

## Obituaries

### EDWARD FILIPKOWSKI

Edward Filipkowski, 71, of RD 1, Harveys Lake, died Sept. 11, 1990, in Wilkes-Barre General Hospital following an illness.

He was born in Wilkes-Barre, Oct. 18, 1918, a son of the late Walter and Frances Dzedzic Filipkowski. He attended Wilkes-Barre schools. During World War II, he served with the U.S. Navy aboard the U.S.S. Mastic for two years. He was employed by Community Motors, Kingston for 28 years. Mr. Filipkowski was a member of Messiah Primitive Methodist Church, Bear Creek, and served on the board of trustees and as an usher of the church. He was a member of the American Legion Post 199, Parsons.

He and his wife, the former Margaret Evans, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in February, 1990.

He was preceded in death by brothers, Raymond and Leonard Filipkowski.

Surviving in addition to his wife are a daughter, Mrs. William B. (Margaret) Sordoni, Harveys Lake; son, Edward, Stroudsburg; Leonard, Hughesville; sister, Eleanor Motta, Plains; 10 grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Interment was in Mt. Greenwood Cemetery, Trucksville.

### FRANK WYRSCH

Frank A. Wyrsh, 84, of 10 Lawton Ave., Binghamton, N.Y. died Sept. 5, 1990 at Wilson Memorial Hospital, Binghamton. The Wyrsh's, were former residents of Huntsville.

Born in Buochs, Switzerland, he came to the United States in 1924.

He was employed by the Ozalid Company, New York City, moving to Johnson City, N.Y., where the company relocated.

He served with the 515th Army Ordinance in Europe during World War II and also acted as an interpreter.

Following the war he owned and operated Wyrsh Television Service.

He was a member of the Boulevard United Methodist Church, Binghamton, where he served on the board of trustees, the administrative board, and also operated the sound system of the church; the John City Masonic Lodge 970, American Legion Post 758 and the AARP, and was a former member of the Huntsville United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Ruth Hazel Wyrsh; daughter, Shirley Stout, Wilmington, Del., one grandson.

Interment was in Lehman Center Cemetery, Lehman.

### MARY MANISKAS

Mary Maniskas, formerly of Swoyersville, died Saturday, September 15, 1990, in the Mercy Health Care Center, Sheatown.

Born in Edwardsville, she was a member of St. Ann's Church, Luzerne.

Surviving are sons, John, North Carolina; Joseph, Dallas; Richard, Pittston; daughter, Pat Shymanski, Philadelphia; sister, Margaret Boyle, Hollywood, Fla.; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. from the Lehman Funeral Home, 281 Chapel St., Swoyersville, with a Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. in St. Ann's Church, Luzerne.

### JOSEPH P. HALL, JR.

Former area resident Joseph P. Hall, Jr., died Wednesday, August 22, 1990 in Rehobot, Israel, following a brief illness.

A resident of Shavertown for over 20 years, Mr. Hall was born on February 5, 1926 in Staten Island, N.Y. He graduated from Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont in 1948. He received an M.S. from Middlebury in 1950, and attended graduate school at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa. He was former president of Surface Processes, Country Club Road, Dallas, and for the past seven years had worked as a consultant for Savin Corporation, Binghamton, N.Y. and Indigo Ltd., Rehovot, Israel.

He is survived by his wife, the former Margaret H. Van Kootz, Rehovot, Israel, sons, Joseph P. III, Stuttgart, West Germany; Christopher, East Brunswick, N.J., daughters, Margaret Hall-Klimek, Highland Park, N.J.; and Elizabeth, Wilkes-Barre.

Funeral services and interment were conducted abroad. A memorial service will be held in the United States at a date to be determined. The family has asked that memorial contributions be made to the American Lung Association.

### F. EDWARD HUTTER

F. Edward Hutter, 77, of Oak Street, Trucksville died Sept. 11, 1990, in the Wilkes-Barre Mercy Hospital, following a lengthy illness.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., he was a son of the late Fritz and Magdalena Strum Hutter.

He had resided in Trucksville the past four years, previously residing on Oak Street, Forty Fort, for many years.

Mr. Hutter was employed for 25 years as a printer by the Wilkes-Barre Publishing Co., prior to retiring in 1975.

