Obituaries

THOMAS DUFFY

Thomas J. Duffy, 55, of Mountainview Drive, Lehman, died Nov. 17, 1990, at his home, after a lengthy illness.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, Sept. 30, 1935, he was the son of the late Frank and Florence Stapleton Duffy, He was a graduate of Coughlin High School, Wilkes-Barre. He resided in Lehman for the past 28 years. He was employed by Mary MacIntosh Services for 26 years, recently serving as distribution manager. He was a member of Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas. He was a Third Degree Knight of Columbus, with Council 8224, Dallas.

He was preceded in death by brothers, Robert and George.

Surviving are his wife, the former Shirley Elston; daughters, Mary Beth Tomko, Dallas; Joan Murphy, Wilkes-Barre; sons, Frank, Cleveland, Ohio; Daniel Wilkes-Barre; Thomas, a student at King's College; two grandchildren; sister, Mary, Wilkes-Barre; brothers, John, Wilkes-Barre; Frank, Matewan, N.J.; several nieces and nephews.

Interment will be in Hanover Towsnhip. Memorial donations, if desired, may be made to the St. Joseph's Center Foundation, 2010 Adams Ave., Scranton, 18509.

ESTELLA DIXON

Estella J. Dixon, 96, formerly of Knight Street, Miners Mills section of Wilkes-Barre, died Nov. 18, 1990, in Wyoming Valley Health Care Center, Plains Township.

Born in Beaumont, she was the daughter of the late William and Matilda Lutes Freer. She attended Beaumont schools. She had been employed at Trethaway's Store, Parsons section of Wilkes-Barre, for some time and was a graduate of the Chicago School of Practical Nursing. She had done private duty nursing for many years in the Wilkes-Barre area. She had been a resident of the Miners Mills section of Wilkes-Barre for most of her life. She had been active with the Holy Family Church, Flushing. He Red Cross during World War II. She was a member of Holy Cross Episcopal Church, Wilkes-Barre and had been active in the Guild of the former Calvary Episcopal Church. She had also been an active member of the Ladies Aid Society of the Parsons Primitive Methodist Church, Wilkes-Barre. for many years.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 49 years, John G., in 1974; son, John G., Jr. in 1963.

Surviving are a son, William H., White Haven; daughters, Mrs. Estella J. Bowman, Intercourse; Mrs. Betty Schultz and Mrs. Ridge St., Nanticoke, died Nov. 13, Dorothy R. Wawruch, both of Bear 1990, at Mercy Health Care Cen-Creek Township; 10 grandchildren; ter, Newport Township. 20 great-grandchildren; three

CHRISTINE COCKING

Christine Cocking, 90, formerly of North Main St., Shavertown, died Nov. 17, 1990,k at the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas.

Born in Pringle, she was the daughter of the late James and Elizabeth Henderson Cocking.

She was a graduate of Luzerne High School, Wyoming Seminary, and the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital School of Nursing.

She had lived in Shavertown 56 years before becoming a resident at the Meadows Nursing Center, two years ago.

Before retiring she was employed as a registered nurse in the offices of Drs. Gibby and Katnack.

She was a member of the Bennett Presbyterian Church, Luzerne.

She was preceded in death by sister, Sara Cocking, on Sept. 17, 1987.

Surviving are nieces and nephews.

Interment was in Cedar Crest man. Cemetery, Trucksville.

WILLIAM MILBRODT

William Milbrodt, 58 of Windsor, N.Y., died Nov. 14, 1990, at home.

Born in Dallas, he was a son of the late Chris and Rose Milbrodt.

He was employed as a maintenance mechanic by Fair Play Carmels, Johnson City, N.Y., 32 vears

Surviving are his wife, Flora; son, William; brothers, Emmett, Jim, Leo and Ed; sister, Ruth Milbrodt; two grandchildren.

Interment was in Maple Grove Cemtery, Pikes Creek.

THOMAS PALCHANIS

Thomas W. Palchanis, 81, formerly of Wilkes-Barre, died Oct. 23, 1990 at his home in Flushing, Long Island, N.Y. after a lengthy illness.

He was the son of the late August and Joanne Palchanis. He attended Wilkes-Barre schools, graduating in 1925 from Coughlin High School. He was a member of was employed by B.H. Aircroft Co., Flushing.

Surviving are his wife, the former Eleanore Shupsky; daughter, Andrea Everling, Long Island; son, Thomas Jr., Canaan, N.Y.; three grandsons; sisters, Mrs. Josephine Chepoles and Mrs. Martha Pizano, both of Exeter; Theo Kochan, Paoli, brothers, Joseph, Dallas; Leonard, Glendale, Ariz.

