

FUND-RAISER - Wyoming Historical and Geological Society's auction committee members are from left, Henry Johnson, Lillian Thalenfeld, Richard Stanislaus, Society President Frank B. Burnside, Jr.; Barbara Zeimer, Joan Bigelow and Attorney Stephen B. Killian.

Wyoming Historical and Geological Society to hold its 16th annual auction August 7

The Wyoming Historical & Geological Society will hold its 16th Annual Auction on Saturday, August 7, at the Swetland Homestead on Wyoming Avenue in Wyoming.

The event, which features donated antiques, new items, collectibles, a flea market and baked goods, will begin with inspection at 10 a.m. and the Auc-

Irem Women meet

Irem Women's Auxiliary will have its Thursday, July 15 luncheon at Irem Temple Country Club.

The luncheon is open to mem-

bers and friends. Chairman is Mrs. Stephen

Kondrak and Mrs. Elmer Laskowski is co-chairman. Invitations, Mrs. Kirtland Walp. Others on committee are: Mrs.

Ronald Dietrich, Mrs. Harry Lux, Mrs. Donald Reakes, Mrs. Robert Seeley, Mrs. Clinton Smith, Mrs. James Rendle and Miss Janet

Reservations are to be made by noon Monday, July 18 with the following: Mrs. Betty Frith, Mrs. Robert Edwards, Mrs. Kenneth Moore, Mrs. Atherton Clifford. Mrs. Charles D. Metcalf Jr. is

general chairman and Mrs. Pierce Newhart, is co-chairman of all summer luncheons.

Mrs. Fred Ruger is president of the auxiliary.



JEANNE WILLIAMS

Williams retires from Offset

Jeanne Williams of Dallas recently retired from Offset Paperback Mfrs., Inc.

Jeanne worked in OPM's Bindery Department as a Bindery Assistant for over 11 years.

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tion at 11 a.m. Local auctioneers, Chuck Tedrow and Jim Lewis, will once again donate their talents for the day. Hillside ice cream and the Item Stewards will be available for refreshments.

Individuals wishing to donate items for the Auction may make arrangements by contacting the office at 823-6244. Pick up for large items is available.

The Auction is the major fund raiser for the Society, which is one of the nation's oldest historical societies. It maintains the Bishop Library as a resource center of local history, a Museum with 15,000 aritfacts documenting the history of Luzerne County, and the Swetland Homestead - site of the annual auction and a historic house mirroring the growth ofthe Wyoming Valley since 1797.



NEW TELEVISIONS - Accepting the check for new TV sets are, from left are Steven Bjelich, Dallas, executive director; Jan Gunster, Dallas, Auxiliary president; Sylvia Hudacek, Plymouth, Auxiliary

.W-B General Hospital Auxiliary donates TV sets

General Hospital campus of Wyoming Valley Health Care System, Inc. recently donated \$200,000 which is being used to replace televisions in patient rooms throughout the hospital.

The new eight-inch personal televisions feature an expanded

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Auxiliary President Jan Gunster and Treasurer Sylvia Hudacek presented a check to Wyoming Valley Health Care System Executive Director Steven Bjelich at the Auxiliary's general membership

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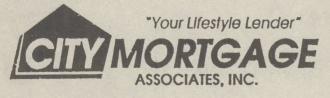
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Celebrate 25th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Myron M. Pitcavage, 70 E. Center Street, Shavertown celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on July 6, 1993. They were married on July 6, 1968 in St. John Nepomocene Church, Luzerne by the Rev. Reginald Krakosky, O.F.M., uncle of

Pitcavage is the son of the late Joseph and Stella Pitcavage of Kingston. He is employed as a Biology teacher at West Side Area Vocational Technical High School, Pringle.

Mrs. Pitcavage is the former Mary Therese Koval, daughter of the late Michael and Anna Koval of Swoyersville. She is employed as a Mathematics teacher at Wyoming Seminary Upper School, King-

The couple have three children, Heather, Shavertown; Mrs. Norman (Holly) Frederick, Pittston, and Myron, Shavertown.

A Mass of Thanksgiving was offered at Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas on Monday, July 5 and a family dinner was held to mark the

Hiram Wilson reunion July 18

The Annual Hiram Wilson reunion will be held Sunday, July 18 at Knoebel's Amusement Park, Elysburg, Pavillion G. The meeting will be

Red Cross needs volunteers

The Wyoming Valley Chapter, American Red Cross is making an appeal for volunteers to work at the N.E. PA Regional Blood Center on Fridays, beginning July 16, 1993.

Volunteers serve in a variety of positions, such as: registration of donors, escorting donors, serving refreshments and nursing. The collection hours are scheduled from 12 noon to 4 p.m. with volunteers reporting at the center one half hour prior to the collection hours.

Eight to 10 volunteers are needed each Friday. If you or your group is interested in supporting this important and necessary volunteer service to the community, call the Office of Volunteers, 823-7161, ext. 25 for further information.

Religious services

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH - 196 N. Main St., Shavertown. 675-3859. Pastor Harold R. Baer, Jr. Worship, 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month. Visitors welcome.

DALLAS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - 4 Parsonage St., Dallas. 675-0122. Rev. Michael A. Bealla, Pastor. Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.

SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown. 675-3616. Pastors, Rev. James A. Wert, Rev. Harriet L. Santos. Music Director, Rosento E. Santos. SATURDAY: 5:30 p.m., Chapel Service. SUNDAY: 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Worship Services. Visitors expected. Sunday study classes, 9:45 a.m. PHONE-A-PRAYER

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from Offset Paperback Mfrs., Inc. Mr. Randazzo worked in the Prep Department at OPM since

December 1, 1976. Lou was an Offset Platemaker at OPM.

Prior to Offset Paperback, Lou worked at Nelson Manufacturing Company in Wyoming, Pa.

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