## **Obituaries**

## ANDREW DENMON SR.

Andrew R. Denmon Sr., of Dal- Caldwell Consistory, Bloomsburg; las, died Aug. 22, 1989, at home. Born Dec. 6, 1918, in Beaumont, he was the son of the late Daniel and Roxie Wilsey Denmon.

He was formerly employed by the Irem Temple Country Club as a bartender and also by the Fort Durkee Hotel, Wilkes-Barre. For six years, he was the owner of an automotive garage, and for the past 30 years, he was self-employed as a heating specialist.

He and his wife, the former Charlot Monk, celebrated their 48th wedding anniversary in June.

He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Shavertown; the may be made to the Association for George M. Dallas Masonic Lodge; the Blind.

Irem Temple and Daddow-Isaacs American Legion Post 672, Dallas. He was preceded in death by a

son, Delbert. Surviving in addition to his wife, are children, Warren E., Fairfax, Va.; Andrew R. Jr., Dallas; brothers, William, Port St. Lucie, Fla.; Russell, Beaumont; Augustus, Garden City; Wayne, Wilkes-Barre; Edward, Montrose; sister, Mrs. Dorothy Norbut, Pompano Beach, Fla.; three grandchildren.

Interment was in Beaumont Cemetery, Beaumont.

Memorial donations, if desired,

#### JOHN HARCHARIK

John Andrew Harcharik, 83, of Center Hill Road, Dallas, died Aug. 23, 1989 at home following an

son of the late George and Susan Jurs Harcharik.

He moved to the Wyoming Valley at an early age with his parents and was educated in Wilkes-Barre Schools.

Boston Store as a clerk and then by the Frank Clark Jewelry Store for many years before retiring.

He was a member of St. Ther-Born in Girard, Ill., he was the ese's Church, Shavertown.

Surviving are his wife, Lucy Harcharik; brother, George, Wilkes-Barre; sister, Mrs. Anna Curcio, Broomall.

Interment was in Hanover Green Cemetery, Hanover Township.

#### CARL KASCHENBACH

Overbrook Road, RD 2, Dallas, died Aug. 25, 1989, in Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston following a brief illness

Born in Wilkes-Barre on March 4. 1918, he was the son of the late Carl E. and Nellie McGuire Kasch-

He was a 1936 graduate of Kingston High School and a graduate of the Dean's School of Business at Wyoming Seminary.

He has been a resident of the Back Mountain area since 1952.

He was a production supervisor at Woodlawn Farm Dairy, Wilkes-Barre, for 34 years, and most recently he as an employee of Commonwealth Telephone Co., retiring in 1981.

He was one of the founding members and a past president of the Back Mountain Boosters Club.

A World War II veteran, he served as a B-25 pilot in the Army Air Corps from 1942 to 1947. He flew 52 missions in North Africa, Oki-

Carl E. Kaschenbach Jr., 71, of nawa and the Italian Peninsula campaigns. He was awarded the air medal with one silver and four oak leaf clusters and was a retired

colonel of the Air Force Reserve. He was a member of the VFW Anthracite Post in Kingston.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Lois Hangen Kaschenbach, in April 1968; brother, George; sisters, Helen and Miriam.

Surviving are his wife, Elizabeth Galletly Kaschenbach; daughters, Mrs. Robert (Karen) Griffith, Montrose; Mrs. Cynthia Cave, Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Edward (Allison) Maier, Dallas; sons, Carl E. III, Trucksville; Stephen, Sweet Valley; John, Trucksville; Jay Galletly, Elizabethtown; 14 grandchildren.

Interment was in Maple Hill Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Memorial contributions, if desired, may be sent to the American Cancer Society, Wyoming Valley Chapter, 71 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, 18701.

#### LAURA MAY

Laura M. May, 85, of RD 1, Noxen, died Aug. 22, 1989 at home. Born in Williamsport, Jan. 10, 1904, she was the daughter of the late George and Wilheldmina Cook

the last 53 years. She was employed by the Ronox Dress Factory, Noxen, for many years, retiring 22 years ago.

Usmar. She resided in Noxen for

She was a member of St. Luke's Reformation Lutheran Church, Noxen, and its Ladies' Society. She and her husband, Lewis, celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary in July.

Surviving in addition to her husband, are a daughter, Martha Macialek, Noxen; sister, Lillian Blair, Williamsport; three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren.

Interment was in Orcutts Grove Cemetery, Noxen.

