

Police reports

Dallas Township

CAR HITS BRIDGE ON LOWER DEMUNDS RD.

According to Dallas Township police, a 1983 Saab operated by John J. Kasmark, 19, of RR 1 Dallas was involved in a one-vehicle accident Thursday, August 13, shortly after 11:30 p.m. on Lower Demunds Road. Police said that the Kasmark vehicle was traveling north on Lower Demunds Road near the East Dallas Church when it crossed into the southbound lane, striking a bridge abutment. Kasmark stated to police that he fell asleep at the wheel, according to the report. The car sustained moderate damage and was towed from the scene, police said. Patrolmen Elliot Ide and Robert Jolley investigated the accident.

MAILBOXES RUN OVER

According to Dallas Township police, Louise Nulton, 34, of RR 2 Harveys Lake reported Monday, August 17, that three mailboxes had been destroyed by a vehicle running over them. Police also found that five newspaper delivery boxes had been destroyed in the same manner. Patrolman Wayman Miers investigated the incident.

Dallas Borough

THREE ARRESTED FOR THEFT FROM DRUG STORE

According to Dallas Borough police, Nichole Marie Roberts, 22, of Kingston, Raymond Charles Martin, 17, of Kingston and James Youngblood, 31, of Wilkes-Barre were arrested and charged with retail theft and conspiracy. Police said that the trio removed \$179.90 of feminine hygiene products which they did not pay for from the Rite-Aid drug store at the Dallas Village Shopping Center. When police apprehended them at the Country Club Shopping Center, officers found two large garbage bags full of more feminine hygiene products, home pregnancy tests and over-the-counter medications in their car, according to the report. The three suspects were arraigned before District Magistrate Hopkins and lodged in the Luzerne County Prison in lieu of \$10,000 bail apiece. Police said that Youngblood also had a detainer placed against him by the Ashley police because of an additional outstanding warrant. Further charges are pending against the trio, police said.

Patrolman Russell Devens, assisted by Dallas Township patrolmen Doug Higgins and Brian Feeney, investigated the incident.

ARRESTED FOR D.U.I.

According to Dallas Borough police, Benjamin Rowland Jones IV, 25, of Lake Harmony, was arrested Thursday, August 13, and charged with driving while under the influence. The charges stemmed from an incident in which police observed Jones driving erratically on Lake Street. After performing poorly on three field sobriety tests, Jones refused to take a blood alcohol test at Wilkes-Barre General Hospital, police said. Jones was also cited for driving a vehicle without a registration card and driving under a suspended operator's license, police said.

Patrolman William Norris investigated the incident.

MAN ARRESTED WITH STOLEN BANK CARD

According to Dallas Borough police, Edward Jenkins, 22, of RR 1 Sweet Valley was arrested Tuesday, August 11 and charged with theft by unlawful taking. Police said that Jenkins used a stolen Merchants Bank MAC card to obtain \$50 from a Back Mountain cash machine. Police were alerted by the Pennsylvania State Police Wyoming Barracks that the card, reported missing by Samuel Kittle III of RR 1 Sweet Valley, was being used.

Patrolman William Norris investigated the incident.

Lehman Township

MAN HOSPITALIZED AFTER MOTORCYCLE ACCIDENT ON HUNTSVILLE-IDETOWN ROAD

Larry Dauksis of Elmcrest, Dallas, was involved in a one motorcycle accident on the Huntsville-Idetown Road, Sunday, August 16, at about 3 p.m.

Dauksis was listed in critical condition at Scranton Community Medical Center, police said.

The accident is still under investigation by Ptl. Benjamin Bigus.

CHARGED WITH VIOLATING PROTECTION FROM ABUSE ORDER

Klaus Paugsch, of Harveys Lake, was charged with violating a protection from abuse order August 11, police said.

According to police reports, Mary Ann Paugsch reported August 5 that she was asleep that evening and was awakened by being punched by Klaus Paugsch. Mary Anne Paugsch also reported that at about 11 p.m. August 4, Klaus Paugsch entered her home, snatched the telephone away from her and yelled at her, police reports said.

Kingston Township

CITED FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL VIOLATION

Edward L. Copechal III, 21, of Wysox, was cited for a traffic light violation after a two vehicle accident at the intersection of Route 309 and Church Road August 14, police said.

Copechal was driving his 1985 Subaru south on Route 309 at about noon when the car impacted with a truck driven by Robert Thomas Sayre, of Hunlock Creek, police said.

Copechal said that the light had turned yellow as he drove through the intersection, but Sayre, and two other witnesses, said that Church Road had the green light.

Investigating officer was Ptl. James F. Drury from Dallas Borough.

MAN INJURED AFTER ONE VEHICLE ACCIDENT

John Monaco Pasquale, 21, of Sweet Valley, was treated for injuries at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital after the pickup truck he was driving flipped over on Route 309 August 14, police said.

Pasquale was driving north on Route 309 at about 11 a.m. and was attempting to pass a tractor trailer when he lost control of his 1981 Toyota pickup truck, police said. The pickup truck flipped onto its side.

Investigation showed that the truck's body had been lifted 3 inches. The right rear body block that goes under the body had broken away, allowing the back corner to drop down and pulling the steering from its assembly. The truck was left with no steering, police said.

Investigating officer was Ptl. Walter Davis.



Craft shop opens

Debra James, owner of Old Mill Crafts, shows off some of the shop's country crafts and collectibles. Located in the back section of McCrory's in Shavertown, the shop recently held a ribbon-cutting and grand opening. (Post Photo/Grace R. Dove)

The Post offers special student subscriptions

The Dallas Post is offering special subscriptions for students who are going away to school. The subscriptions run for nine months and can begin anytime between August 15 and September 15.

