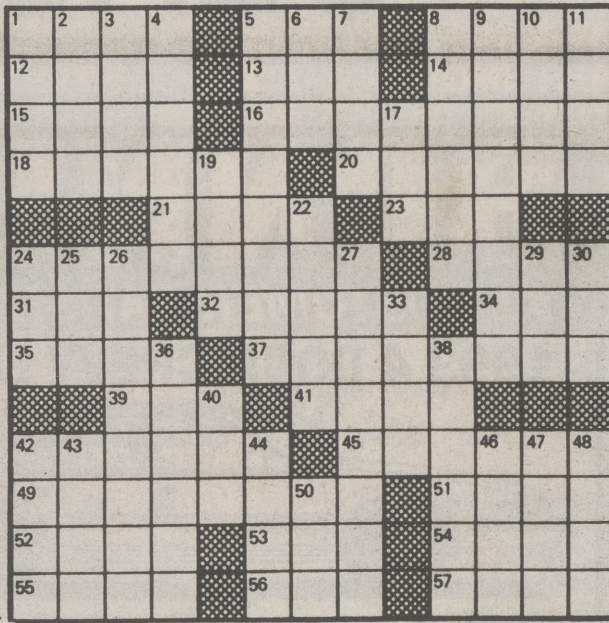
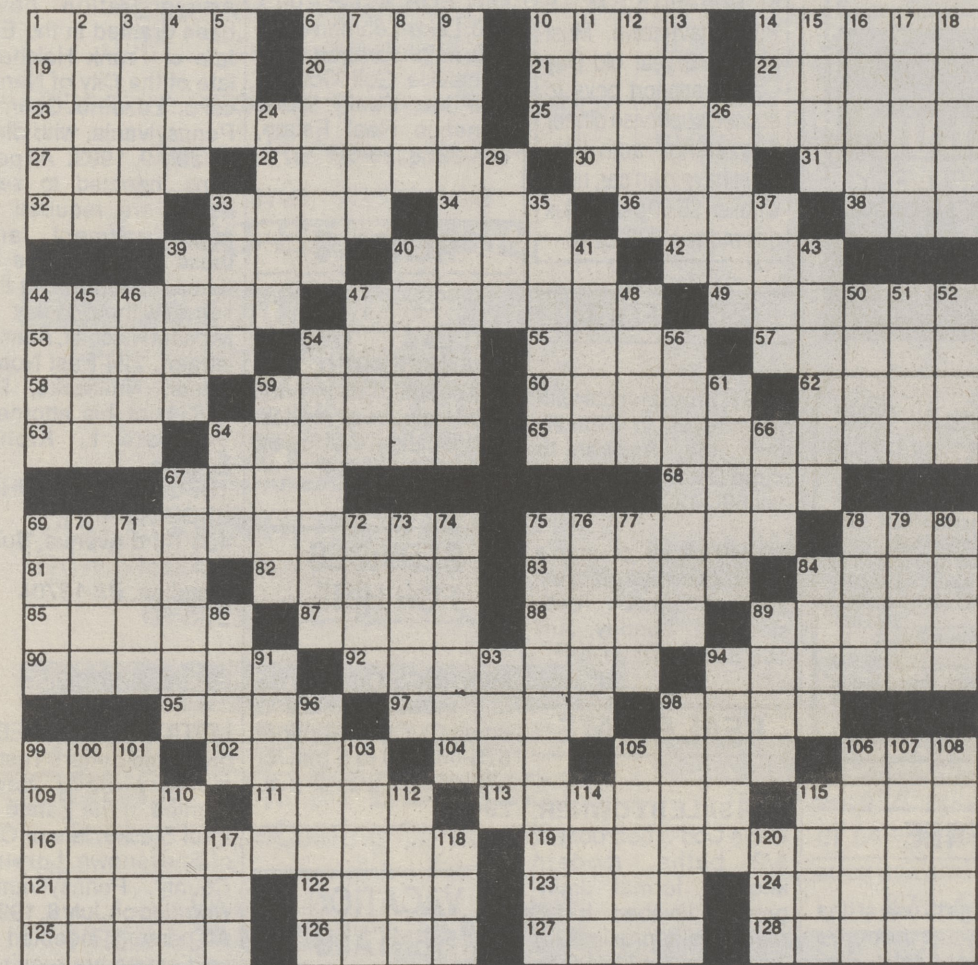