Prior to his illness, he was an active volunteer worker for the American Red Cross.

He was a member of Holy Name of Jesus Church, Swoyersville; the International Typographical Union, and the Back Mountain Kiwanis Club.

His wife, the former Evelyn Morgan, died in November, 1985.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Barbara Sinnott, Lake Township; son, F. Edward Jr., Durham, N.C.; four grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Interment was in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Carverton.

### KURT A. GRAMLICH

Kurt A. Gramlich, Shavertown, died Sept. 11, 1990, in Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston.

He was born in Heidelberg, West Germany, a son of Wilhelm and Lioba Gramlich, of Heidelberg, West Germany. He came to America in 1954 and resided in New Brunswick, N.J. He was graduated from St. Peter's High School, New Brunswick and was a Navy veteran where he did a tour of duty on the U.S.S. Olmstead. He was a former resident of Union, N.J. for 23 years, where he was a member of St. Michael's Church, Knights of Columbus and was involved in the Little League, soccer and Boy Scouts. He was also a member of Elizabeth Sports Club, Union, N.J. He owned and operated meat packing plants in Queens, N.Y. and Wilkes-Barre.

Surviving in addition to his parents, are his wife, the former Amy Librizzi, Shavertown; son, Keith William, and a daughter Kim Suzanne, both at home; sister, Helga Wagner, Heidelberg, West Germany.

Interment was in Union, N.J.

### Ham supper

A baked ham supper will be held September 29, 4:30 to 7 p.m., at the Eastern Star Building, Foster St., Dallas. Cost for adults is \$5.00 and for children ages 6 to 12 years \$2.50.

### Meeting change

The Eastern Star Building Association meeting will be held Thursday, Sept. 20 at the Eastern Star Hall instead of Friday, Sept. 21.

### LL yearbooks in

Danny Williams, Lake-Lehman High School yearbook advisor, announced that the 1989-1990 yearbooks have arrived.

They may be picked up Mondays through Fridays, 2:15 to 3 p.m., in the senior high school lobby.

## Police report

### DALLAS TOWNSHIP CAR STEREO STOLEN, DASHBOARD DAMAGED

Chris Ruth, Dallas Senior High School student, Sept. 7, reported to Dallas Township police that he returned to the school parking lot from a football game at about 11:58 p.m. and discovered that his car had been entered and his stereo radio and equalizer was missing and the car dashboard damaged.

### DIAMOND PENDANT MISSING FROM HOME

Sandra Sprau, Dallas, reported to Dallas Township police that sometime between August 28 and September 7, a diamond pendant valued at \$890 was missing. She told police there was no sign of forced entry nor other items missing.

### JAG HUBCAP TAKEN

Irving Brown, Dallas, reported to Patrolman Wayman Miers that sometime between Sept. 4 and Sept. 5, a hubcap valued at \$30 was removed from his 1982 Jaguar which was parked in his yard.

### \$1000 TOOLS STOLEN

Technician Salvatore R. Della of New Jersey reported Sept. 11 to Dallas Township police that his tool bag with special tools in it was taken from outside Offset Paperback. Della told police that he was leaving the plant through the employee exit and laid down his tool bag while bringing his car from the parking lot. When he returned to the outside of the exit, his bag with the tools valued at \$1,000 was gone. Della is associated with Heidelberg Eastern Inc., New York.

### KINGSTON TOWNSHIP GAS GRILL STOLEN

James Price, 57 Meadowcrest, Trucksville, reported the theft of a gas grill Sept. 11 to Kingston Township police. Price told police that he went out to his back yard and noticed that his gas grill was missing. He asked a neighbor if she had seen it and she said that she had earlier in the day.

### VCR TAKEN FROM

Richard O'Boyle, 6 S. Main St., Shavertown, reported to police that sometime between Sept. 10 and 11, someone entered his residence with a key and removed his VCR valued at \$450. He also gave the police the name of a suspect.

### THREE TOOL BOXES WORTH \$20,000 STOLEN

Robert Grant, Bunker Hill Road, reported to police that sometime between Sept. 1, 4 p.m. and Sept. 2 at noon, a person or persons removed three large tool boxes from his residence which is being remodeled and contractors have been working at his house. Value of the missing items is \$20,000. **DISORDERLY CONDUCT CHARGED**

Stephen M. Kosierkowski, Exeter, was arrested by Kingston Township Police for disorderly conduct, operating a vehicle in a hazardous manner and subjected to a fine of \$85 plus court costs of \$50 for a total of \$135.