Funeral services and cremation were in Flushing.

STELLA MAJKA

Stella (Mika) Majka, 92, of W.

Born in Nanticoke, she was the

DONALD HANSON

Donald J.E. Hanson, 67, of Lakeside Drive, Harveys Lake, died Nov. 14, 1990, shortly after admission to Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born in Parsons, he was the son of the late John E. and Lillian Linden Hanson. He attended the Kingston and Lake Noxen schools, and had been a resident of Harveys Lake for most of his life. He was the owner and operator of Hanson's Campground and Marina, Harveys Lake. He was a member of the Lutheran Church, Harveys Lake. He was a Merchant Marine veteran of World War II. He was also a member of George M. Dallas Lodge #531, F&A.M.; Caldwell Consistory, Bloomsburg; Irem Temple, Wilkes-Barre; American Legion. He was a past member of the Luzerne County Tourist Promotion Agency; and a former Harveys Lake Borough Council-

Surviving are his wife, the former Shirley Roat; sons, Donald L. Miramar, Fla.; Bruce J. and David A. both of Harveys Lake; daughter, Miss Donna M. Hanson, Harveys Lake; stepson, Correale Stevens, Hazleton; stepmother, Helen Hanson, Harveys Lake; brother, Robert, Dallas; sister, Miss Eleanor Hanson, Troy; six grandchildren.

Interment was in Chapel Lawn Memorial Park, Dallas.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Associaton, or to the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, both in care of Kirby Health Center, 71 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, 18702.

ANTOINETTE **MISHALOSKI**

for the past six months.

1912, she was a daughter of the Swoyersville. late Frank and Antoinette Kadtke Roszkowski.

Outerwear for several years and grandchildren; brothers, George, was last employed by Amils Manufacturing Co., Shickshinny, retir- ersville; sisters, Sr. M. Danielle, ing in 1972.

Church, Mocanaqua, and the Christian Mothers of the Church. Cemetery, Carverton. She was also a member of the Auxiliary of the VFW of Mocanaqua and a former member of the Shickshinny Senior Citizens. She was preceded in death by

her husband, William Mishaloski, July 8, 1951.

She is survived by daughters, Mrs. William (Bernadine) Orloski, Dallas, with whom she resided for the past 18 months; Mrs. William (Joan) O'Leary, Elmhurst, N.Y.; Mrs John Marie Arndt Shickshinny, eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; brother, Walter Roskoski, Clifton, N.J.

JOHN NARDONE

John J. Nardone, of Wilson Street, Pittston, died Nov. 14, 1990, in Wilkes-Barre General Hospital after a long illness.

Born in Yatesville, he was the son of the late Joseph and Mary Rubbico Nardone.

He was a graduate of Jenkins Township High School and the University of Scranton, formerly known as St. Thomas College. He also completed extended studies at the Stroudsburg College.

Mr. Nardone taught school at Yatesville Borough School for a number of years and was last employed by the state Department of Public Assistance for 35 years. He was a veteran of World War II, where he served as an instructor at Indiantown Gap. He was a member of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church and its Holy Name Society. Surviving are his wife, the for-

mer Rita Clapps; sons, John Jr., Jenkins Twp.; Ralph, Wilkes-Barre; daughters, Mrs. John (Rita) Masley, Shavertown; Mary Grace Fiore, Olyphant; brother, Jospeh, Plains Township; sisters, Mrs. Margaret DeLuca, N.J.; Mrs. Elmo (Gloria) Allegrucci, Old Forge, five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by brothers, Frank, Sam, Dominick; sister, Mrs. Angeline Colarusso. Interment was in Mount Olivet

Cemetery, Carverton.

JOSEPH JANKOVIAK

Joseph Jankoviak of Wilson St., Exeter, died Nov. 13, 1990, at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston

Born in Swoyersville, he was the son of the late Anthony and Mary Butchko Jankoviak. He as a Antoinette M. Mishaloski, 78 member of St. John the Baptist Lincoln St., Mocanaqua, died Nov. Church, Exeter, and its Holy Name 16, 1990 in the Nesbitt Memorial Society. Prior to retiring he was Hospital, Kingston, shortly after employed by Celotex Corp., Harbeing admitted. She had been ill ding. He was an Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of Born in Mocanaqua, Feb. 23, the American Legion Post 644,

Surviving are his wife, the former Antoinette Scripkunas; son, She was employed by Luzerne Joseph, Reisterstown, Md.; three Michael and Anthony all of Swoy-Donora; Mary Stainshefski, Swoy-She was a member of St. Mary's ersville, Elizabeth Raker, Dallas. Interment was in Mount Olivet

ANTHONY NAPERKOSKI

12, 1990, at his home. He was born in Wilkes-Barre

Township to the late Peter and Mary Naperkoski.