# Police report

#### DALLAS TOWNSHIP **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** REPORTED

Dallas Township Patrolman Elliot Ide reported a case of criminal mischief occurred sometime between the night of August 24 and the morning of August 25 on Lake Catalpa Road, Dallas Township. Someone put a hole through the radiator of a 1978 Ford Truck owned by Roger Mitchell.

#### **CABBAGES STOLEN**

Patrolman Elliot Ide was called to Country Club Apartments, Route 309, Dallas, to investigate an incident where someone had removed approximately 50 winter cabbages along the front of the apartment complex. The investigation of the vandalism continuing.

#### He was first employed by the STOLEN SIGNS PLACED AT DALLAS HIGH

Criminal mischief was reported by Dallas Senior High School officials where Patrolman Elliot Ide discovered that someone had stolen real estate for sale signs and placed them all over the school grounds on August 24.

#### SCHOOL VANDALIZED

Patrolman Elliot Ide was called to the former Dallas Township Elementary building, August 26, where it was reported that someone had broken into the gym and knocked over boxes and bottles filled with various fluids. The investigation of the vandalism is continuing.

#### CAR STRIKES MAN ON GOLF CART

Police said Gary Sharpe of Cleveland, Ohio, August 27, was driving south on Route 309 in a 1976 Datsun when Walter Elston, Kunkle, was attempting to cross the highway in a golf cart. Sharpe told Patrolman Elliot Ide that he blew the horn but Elston didn't see him. Sharpe struck the golf cart and Elston was knocked out of the cart. Elston refused medical treatment stating he was not injured.

#### DALLAS BOROUGH

#### **CHARGED WITH** STEALING TIRES

Patrolman James Martin charged Todd William Bebo, 18, Cemetery Road, Hunlock Creek, with theft, criminal attempt, possession of instruments of crime, and receiving stolen property, Friday, August 25 when at approximately 2:54 a.m., Officer Martin saw a black Ford Mustang leaving Gerry G's Used Car Lot in a hurry. An investigation and check of Isaacs area disovered two 1989 GMC Jimmies were jacked up and all the tires removed; also missing were lug nuts from the vehicles. The defendant was arraigned before District Magistrate Earl Gregory and released under \$2500

#### **ITEMS STOLEN** FROM CAR

Dallas Borough Police Officer Dennis B. Dobinick investigated a theft which occurred August 24 reported by Donald Berlew. Berlew reported that someone opened an unlocked door from a vehicle owned by Nabisco Corp. which was parked at the rear of 124 Lehman Avenue, Dallas. Taken from the vehicle was a sport coat, business papers, and rebate checks. Later the coat was found hanging from a nearby tree.

#### **JUVENILES CAUGHT** STEALING BEER

Five or more juveniles were apprehended August 27, at approximately 11:33 p..m., while taking beer from Kern Brothers business place, Dallas Shopping Center, and will be petitioned to juvenile court. Several of the juveniles were involved in previous thefts at Kern Brothers. Patrolman James Martin, Dallas Township, expects more arrests will be made.

#### **BREAK-IN AT DALLAS HARDWARE**

Dallas Borough Police Chief John Fowler investigated a breakin at Dallas Centre Hardware, 42-44 Main St., Dallas, in the early morning of August 22. Someone broke in to the store through a rear door of the building and took \$200 of wrapped coins and a Milwaukee 3/8 cordless drill. They also attempted to break into Carol Eason's Beauty Salon by breaking the door, but were unsuccessful. The investigation is continuing.

#### CAR THEFT CHARGE

Russell C. Robinson, RD 3, Hunlock Creek, 18, August 9, was charged by Patrolman James Martin with theft, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, and criminal conspiracy. Police said Robinson removed a Datsun 310 coupe from the property of Robert Franklin, Lake Catalpa Road, Dallas, by hot wiring the vehicle.

#### **CHARGED WITH SUPPLYING MINORS**

Patrolman James Drury charged Scott Allen Davis, 23, 122 Main St., Dallas, before District Magistrate Earl Gregory with selling or furnishing liquor to minors. Davis is accused of supplying it to two minors, 14 and 15 years of age.

#### KINGSTON TOWNSHIP TWO-CAR CRASH **ON ROUTE 309**

Patrolman Robert Parrish, August 25, investigated a two car accident on Route 309 near McDonald's where Anne Morgan driving a 1985 Buick said she was driving south on Route 309 when a 1978 Ford driven by Margaret Lord

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to go north, and the vehicles col- TWO-CAR ACCIDENT lided. Occupants of both cars received minor injuries and were admitted to Nesbitt Hospital for treatment. Both cars had to be towed from the scene.