CROSSWORD CORNER

- ACROSS**
- 1 Author of "The Divine Comedy"
 - 6 Indecent talk
 - 10 Playwright Connelly
 - 14 Gruel of maize meal
 - 19 Part of T.S.E.
 - 20 "To — His Dulcinea"
 - 21 Inland sea of Asia
 - 22 Jeopardy
 - 23 Novel by Danielle Steel
 - 25 Shirley MacLaine opus
 - 27 Logan or Fitzgerald
 - 28 Spanish seaport
 - 30 High tableland
 - 31 Gray wolf
 - 32 Actor/dancer Bolger
 - 33 It might be red
 - 34 Goddess of harvests
 - 36 Heights of India
 - 38 Women's org.
 - 39 John O'Hara's "A — to Live"
 - 40 Spain's — del Sol
 - 42 Noted
- DOWN**
- 44 Money, in Mexico
 - 47 Organized
 - 49 He wrote "Berlin Diary"
 - 53 Word before suit or shop
 - 54 Sketch
 - 55 Epochal
 - 57 — Culp
 - 58 Dozes off
 - 59 Lariat
 - 60 Made public
 - 62 Nipa palm
 - 63 Chemical suffix
 - 64 Of greater height
 - 65 He wrote "On Wings of Eagles"
 - 67 Desert in Asia
 - 68 "On Your —" (musical)
 - 69 She created Heidi
 - 75 Rachel Carson's "Silent —"
 - 78 Little boy
 - 81 Actor Ray
 - 82 "The — and Daniel Webster"
 - 83 House or field follower
 - 84 Diva's forte
 - 85 Zepplin's cousin
 - 87 Actress
- Moreno**
- 88 Gal Fri.?
 - 89 Elmore Leonard novel
 - 90 Glossy fabric
 - 92 Young hare
 - 94 Peace of mind
 - 95 Plod
 - 97 Splinter groups
 - 98 Calligrapher's supply
 - 99 Fri. follower
 - 102 In good condition
 - 104 Adage
 - 105 Enamelled metalware
 - 106 Aries
 - 109 Caesar's fatal date
 - 111 Bar or house follower
 - 113 Easy to manage
 - 115 Soccer great
 - 116 Belonging to the author of "Red Storm Rising"
 - 119 Book by John Naisbitt
 - 121 Hungarian national hero
 - 122 Source of the Blue Nile
 - 123 "East of —"
 - 124 Made of cereal grass
 - 125 Donna and Robert
- 126 Outbuilding**
- 127 Dweeb's pal
 - 128 Cara of "Fame"
- DOWN**
- 1 Yield with courtesy
 - 2 Bird's "thumb"
 - 3 Willy follower
 - 4 Weight of abbr.
 - 5 Catchall
 - 6 Mexican abbr.
 - 7 Twin crystal
 - 8 Cal. campus
 - 9 Book by Studs Terkel
 - 10 Chinese leader
 - 11 Jack-in-the-pulpit, for one
 - 12 Appraises
 - 13 Sign in shop window
 - 14 Psych. org.
 - 15 Swiss archer
 - 16 Celestial hunter
 - 17 West Indies dance
 - 18 It's before grease or room
 - 24 Adult insect stage
 - 26 One of the nostrils
 - 29 Church part
 - 33 Mountain lake
 - 35 "Silver —"
- (1976 movie)**
- 37 District of London
 - 39 Classic cars
 - 40 Packing case
 - 41 Eagle's home
 - 43 Competitors
 - 44 Frank Herbert novel
 - 45 Privy to
 - 46 Nest of pheasants
 - 47 Evangelist Roberts
 - 48 Mend socks
 - 50 Plexus
 - 51 French state
 - 52 Engrossed
 - 54 Distribute the mail
 - 56 Radical or liberal
 - 59 Fanatical in opinions
 - 61 "Lorna —"
 - 64 High, craggy hill
 - 66 Stage of a journey
 - 67 Folklore creatures
 - 69 Pokes
 - 70 Spicy stew
 - 71 Access to a mine
 - 72 Wicked
 - 73 Religious ceremonies
 - 74 Dudes
 - 75 Judy Blume novel
 - 76 Works as a
- model**
- 77 Reddish-brown color
 - 78 Peter, Paul and Mary, e.g.
 - 79 River islands
 - 80 Bewilder
 - 84 Heidi's home
 - 86 Pound heavily
 - 89 Hackman of Hollywood
 - 91 — Rae
 - 93 Habitat plant form
 - 94 Lease again
 - 96 San Francisco team
 - 98 James Michener novel
 - 99 Hindu guitar
 - 100 Worship
 - 101 Arizona city
 - 103 Hebrew prophet
 - 105 Detroit player
 - 106 French security
 - 107 Priscilla's husband
 - 108 Middle, in law
 - 110 Atlantic fish
 - 112 Unit of force
 - 114 Yield
 - 115 Pome fruit
 - 117 Brit. noble-men
 - 118 "The Ballad of the — Cafe"
 - 120 French king