CARL KUCHEMBA

Carl J. Kuchemba, 76 of34 Poplar St., Plains, died Nov. 17, 1990, at the VA Medical Center in Plains Township after an illness.

Born in Plains, he was the son of the late Adam and Mary Prusch Kuchemba. He was a lifelong resident of Plains. He owned and operated Kuchemba's Service Station, South River Street, Plains for 45 years until his retirement. He was an Army Air Force veteran of World War II, attaining the rank of sergeant. He was a member of St. Peter and Paul Church, Plains, and the Plains American Legion.

He was preceded in death by brothers, John, Stanley, Casimir, Peter and Joseph.

Surviivng in addition to his wife are a daughter, Carolyn Kuchemba; son, Joseph, both from Plains; Lewiston, N.Y.; six grandchildren; brother, Anthony, Shavertown; sister, Mrs. Rose Murray, Plains; four grandchildren.

Interment will be in the parish Lancaster, Calif. cemetery, Plains.

JASON BULMAN

Airman Jason Reese Bulman of Lily Lake, died Nov. 14, 1990, at the Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

Born in Nanticoke, he was the son of John and Jo Ann Noval Bulman. He was a 1989 graduate of Nanticoke Area High School.

Suviving are his father, John, Harveys Lake; mother and stepfather, Joanne and Ronald Raduta, of Lily Lake; brother, Jon, Bethesda, Md.; half-brother, Gene Henry Bulman, Harveys Lake; stepbrother, Abraham Raduta, Nanticoke; maternal grandfather, Edward Novak, Nanticoke; paternal grandparents, Gene and Ruth Bulman, Wilkes-Barre.

Interment was in Nanticoke Cemetery.

Budget

(continued from page 1) panies in the budget.

The Kingston Township Ambumoney from the township next year. The budget calls for an increase of \$4,500 for the association.

Box said that the increases to the emergency companies will only help provide better service for the area. "The budget is a fair representation of the overall needs of the township and it helps provide a level of service that is equal to or better than any other municipality in the county," said Box.

Other large increases in the Anthony J. Naperkoski, 67, of budget will go to the highway Holly Street, Trucksville, died Nov. department and the costs of insur-

THE DALLAS

A graduate of Wilkes-Barre Township High School, he was an Army veteran of World War II.

native of Noxen, he was a former resident of Noxen and Beaumont

CHARLES LORD

area until Sept. 1988. Amember of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Noxen, he is survived by wife, Dorothy E. Lord of Lancaster, Calif. They recently celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Nov. 8, 1990.

Charles F. Lord, 84, died Nov.

15, 1990 in Lancaster, Calif. A

Mr. Lord was a retired auto assembler for General Motors for 25 years and former member of Odd Fellows Lodge and Lions Club. He was preceded in death by

son, Gerry Lord in 1986.

He is survived by his wife; daughter and son-in-law Frances and Frederick Shook, of Lancaster; daughter-in-law, Ann Lord of 12 great-grandchildren; brother Lewis Lord of Noxen.

Survices and burial were held i

JOSEPH LOSH

Joseph A. Losh, 83, of Huntsville Road, Dallas, died Nov. 15, 1990, at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston, shortly after admission.

Born in Larksville, he was the son of the late Joseph and Susan Stefancin Losh. He attended St. Stephen's School, Plymouth, and had resided in Lehman for many years, prior to moving to Dallas 15 years ago. He was a member of the Good Shepherd Polish National Catholic Church, Plymouth.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Anna, in 1969; sister, Catherine Sharisky, in 1983; brother, Michael.

Surviving are a brother, John, Lehman; sisters, Mrs. Helen Gumbravich, Dallas; Mrs. Elizabeth Federowicz, Plymouth.

Interment was in Resurrection of Our Lord Cemtery, Lehman.

ance for employees. Box also noted that the rising

lance Association will also get more cost of gasoline has had an effect on spending. Appropriations for fuel nearly doubled for both the police and road crews.

> The 11 percent increase in spending will be offset by a corresponding rise in revenues, according to Box. Anticipated revenues from building and sewage permits helped keep the tax rates where they are at. The 1991 budget anticipates revenues for building permits to nearly double and also anticipates an increase of \$2,500 in sewage permit fees.

great-great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be Wednes-

Merritt Hughes Home, 451 Main St., Wilkes-Barre.