#### **FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY CHARGED**

Sgt. James J. Balavage investigated an accident on Carverton Road. August 21, where Susan E. Parsons of Trucksville, driving a 1980 Chrysler struck a 1980 Dodge driven by Joseph J. Banks of Shavertown. Parsons was cited for following too closely.

#### CHARGED FOR BEER POSSESSION AT PARK

Patrolman C.J. Rauschkolb cited Robert R. Ruda, Jr., Ashley, on August 23, for purchase, consumption, possession or transportation of an intoxicating beverage and Carverton Road. Ruda was arraigned before District Magistrate Gregory, Sept. 8.

#### UNDERAGE ALCOHOL **POSSESSION**

Patrolman Robert Weiss cited a juvenile and also Scott Keiren of Shavertown with purchasing, possession, consumption, transportation of a malt liquor brewed beverage. They were also seen getting into a car with a 12-oz. can of Genessee beer. Both were cited by Weiss August 25, for violation of the State Criminal Code and will appear before District Magistrate Earl Gregory.

#### **UNDERAGE ALCOHOL POSSESSION**

Mike Dombek, Kingston, Steve Vassullo and a juvenile were cited August 24 by Patrolman Robert Weiss for violation of the state Criminal Code by purchasing, possession, consumption, transportation of intoxicating beverage and will appear before District Magistrate Earl Gregory.

#### JUVENILES CITED FOR **ALCOHOL POSSESSION**

Eight juveniles were cited by Patrolman Robert J. Weiss, August 25, for the possession, purchasing, consumption and transportation of intoxicating beverages at the Old Ice House, Old Carverton Road, Kingston Township which was raided by Patrolmen C.J., Rauschkolb and Robert Weiss. They will be arraigned before District Magistrate Earl Gre-

#### LAKE TOWNSHIP HIT-RUN ACCIDENT

Lake Twp. Chief John Judge, Jr., investigated an Aug. 5 hit-run accident on property of Frank Naugle, Cemetary Road. Police said a small grev car rounded the corner at a high rate of speed knocking over a group of mail boxes, of Luzerne pulled out of McDonald's then fleeing from the area.

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Police reported an accident occurred Aug. 14 at county road one and 118, when a vehicle driven by Howard John Johnson, St. Johns, Pa. was attempting to turn into Sheldon's Lunch and struck a car operated by James John Johnson, Irving, Calif. James Johnson was cited by Lake Twp. Police for driving without a valid operator's license and driving on the right side of roadway.

#### **DUI CHARGED AFTER** HIGH SPEED CHASE

Lake Township police arrested Anthony Lymych, 34, 322 Parkview Circle, Wilkes-Barre Twp., after a high speed chase which resulted in the Lymych car spinning around 10 times after he failed to round a sharp curve on Rte. 29. Lymych also for consuming and possessing was arrested for DUI and reckless beer at Frances Slocum State Park, endangering. He will be arraigned before District Magistrate Earl

#### **DUI CHARGED**

Lake Township police arrested Wayne Evans, Lakeview Terrace, Harveys Lake, Aug. 10 for operating a vehicle under the influence after they observed him going through a stop sign at a high rate of speed on Rte. 29 and Rte. 118. Evans showed signs of intoxication and was taken to Wilkes-Barre General Hospital for a B.A.C.

#### **CHARGED WITH ENDANGERING CHILD**

Lake Township police arrested John Sufftiff, Harrveys Lake after police were called to investigate a case of possible child abuse. He was charged with simple assault and endangering the welfare of a child and will be arraigned before Magistrate Earl Gregory.

#### **CHARGED WITH ASSAULTING MOTHER**

Lake Township police arrested Ernest M. Backley, RD 2, Box 43-A, Harveys Lake, Aug. 20 for simple assault and recklessly endangering another person after allegedly punching his mother Sylvia Backey about the head and face causing her injury while she was operating her vehicle on Rte. 29 with other members of her family in the vehicle. This caused her to lose control of hervehicle. Charges were filed before District Magistrate Earl Gregory.

### **DUI HEARING**

A preliminary hearing was held on the case of Brian D. Overkott, 2009 E. Lincoln Way, Ambler, Pa. for Driving under the Influence before Magistrate Earl Gregory. Magistrate found prima facia case and forwarded the case to Luzerne County Court.

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