# New Lake-Lehman Superintendent of Schools to start in November

By CHARLOT M. DENMON Staff Writer

By unanimous vote, Lake-Lehman School District directors confirmed the appointment of Nancy I. Davis as the new Superintendent of Schools at the Sept. 11 board meeting. Mrs. Davis will assume the position of superintendent Nov. 5, 1990. The job became vacant due to the resignation of Dr. Charles Borchetta effective in July.

Mrs. Davis is presently superintendent of schools in Central Greene School District in Waynesburg, PA. She entered the teaching field in 1965 at the Perry Township School and since that time has served the Central Greene School District as reading specialist, reading supervisor, Chapter I coordinator, Director of curriculum and instruction, Assistant Supervisor and since 1983 as Superintendent of Record at the Greene County Vocational Technical School.

She received her M.A. in education with a concentration in read-

ing from West Virginia University. She also completed all of her course work for the Doctoral degree from West Virginia University in curriculum and instruction and plans to complete the program in the near future.

Mrs. Davis has been actively involved in community activities such as the Greene County United Way, Greene County Community Concert Association, other service organizations, Ten Mile Baptist Association and the Sugar Grove Baptist Church.

Her husband, William, is pastor of the Ten Mile Baptist Church and the Sugar Grove Baptist Church and also a teacher at the Green County Vocational Technical School. He plans to complete his tenure until the end of the school year at which time he will retire and join Mrs. Davis in the Back Mountain. At the same time, he will also retire as pastor of the two churches.

Mrs. Davis was appointed for a three year term at an annual salary of \$65,000 to be pro-rated over

the 1990-91 fiscal year, the same amount former Superintendent Dr. Borchetta would have received if he had remained with the district.

Acting superintendent John Zaleskas reported that the opening of school ran the most smoothly he has ever experienced. He stated that he and Dr. Boston visited all of the schools.

"Transportation also ran smoothly," Zaleskas told the board. "The construction is continuing in the high school and the cafeteria is to be ready Wednesday," he said.

"The parking lot is paved and the band room is tiled and the band members will be able to enter from the gym stage. Construction of the roof will continue through October."

Zaleskas also told the board that 196 students had enrolled for kindergarten and after four more days of posting an additional teacher will have to be hired.

## 911

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Jack Dodson, who is a liaison between the board and area fire and ambulance crews, said that he would contact the departments which are not affiliated with the center and try to get them to become members. "We could sit down and talk with these other companies before going into this. Because this is such a good thing maybe they will want to join," said Dodson.

Lake Silkworth Fire Chief Sev Newberry agreed, saying that the non-affiliated companies who don't take the opportunity to join the communications center will be missing a great opportunity. "If they don't want to join us then they are going to hurt themselves," said Newberry. "The public is being taught to dial 911 when there is an emergency. It's not just being taught around here it is being taught nationwide and once we get it these other companies are going to wish they would have committed themselves," he added.

The phone exchanges that will be included in the 911 system once it is installed will be 674, 675, 696, 639, and 477.

The board could not give a specific date when the system would be installed. They are hoping to have it going within the next few months but say that they are not going to rush things because they want to make sure everything is working perfectly when it is put

into use. "We will do it as soon as it is feasible," said Miers.

For now, area residents should continue to call their present emergency numbers. Dialing 911 at the present time would get an

operator in Altoona or Harrisburg who would have to offer assistance in calling the emergency crew needed. But their unfamiliarity with the local area would likely slow down response.

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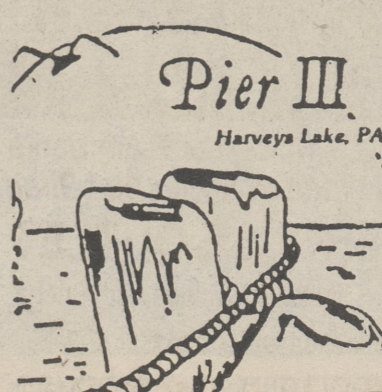
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