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Property transfers

Property transfers recorded at the Luzerne County Court House from July 30, 1992 to August 6, 1992. Prices are extrapolated from transfer taxes paid.

Beulah S. Rothstein to John M. Treven, 23 Circle Dr., Dallas, property L26, College Manor, Dallas Twp., \$142,268.

Antony P. English to Ronald J. Ulitchney, 205 Terrace Ave., Trucksville, property 2 parcels, Terrace Ave., Kingston Twp., \$62,000.

Pondco Inc. to Pondco, 968 Murray St., Forty Fort, property 2 parcels, Dallas Twp., \$67,140.

Gerald L. Wagner to John Bucha, Box 240B, RD 2, Dallas, property Follies Rd., Jackson Twp., \$60,000.

Pond Panel Inc. to Bonnie S. Greenberg, 215 Hillside, Newberry Estates, Dallas, property Unit 215, Bldg. D, Hillside Condominium, Dallas Boro, \$145,000.

Harveys Lake Post 967 Home Assoc. to Charles L. Carpenter, 30 Hillside St., Wilkes-Barre, property Annabelle Ave., Harveys Lake, \$2,500.

D & J Wesley Const. Co. Inc. to Stanley J. Buckley, Jr. 518 N. Penna. Ave., Wilkes-Barre, prop-

erty Rte. T522, 1.22 ac., Ross Twp., \$6,900.

Maryrose Galenty to Anthony V. Ruggere Jr., 113 Center Hill Rd., Dallas, property Center Hill Rd., Dallas Twp., \$40,000.

Lydia Owens to Billy W. Middlebrooks, RR 1, Box 1204, Mooretown Rd., Lake Twp., property Lake Twp., \$120,000.

John D. Wilgricki to Daniel A. Nackley, 25 Rice Court, Dallas, property Rice Court, Dallas Twp., \$153,900.

Russell J. Hoover to Kristijan Medis, 146 Woodbine Rd., Kingston Twp., property 2 parcels, Kingston Twp., \$122,000.

Charles Sharkus to Darwin Messenger, RR 1, Box 164, Sweet Valley, property 2.09 ac., Ross Twp., \$80,000.

John Sorbers, to Robert S. Hiller, Box 111, RD 6, Dallas, property L6,7,8, Glenview Terrace, Dallas Twp., \$1,800.

Lee Sorbers, to Robert S. Hiller, Box 111, RD, 6, Dallas, property L30, 32, 28, Glenview Terrace, Dallas Twp., \$1,800.

Richard J. James to Lisa Francine Montague, RD 2, Box 2386, Mt. View Dr., Dallas, property Lehman Twp., \$75,000

Dallas Boro makes final changes to new zoning

By GRACE R. DOVE
Post Staff

Dallas Borough Council made final changes to a proposed zoning law at a special meeting Wednesday, August 12.

Part of the original area zoned R-3 (high-density housing with multiple-family units), comprising all of Rice Street, Franklin Street to Hedge Ave. and lots on Huntsville Road between Rice and Davenport Streets, was rezoned R-2 (medium-density housing.)

Several properties along Route 415 near Noon's, zoned residential under the new ordinance, will keep their present zoning of business.

Side yard setbacks for R-2 (medium-density housing) were changed from 7-1/2 feet to ten feet.

The following permit fees were adopted:

- New residential buildings and uses: \$2 per \$1,000 of estimated construction cost, not to exceed \$600.

- Residential additions or structural changes: \$2 per \$1,000 of estimated construction cost.

- New agricultural, commercial and industrial buildings: \$2 per

\$1,000 of estimated construction cost, not to exceed \$1,500.

- Additions to agricultural, commercial and industrial buildings: \$3 per \$1,000 of estimated construction cost.

- Certificates of zoning compliance: \$10.

- Permanent signs: \$2 per square foot.

- Temporary signs: \$10.

- Political signs: \$35, refundable when the signs have been removed.

Other application fees included:

- Appeal to Zoning Hearing Board for variances and special exceptions: \$150 plus stenographer's fee.

- Appeal to council for conditional use (excluding planned residential development): \$150.

- Final approval of planned residential development: \$250.

- Amendment to zoning text or map: \$150.

- Landowner curative amendment: \$500.

According to Council president Don Cooper, the ordinance must go to urban planner Marlene Pawlowski to have corrections inserted, then to the attorney for review before council can adopt it.

Back Mountain Briefs

Sweet Valley Fire Aux. flea market Sept. 5

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Sweet Valley Vol. Fire Co. will host a Flea Market and Ice Cream Social on Saturday, Sept. 5, at the Fire House, Main Road, Sweet Valley. Doors will open 9 a.m. Hot dogs, hamburgs, homemade cakes, pies will also be available.

To reserve a flea market table call Betty Strachan, 256-7859 or Alice Walsh, 477-5239.

Fall Fair arts and crafts deadline is Aug. 22

The deadline for entering Arts and Crafts in the Luzerne County Fall Fair, is Saturday, Aug. 22.

Premium Gudes are still available at area locations, including The Dallas Post. Call 675-FAIR for more information.

Municipal notes

Lehman Township

ZONING HEARING BOARD — Meeting Monday, August 24, at 7 p.m.
PLANNING COMMISSION — Meeting Monday, August 24, at 8 p.m.

Dallas School District

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