# Police report

## **Dallas Borough**

#### TWO-CAR ACCIDENT ON LAKE STREET

According to Dallas Borough police, a 1991 Buick Park Avenue operated by Louise Mroczek, 76, of RR 3 Wyoming was involved in an accident with a 1983 Toyota Corolla operated by Donna Shields, 24, of Wilkes-Barre, at the intersection of Lake Street and Route 415 Monday afternoon, May 4. Police said that the Mroczek vehicle pulled out onto Lake Street after stopping at the sign on the ramp connecting Lake Street with Route 415, when it collided with the Shields vehicle, which was turning left onto Lake Street from

Patrolman William Norris investigated the accident.

#### MAN CITED IN BACKUP ACCIDENT

According to Dallas Borough police, a 1983 Chevrolet Blazer operated by Harvey L. Dymond, 44, of RR 5 Tunkhannock was involved in an accident with a 1989 Dodge coupe operated by Marie Troxell, 65, of Dallas. Police said that the Dymond vehicle, which had stopped on Church Street at the traffic light at Route 415, attempted to back up to allow another vehicle to exit the Acme parking lot. The Dymond vehicle backed into the front of the Troxell vehicle, police said. Dymond was cited for improper backing up and limitations on backing, according to the report.

Patrolman Mike Krzywicki investigated the accident.

# **Dallas Township**

#### CHURCH'S SIGN, FLOWER BED DAMAGED

Dallas Township police are investigating an act of trespass by motor vehicle at the East Dallas Methodist Church, reported Monday, May 4. Police said that someone drove a truck-type vehicle across the front yard of the church, destroying a sign and a stone flower bed in the front yard. Police found a muffler, stereo speaker and front

center wheel hub from a trucktype vehicle at the scene.

According to Dallas Township police, Bill R. Suda, 34, of Hilltop Apartments, Edwardsville, was arrested Friday, May 8 and charged with driving while under the influ-

Patrolman Wayman Miers investigated the incident.

#### ARRESTED FOR D.U.I.

Patrolman Doug Higgins investigated the incident.

urday evening after his car struck Olivet Road. Hugh T. Jones III, 48, of Or-

guilty of first degree murder

Monday, May 11, by Luzerne

his life in prison without chance

general charge of homicide before

ship shot to death his former girl-

friend Deborah Van Leuven, 27, of

Lake Ariel, on January 27. Van

Leuven was shot when she ar-

rived his parents' home on Wind-

sor Drive with their 2-year-old

daughter, Stephanie, to honor his

Mundy also found Schwartz

len property for fleeing in Van him.

guilty of theft and receiving sto-

Schwartz will spend the rest of

Schwartz pleaded guilty to the

Schwartz, 29, of Dallas Town-

County Judge Hugh Mundy.

for parole.

Mundy on May 4.

visitation rights.

chard Street, Exeter, was driving south on Mount Olivet Road when for an unknown reason his car left the road and traveled about 50 feet before striking a large tree, police

After hitting the tree, the car Raushkolb.

Exeter man dies in accident An Exeter man was killed in a rolled onto its roof and burst into

Mundy dismissed the recklessly

endangering charge against Schwartz which was filed because

Schwartz allegedly endangered the

child, who witnessed the shoot-

Attorney Peter Paul Olszewski

said he would not seek the death

penalty. Olszewski earlier had

said he would seek the death pen-

alty because the shooting endan-

gered the child, and that when

Schwartz killed Van Leuven, he

murdered a witness who was to

testify at a criminal trial against

After the verdict, District

Schwartz gets life for killing

Stephen G. Schwartz was found Leuven's car with her credit cars

girlfriend.

one vehicle car accident late Sat-Two passing motorists pulled a tree and flipped over on Mount Jones from the 1983 Chevrolet Celebrity and dragged him about 90 feet from the wreck just as the

> car started to burn, police said. Police said Jones was declared dead at the scene by Deputy Coroner Joseph Shaver.

Investigating officers were Ptl. Robert Parrish and Ptl. Charles

# Municipal notes

### Dallas Borough

after the shooting, and also for COUNCIL MEETING - Tuestaking the the handgun used to the day, May 19, 8 p.m. in the borough commit the murder from another

> HEARING ON ZONING ORDI-NANCES - Wednesday, May 20, at 7 p.m. in the borough building.

#### **Dallas Township**

SUPERVISOR MEETING -Tuesday, May 19, at 7 p.m. in the township building.

### Harveys Lake

COUNCIL MEETING - Tuesday, May 19, 7:30 p.m. in the

borough building.
PLANNING COMMISSION Monday, May 18, at 7 p.m.

in the borough building. HASAY AIDE - A member of state Representative George Hasay's office will be at the Har-

Thursday, May 21, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to help residents of the

### Kingston Township

SUPERVISOR MEETING Wednesday, May 13, at 8 p.m in

the township building.
YARD SALE SIGN RULES — The township zoning officer reminds residents that it is illegal to attach garage/yard sale signs to telephone poles or trees. Signs should be attached to stakes and be removed no more than two days after the sale. Violators may be fined up to \$300 or imprisoned for not more than 90 days. For more information call the zoning officer at 696-3809.

