

Obituaries

ARTHUR BLIZZARD

Arthur E. Blizzard, 65, of Noxen, died Dec. 13, 1988, following an apparent heart attack, while hunting deer in the Stull area of Noxen. Born Aug. 9, 1923, in Noxen, he was the son of the late Samuel and Mary Ann Miner Blizzard. He was employed by the Armour Leather Company, Noxen, 20 years, in the shipping department, and was the head custodian of the Lake-Lehman High School, 15 years, and was also employed by Hanson's Amusement Park, Harveys Lake, as a park manager. Mr. Blizzard was a veteran of World War II, serving in the European Theatre of Operation as a tank driver. He was a member of the Noxen Volunteer Fire Company and Ambulance Association; VFW Post

5642, Montrose; Wyoming Valley Coin Club; St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Noxen. He and his wife, the former Lucille Sutiliff, celebrated their 41st wedding anniversary on Jan. 31. Surviving are daughters, Mrs. Diana Kasson, Mrs. Pamela Jurista, Springville; Mrs. Marcella Lathrop, Lake Silkworth; Mrs. Mary Ann Lynn, Evans Falls; sister, Viola Robbins, Noxen; brother, Harold, Pound, Va.; stepsisters and step-brothers, Mrs. Inez Higsby, Ariz.; Mrs. Elma Derhammer, Benton; Mrs. Oma Weidner, Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Ethel Jones, Noxen; James Hettesheimer, John Hettes, of Noxen; seven grandchildren; one great-grandchild. Interment was in Orcutt Cemetery, Noxen.

MARGARET JACKSON

Margaret L. Jackson, 84, of the White Birch Trailer Court, Dallas, died Dec. 13, 1988 in the Leader West Nursing Center, Kingston, where she had been a guest since October. Born in Plymouth, she was the daughter of the late George and Josephine Kolczynsky Lawrence. She attended the Plymouth schools. She had resided in Dallas for the past 23 years and had previously resided on North Main Street in Wilkes-Barre. Prior to retiring, she had been employed as a clerk in the Bergman's Department Store, Wilkes-Barre. Her husband, H.J. Jackson, preceded her in death on March 3, 1973.

CATHERINE HENNINGER

Catherine P. Henninger, 74, of Harris Street, Fernbrook, Dallas, died Dec. 19, 1988 in the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital. Born in Edwardsville, she was the daughter of the late Edward and Catherine Walsh Leonard. Mrs. Henninger attended the Edwardsville schools, and resided in Dallas the past 45 years. She was a member of Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas, and its Altar and Rosary Society, Mrs. Henninger was also a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the V.F.W. Post #283, Kingston; and the Meadows Nursing Home Auxiliary. She and her husband, William H., celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary on Dec. 5, 1988. Surviving in addition to her husband, are sons, William E.J., Ladson, S.C.; Edward, Pocono Lake; Dana, Hunlock Creek; John, Larksville; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Donna) Dymond, Chase; sisters, Mrs. Julia Brennan, Woodbridge, N.J.; Mrs. Natalie Hooper, Kingston; Mrs. Louise Little, Cresco; Mrs. Dorothy Rinek, Easton; 19 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren. Interment will be in St. Nicholas Cemetery, Shavertown.

FRED NEWMAN

Fred W. Newman, 77, of Highland Drive, New Goss Manor, Dallas, died Dec. 18, 1988 at his home. Born July 7, 1911, in Parsons, he was the son of the late Thomas and Mary Pyatt Newman. Educated in the local schools, Mr. Newman's career in the local printing trade spanned a total of 45 years. He began his trade in the printing field as an apprentice for the former International Color Printing, Co., Wilkes Barre. He then joined the pressroom crew at the Wilkes-Barre Publishing Company, where he was employed for over 28 years. He retired in 1975. A Naval veteran of World War II, he was a member of the Parsons Primitive Methodist Church and also a member of the Printers, Pressman and Graphic Communications Union, Local, #137. Surviving in addition to his wife, the former Martha Sneddon, are a daughter, Mrs. Lois Schwartz, Reading; sons, Thomas, Reading; Fred Jr., Cleveland, Ohio; seven grandchildren; sister, Mrs. Isabelle Yochem, Parson; brother, Jack Newman, Kingston. Interment will be in the Denison Cemetery, Swoyersville.