Greenwood Cemetery, Trucksville. Nanticoke.

WILLIAM HERSH

William E. Hersh, 83, of South Gettysburg Pike, Mechanicsburg, died Nov. 17, 1990, at the Cumberland County Nursing Home in Carlisle.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, he was the son of the late Will and Hattie Brogan Hersh. He attended the Trucksville schools and resided in Dallas most of his life, moving to Mechanicsburg 12 years ago. Before retiring, he was employed as a truck driver by Acme Markets, Forty Fort. While a resident of Dallas he also operated a ceramics business. He was a member of George M. Dallas Lodge 531 F&AM of Dallas, Caldwell Consistory of Bloomsburg.

Surviving are his wife, the for-mer Verna N. Chapman; son, Wil-liam A., Mechanicsburg; sister, Ruth Shaffer, Gap, Pa.; two grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Entombment will be in Memorial Shrine Park, Carverton.

WILLIAM KITCHEN

William Archie Kitchen, of Naples, Fla., formerly of Waldorf, Md., died Nov. 9, at Naples Community Hospital, Naples, Fla.

Born in Mount Zion, he was the son of the late William and Ida Mae Goodrich Kitchen. Before retiring he was employed as a painter and paper hanger. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Loyal Order of Moose, both in Waldorf, Md. and Naples, Fla.

Surviving are his wife, the former Dora Sutton; daughters, Becky L. Zis, Charlotte Hall, Md.; Pamela J. Portzen, White Plains, Md.; Cindy B. Allen, Accokeek, Md.; Linda B. Kitchen, Waldorf, Md.; brothers, Richard, Dallas; Donald, Apache Junction, Ariz.; sister, June Kitchen, Dallas; nine grandchildren.

Burial services will be Nov. 26. in Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Va. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or the American Lung Association.

daughter of the late Simon and Rosalie Kleparek Walowski. She day at 10:30 a.m. from the H. was formerly a cosmetologist and operated her own business in Nanticoke for many years. She was Interment will be in Mount a member of St. Mary's Church,

> She was preeded in death by her first husband, John Robacheski, second husband, John Majka; sisters, M. Norbeta Augusta; Martha Yulakowski, Helen Bezdziecki, Jospehine Misevicz; stepsons, Stanley and Edward Majka.

> Surviving are daughters, Mrs. Frank (Leocadia) Plodwick, Mrs. Walter (Florence) Sadowski, Mrs. John (Isabel) Haydock, all of Nanticoke; Mrs. Stanley (Sylvia) Stevens, Cloister, N.J.; stepchildren, Raymond Majka, Detroit, Mich.; John Majka, Inkster, Micn.; Mrs. Jennie Konopinski, Sweet Valley; Mrs. Helen Adamski, Kunkletown; Mrs. Lillian Lucas, Nanticoke, 39 grandchildren; 53 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren.

> Interment was in the parish cemetery.

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IRENE ENGEL

Irene Engel, 96, of B'nai B'rih Apartments, Wilkes-Barre, died Nov. 17, 1990, at Geisinger Wyoming Valley Hospital.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, daughter of the late Henry and Frances Becker Armbruster, she was a member of St. Nicholas Church, Wilkes-Barre and also its Altar and Rosary Society.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John in 1959; brothers, Leo and Edward Armbruster, and a sister, Mrs. Florence Bauman.

She is survived by sons, John, Wilkes-Barre; Leo, Jacksonville, Fla.; Donald, Kingston; a daughter, Mrs. James (Joan) Richie, Shavertown; 11 grandchildren; two great-grandchikldren.

Interment will be in St. Nicholas Cemetery, Shavertown.

He was formerly employed as a chief mechanic for the Continental Can Corp., a division of U.S. Steel, Passaic, N.J., retiring in 1973.

He had lived in Trucksville since 1954.

Mr. Naperkoski was a member of American Legion Post 672, of Dallas. He was a member of St. Therese's Church, Shavertown and served as its project head for the Back Mountain Senior Citizens of St. Therese's Church.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Joseph.

Surviving are his wife, the for-mer Marie Oblen; daughters, Laura German, Trucksville; Cecelia Boran, Pottsville; two grandsons; sisters, Laura Gelsleichter, Dallas; Stella Palute, Wilkes-Barre Township.

Interment was in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Carverton.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, Kirby Health Center, 71 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701.



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