#### Lehman Township

SUPERVISOR MEETING

Monday, May 18, 8 p.m. in the veys Lake borough building on municipal building.

#### Dallas Middle School choral concert May 15

The Dallas Middle School Chorus, grades 6, 7 and 8, will present their annual Spring Concert on Friday, May 15, at 7:30 p.m. at the Dallas Middle School.

These talented students will perform an evening of American up tunes, leading the audience on a muscial journey down memory lane as well as including some current hits.

The chorus is directed by Marilyn O'Connell, music teacher.

The public is invited to come and enjoy this evening of musical

### Lehman Twp.

#### CITED FOR DISORDERLY CONDUCT

Louise A. Morton, of RR 1, Harveys Lake, was cited for disorderly conduct April 29 at the Country Crest Trailer Park, police said.

Morton was cited at about 10 a.m. for making unreasonable noise, and using obscene language and gestures, police said.

Investigating officer was Ptl. Howard Kocher.

#### **ILLEGAL CABLE TV** HOOKUP

The Tele-Media Cable Television Company reported April 29 that of her 1992 Nissan NX 1600. someone entered the service room at Oak Apartments and connected Howard Kocher.

Investigating officer was Ptl. Howard Kocher.

tire building.

#### **GLASS DOOR SMASHED**

William Lathrop, of Lake Avenue, Lake Silkworth, reported that someone shot out the glass in his patio door, and also shot out his neighbor's corner window.

Investigating officer was Ptl. John Judge Jr.

**CAR WINDOW SMASHED** Lake-Lehman student Adrienne Casey, of LaSalle Avenue, Shavertown, reported that on April 5 between 8 a.m. and 3:15 p.m. someone smashed the rear deck window

Investigating officer was Ptl.

# cable television service to the en-

Property transfers recorded at the Luzerne County Court House from April 21, 1992 to May 5, 1992. Prices are extrapolated from transfer taxes paid. Many transfers, such as those between family members, are exempt from tax, so no amounts are shown.

Cruz Olivarez to Cathy A. Major, PO Box 629, Benton, property 1) Lehigh Ave., 2) Lehigh Ave., 3) Lehigh Ave., Kingston Twp., \$82,000

Martin D. Bledner to Kurt D. Maas, 14 Pear Tree Lane, Dallas, property Grandview Terrace, Dallas Twp., \$154,000.

American Housing Trust II to Nancy A. Goldston, 30 E. Kismar Ave., Nanticoke, property Kingston Twp., \$21,600.

Anna Moore to Paul P. Moore, RR 1, Box 330, Hunlock Creek, property Rte. 4029, 4.717 ac., Ross

Anna Moore to Donald R. Moore, RR 1, Box 325A, Hunlock Creek, property Rte. 4029, 5.450 ac., Ross Anna Moore to Russell Moore,

17 Ross St., Apt. 50, Wilkes-Barre, property Rte. 4029, 7.331 ac., Ross Edmund J. Wysocki to Edmund

J. Wysocki, RR 3, Box 182, Sutton Creek Rd., Dallas, property 9 ac., 108 per, Franklin Twp. Kathleen Kelly Smith to Daniel

Lazur, RR 1, Box 349C, Harveys Lake, property Birchwood St., Harveys Lake, \$8,000. A. Jay Mott to A. Jay Mott, RR 2,

Box 2060A, Shickshinny, property 4 acres, 152 perches, Ross Twp.

Robert Kern to Robert Kern, 243 Cliffside Ave., Trucksville, property L21, Fairview Ave., L22, Fairview Ave., L 23, Fairview Ave., L24, Fairview Ave., L20, Fairview Ave., L18, Fairview Ave., L19, Fariview Ave., Kingston Twp.

Doris Marion Schooley to Gary Lynn Schooley, RR 2, Box 94B, Harveys Lake, property 1.020 ac., Lake Twp.

#### John C. Thomas to John C. Thomas, 6 Birch Hill Lane, Dallas,

Robert L. Ceravalo, RD 2, Box 345, Dallas, property LR 40064, 23.0126 ac., Lake Twp., \$55,000. Caleb E. Hoyt to Kris Hoyt, RD,

August Frederick Walters IV, to August Frederick Walters IV, 1 Warden St., Dallas, property L25,

Harriet Durbin to Robert H. Kammen, property Shaver Ave., Kingston Twp., \$95,750.

24 Hamilton Rd., Dallas, property Steven L. Davis to Anthony

\$63,000. Jan B. Verbinski to Stevan L. Davis, 17 Marrabee Ave., Dallas,

Boro, \$120,000. Nancy A. Godston to Diomena

Twp., \$21,600. Geraldine Buikus to Geraldine Buikus, 83 W. Union St., King-

Harry Salavantis to John D. Allen, 333 Crane Rd., Shavertown, Crane Rd., Kingston Twp.