HAZEL REED

Hazel Reed, of Noxen, died Dec. 18, 1988 in the Tyler Memorial Hospital, Tunkhannock. Funeral arrangements are pending from the Nulton Funeral Home, Beaumont. Hazel Reed, of Noxen, died Dec. 18, 1988 in the Tyler Memorial Hospital, Tunkhannock. Born June 6, 1902 in Courtdale, she was the daughter of the late Adam and Cora Loveland. She resided in Noxen all of her life. She was a member of the Noxen United Methodist Church and of their Classmates. Her husband, Winfred preceded her in death. Surviving area daughter, Mrs. Lela Cunningham, Laceyville; son, Derwood Loveland, Bellville; five grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren; nine great-great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews, sister, Mrs. Josie Perye, Luzerne. Interment will be in Chapel Lawn Memorial Park, Dallas.

GEORGE YOUNGBLOOD

George X. Youngblood of Carverton Road, Turcksville died Dec. 15, 1988 in the Sloan-Kettering Memorial Hospital, New York City, following an illness. Born in Wilkes-Barre, he was the son of Tabitha Powell Youngblood of Plymouth and the late George P. Youngblood. He resided in Trucksville for the past four months, previously residing in Lebanon, N.J. and in S. Plainfield, N.J., for many years. Mr. Youngblood was self-employed as an appliance salesman, prior to his illness, and earlier he was employed as parts manager for Sears Roebuck and Company, North Plainfield, N.J. Surviving are his wife, the former Geraldine Puterbaugh; brothers, Leon, Courtdale; Carl and Harold, Kingston; Ronald, Green Castle, Ind.; sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Spencer, Dallas; Mrs. Margaret Cavanaugh, Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Imelda Ryzewski, Courtdale; Sarah Tabitha, Patricia Youngblood, Plymouth, numerous nieces and nephews. Interment was in Memorial Shrine Cemetery, Carverton.

JOHN SCORUPA

John Scorupa, 70, of RD 2, Harveys Lake, died Dec. 13, 1988 in the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, after being stricken ill from an apparent heart attack while deer hunting in Lake Township. Born Feb. 20, 1918, in Plains, he was the son of the late Anthony and Paraska Lukaschat Scorupa. He resided at Harveys Lake for the past 60 years. He was employed as a coal miner for the Glen Alden Coal Company, and was superintendent of highways for PennDOT. Mr. Scorupa owned and operated a farm at Harveys Lake since 1950. He was a member of St. John the Baptist Russian Orthodox Church, Edwardsville; and was also a member of the United Mine Workers Union. He and his wife, the former Elizabeth Warke, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary last July. Mr. Scorupa was preceded in death by a sister, Rose Duda. Surviving in addition to his wife, are sisters, Mary Sisco, Katherine Sisco, Ann Farris, Elizabeth Stefanowicz, all of Wilkes-Barre; several nieces and nephews. Interment was in the Fern Knoll Burial Park.

Aponick student of the month at Wyoming Seminary

John Aponick, a senior at Wyoming Seminary College Preparatory School in Kingston, has been selected Student of the Month for December by the Kingston-Forty Fort Lions Club. A resident of Shavertown, Aponick has attended Wyoming Seminary since nursery school. He is vice-president of the student government and has been president of his class each of his four years at the Upper School. He has been a member of the lacrosse team for two years and

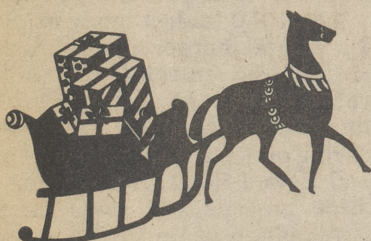
has been a tutor at the YMCA and a volunteer for the school's annual Thanksgiving project. An outstanding student, he has been named to the Dean's List every term while at Wyoming Seminary. He was recently elected into the school's chapter of the Cum Laude Society and earlier in the year he received notification of being named a National Merit commended student. Aponick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Aponick, Jr., Shavertown.



John Aponick

MARGUERITE WEEKS

Marguerite Weeks, 83, of the Meadows Apartments, Lake Street, Dallas, died Dec. 13, 1988 in the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital. Born in Brooklyn, N.J., she was the daughter of the late William J. and Sarah McClean Weeks. She attended the Brooklyn public schools and had resided in Brooklyn most of her life. Prior to moving to Dallas three years ago, she had resided in Whiting, N.J. Prior to retiring, she was employed as a secretary in the insurance business. She was a member of the Lakehurst Presbyterian Church, Lakehurst, N.J. Surviving are nieces and nephews. Interment was in the Cypress Hills Cemetery, Brooklyn, N.Y.



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