The Committee hopes to learn first hand from the private hauler the problems and needs of the Back Mountain Area in terms of effective solid waste management.

Once the surveys have been returned, committee members will correlate the information received and prepare a report which should be submitted to the local governing bodies by the end of August.

The committee is asking the cooperation of the local refuse collectors in the prompt completion of the questionnaire. The completed surveys should be returned to Mr. Thomas Bagley, c-o Dallas Borough Municipal Building, 25 Main Street, Dallas, PA 18612.

The Back Mountain Solid Waste Study Committee is comprised of Thomas J. Bagley, Dallas Borough Secretary; Glenn M. Howell, Dallas Township Secretary; and Fred C. Potzer, Kingston Township Manager.



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Dallas man injured

A young Dallas man was slightly injured in this two car accident early Friday afternoon at the intersections of Dug and Carvertown roads. Gino Sabatini, 18, of Kingswood Road, Dallas was taken to Nesbitt Hospital by the Kingston Township Ambulance where he was treated and released. Reports indicate the accident took place when a truck operated by Anthony Urbanovitch, of 779 Willard St., Luzerne, pulled out at the corner of Dug and Carverton roads and collided with the Sabatini car which was traveling east on Carverton road. Urbanovitch's van flipped after impact occurred.

County Fair booklets available

Arts and crafts premium booklets for the Luzerne County Fair, scheduled for September 3 to 7, are now available by calling 675-6448. Those who entered items last year, or had requested a booklet for the 1985 fair will receive one automatically.

As last year, entries will be on a pre-registration basis as set forth in the Pennsylvania State Fair guidelines.

Thousands of dollars are awarded each year to arts and craft, 4-H, livestock, and this year for the first time, horse entries. All entries except for perishables will be accepted on Tuesday, Sept. 2, from 4 to 9 p.m. Perishables will be accepted on Thursday, Sept. 4 from 9 to 11 a.m. Livestock entries are required at the fairgrounds by 12 noon on Wednesday, Sept. 3.

Fees for exhibits are listed in the premium guidebook. Students, grades 1 through 12 are encouraged to enter their arts and crafts with the judging divided in grades 1 to 6, 7 to 9, and 10 to 12.

All entries must be grown, produced, or made in Luzerne County or surrounding communities since the 1985 fair closing.

Deadline for arts, crafts and perishable items is Friday, Aug. 22 and livestock, Monday, Aug. 25.

The chairman of arts and crafts for 1986 is Rita Welebob, of Sweet Valley.

Lottery has new show set

A new Pennsylvania Lottery drawing show set premiered on Monday, July 28. It replaces a series of three separate sets used as backdrops for Lotto, The Daily Number and Big 4 drawings.

The new one-piece set is for all the televised drawings, using plexiglas and thin-auger metal back panels

which can be easily interchanged. In addition, new logos have been designed for the games and will be featured on the set, as well as on updated promotional material.

The set features diffused rear lighting and ramps to accommodate the drawing machines.

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double-celled. But in spite of the conditions no major problems have occurred.

A big reason for the low number of disturbances cited by Ryan is because of the vast number of programs available to the inmates to occupy their time. In 1984-85, 57 per cent of the total population was involved in some form of vocational or educational program, and over 230 received special recognition for personal academic or vocational achievements.

"That's a major reason why we

have been so fortunate not to have any major problems for so long," Ryan said. "A lot of these guys go to work in the morning, take a break at noon, and then return to work until 4:30. They are tired at the end of the day. They just want to rest and relax."

"And there are other recreation programs to keep them busy. There probably isn't a group more dedicated than the weightlifters. Plus, there are a lot of people who are in different religious groups, too, who are busy with choir practice or some other project."

Educational programs are also

taught in conjunction with College Misericordia and Luzerne County Community College. Through the Vocational Apprenticeship Program, inmates can actually leave at the end of their sentences with journeyman status in such fields as air conditioning and refrigeration, auto body, electricity, graphic arts, plumbing, sheet metal, welding, drating, surveying, barber, and carpet installation.

Currently, only 269 inmates are unassigned, and although some prefer not to be, others are either handicapped, too old or there simply are not enough jobs to go around.

Recently, inmates refinished and upholstered chairs for the state senate, and plans to open a shop to construct metal furniture, for which there is already a backlog of orders, should be completed and underway by next year.

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but has not had a full-time position.

"I do not know Rodger Bearde personally," said Howe. "But everyone I have talked with has nothing but the utmost respect for the gentleman. I have nothing against Bearde, I merely applied because I believed I was qualified. I don't believe that the position of athletic director is a part-time position," said Howe.

When this writer asked Howe what he would do if he were appointed athletic director at Lake-Lehman and, subsequently, he was offered a full-time position elsewhere, he answered "I don't know, you will have to ask my wife. That's exactly how I answered the superintendent at Lake-Lehman when he

asked me that question."

Howe said he was one of six applicants who applied for the AD's position at Lake-Lehman, but that the other applicants withdrew their applications when they heard it was a part-time position.

Howe formerly taught at the Robert Fitch High School in Groton, Conn., where a school official confirmed that Howe had been a member of the faculty and also been athletic director for a period of time. He said, however, that district policy prevented any further information without the written consent of Howe.

No permission of this nature was requested of Howe by The Dallas Post.

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even the poor can become medical doctors."

Said Dr. Francis J. Michelini, president of the Commission for Independent Colleges and Universities, "Thirty-eight per cent of Pennsylvanians go on to higher education as compared to the national rate of 50 per cent. We are missing a lot of

people. There is a lot of brainpower we're not cultivating. People have to realize there are no more steel jobs at \$30 an hour. And there isn't much farming anymore, either. There is a lot of change in culture in Pennsylvania and we have to make our young people aware of that so they can compete in todays world."

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Carol M. Rosckowff, M.D. will be joining Leo W. Landau, M.D. in the private practice of Pediatrics on July 1, 1986. Dr. Rosckowff is Board Certified by the American Board of Pediatrics and is a Fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics. Dr. Rosckowff is originally from Wisconsin. She received her B.A. Degree from Augustana College in Sioux Falls, South Dakota and her M.D. Degree from the University of Wisconsin Medical School in Madison, Wisconsin. Prior to moving to this area in 1976, Dr. Rosckowff was employed by the Department of Pediatrics at the Midelfort Clinic in Eau Claire, Wisconsin and by the Eau Claire Family Practice Residency Program, a branch of the Department of Family Practice of the University of Wisconsin.

Since 1977, Dr. Rosckowff has been the Pediatric Coordinator for the Wyoming Valley Family Practice Residency Program in Kingston. In this capacity, she has taught Pediatrics and has had her own panel of patients. She has participated in the Duke University Fellowship Concerning Family Medicine Education. She has completed the First Six Year Cycle of the Pediatrics Review and Education Program, sponsored by the American Academy of Pediatrics. Dr. Rosckowff is a physician for the Wyoming Valley West School District. She is also a trained instructor in Parent Effectiveness Training (PET).

During the past year, Dr. Rosckowff has served as a member of the State Task Force Studying All Aspects of Mental Health in Women. She is currently a Member of the Board of the Victims Resource Center.

Dr. Rosckowff resides in Dallas with her children, Jenny, Sven and Kari, who are students at the Wyoming Seminary Lower School. Dr. Rosckowff's office will be at 534 Wyoming Avenue, Kingston, with Dr. Leo W. Landau. Appointments can be made by calling 288-6567.

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