Hannigan, 56 Grandview Ave., Dallas, property Grandview Ave., Dallas Twp.

J. O'Donnell Sr., 35 Hill Dr., Franklin Twp., property Franklin Twp.,

# Property transfers

property 2 parcels, Harveys Lake. GMAC Mtg. Federal Natl. Mtg. Assoc., One S. Wacker Dr., Suite 3100, Chicago, Il, property Chase Rd., Jackson Twp., \$83,605.

Guy J. Giordano to Armand A. Mascioli, 3 Marywood Dr., Highpoint Acres, Dallas, property Harveys Lake, \$109,000.

Trucksville, 3 parcels, Sunrise Estates, Kingston Twp.
Estate Bernice J. Shafer to

Shickshinny, property 2.19 ac.,

Belleview, Dallas Twp.

Bruce R. Kerr to Bruce R. Kerr,

Hamilton Rd., Dallas Twp. Cherkauskas, Kingston Twp.,

property Marrabee Ave. Dallas

Minichello, 201 Montgomery Ave., W. Pittston, property Kingston

ston, property Second St., Harveys Lake.

Jane Ann Yocum to John A.

Richard J. Ceselsky to Joseph

### Fred R. Wisnewski to Gary M. Hutsko, 17 Huntsville Rd., Shavertown, property L4 Happy Acres

\$30,000.

Adelaide Kline to R. Arnold Garinger, RD 3, Box 209, Harveys Lake, property L111, 113, Maple Knoll, Harveys Lake, \$6,325.

Farm. 3.03 acs., Lake Twp.

Fred R. Wisnewski to Douglas Alfred L. Tamanini to Twp. of B. Haney, RR 2, Box 267, Dallas, Kingston, 11 Carverton Rd., property 2.87 ac., Lake Twp., property 2.87 ac., Lake Twp.,

> Paul J. Klug to Ronald M. Skanderson, 14 Mapleseed Dr., Dallas, property Maple Dr., Dallas Twp., \$303,195. Arlene L. Lohman to Michael S.

> Panzetta, RR 3, Box 169-5, Sutton Creek Rd., Dallas, property Twp. Rte. 782, 1.893 ac., Franklin Twp.,

> Susan E. Moosic to Thomas M. Horn, 47 W. Ridge St., Shavertown, property W. Ridge St., Jackson Twp., \$88,500.

Susquehanna Investors Ltd., to Brian K. Gardner, 69 W. Mount Airy Rd., Shavertown, property Poplar St., Dallas Twp., \$9,000.

Helen Lavis Allen to David E. Long, 763 Mercer Ave., Kingston, property Ross Twp., \$1,500. John E. Morris III to Drew E.

Fitch Jr., Upper Demunds Road, Dallas, property Sedler Rd., Dallas Twp., \$172,000. John G. Emig to John H. Barber, RD 4, Box 547, Maple Dr., Dallas, property Maple Ave.,

Martin L. Conway to Martin L. Conway, 26 Division St., Shavertown, property 26 Division St., Kingston Twp.

Lehman Twp., \$89,000.

Ralph W. Wysocki to Michael J. Drovese, 1248 Bennett Dr., Old Forge, property 2 parcels, More oe

Ave., Dallas, \$112,000. Anthony Garbush to Ralph W. Wysocki, 50 Monroe Ave., Dallas, property L60, Meadowcrest Mar,

Jackson Twp., \$22,500.

# Kingston Twp.

TRAFFIC SLOWED

#### AFTER ACCIDENT Traffic was slowed after a pickup truck struck a power pole next to

309 May 8, police said. Jeffrey Thomas Hosle, Harveys Lake, was driving south on Route 309 when he lost control of his vehicle just south of the

the southbound lanes of Route

Hosle told police that his truck hydro-planed, jumping the curb, striking a power pole, and coming

intersection with Church Road.

to rest after hitting a vacant home. There were no injuries in the accident, but traffic was slowed as the right southbound lane was closed to traffic until 3 a.m. May 9, police said.

Investigating officer was Ptl. Robert Weiss.

# CITED AFTER CRASH

Chris Jones, 23, of Spruce Street, Mountaintop, was cited for not driving at a safe speed after a two car crash on Route 309 at Church Road, Friday, May 8, po-

Jones was driving south on Route 309 when his 1987 Buick struck a 1988 Ford Taurus driven by Colleen Keating, of Kidder Street, Wilkes-Barre, police said.

Keating told police that she was waiting in the turning lane to make a left-hand turn onto Church Road and saw Jones's vehicle several hundred feet away. Keating said she felt she had enough time to cross the road, and that she was all the way across the highway when her car was struck, police said.

Jones said that he applied his brakes, but his car hydro-planned on the wet road.

Investigating officer was Ptl. Robert Weiss.

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