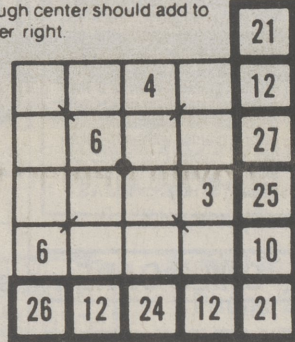
- ACROSS**
- 1. Word before drum or clef
 - 5. Swab
 - 8. Church area
 - 12. Venezuela
 - 13. "Chances —"
 - 14. "One — Over the Cuckoo's Nest"
 - 15. Close at hand
 - 16. Hot-rod contest
 - 18. Truman —
 - 20. Fairy tale creatures
 - 21. Seizes
 - 23. — picker (fussy one)
 - 24. Coerces
 - 28. Smear
 - 31. Up in the — (not set)
 - 32. Roofing material
 - 34. Author Leviv
 - 35. Gym pads
 - 37. Small sea fish
 - 39. Give — try
 - 41. Catch-all phrase
- DOWN**
- 1. Judge's bench
 - 2. It's before code or rug
 - 3. Daytime TV fare
 - 4. Dorothy Lamour's trademark
 - 5. Dared
 - 6. Hockey's Bobby
 - 7. Wampum
 - 8. Terrified
 - 9. Tropical banana
 - 10. Religious group
 - 11. Female sheep
 - 17. Cotton machine
 - 19. New Mexican resort
 - 22. Kind of drum
 - 24. Water barrier
 - 25. Narrow inlet
 - 26. Primitive tool
 - 27. Laws
 - 29. Scotch chemist
 - 30. Halloween flier
 - 33. Actor Richard
 - 36. Degrees
 - 38. Friend of Roland
 - 40. Ubiquitous sloths of puzzledom
 - 42. Egyptian skink
 - 43. Material from which glass is made
 - 44. Zoo sound
 - 46. Fork's prong
 - 47. Serf
 - 48. Zoo favorite
 - 50. Rubber tree



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TEST # 5 Organics (decay matter/sulphur)

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Obituaries

WILBUR T. HOYT SR.

Wilbur T. Hoyt Sr., 86, of Hillside Road, Shavertown, died Aug. 2, 1993 at the Leader West Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, Kingston.

Born in Kingston, he was the son of the late Charles B. and Daisy Fitzgerald Hoyt. He was a graduate of Kingston High School and Bloomsburg State College.

He was an Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of St. Nicholas Church, Wilkes-Barre and a member of its Holy Name Society.

He was employed for 40 years at Union Paper and Supply, Wilkes-Barre, and was later employed for 10 years at Hillside Farms Greenhouse, Shavertown, retiring in 1982. He was a member of Teamsters Local 401.

He was preceded in death by his wife, the former Gertrude R. Rider, on January 1993.

He is survived by sons, Charles F. Hoyt, with whom he resided; and Will Hoyt Jr., Weehawken, NJ; daughters, Mrs. Leo (Rosalie) Anthony, Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. George (Lois) Murphy, Clinton and Mrs. Trudy Nevolas, Shavertown; sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Hadsel, Fresno, Calif.; Mrs. Gertrude Mulcahy, Las Vegas; 13 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions, if desired, may be made to St. Nicholas Church.

JOHN GOSART

John S. Gosart, 80, of East Overbrook Avenue, Shavertown, died Aug. 3, 1993 at home.

Born in Luzerne, he was the son of the late Fred and Johanna Kliehline Gosart.

He was an Army veteran of World War II. He was formerly employed as a coal miner by the Glen Alden Coal Co., and also by Dallas Township Police and the Dallas Township Road Department.

He later worked as a prison guard in the Luzerne County Prison, retiring in the late 1970s.

He lived in Shavertown and Fern Brook for most of his life. He was formerly active in politics in Dallas Township. He was a former member of the Harveys Lake and Dallas American Legions.

He was preceded in death by a son, John S., Jr.; sisters, Amelia Garrahan, Mary Kloran, Mae Williams, Caroline Wilson and Bertha Nice.

Surviving are his wife, the former Betty Creglow; sons, Robert, Falls; Frederick J., Harrisburg; Albert E., Mesa, Ariz.; James L., Shavertown; daughters, Mrs. Carl (Lorraine) Gordon, Pikes Creek; Mrs. Daniel (Debbie) Kolojechick, Swoyersville; 10 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; sisters, Mrs. John (Faith) Tregan, Luzerne.

Interment, Chapel Lawn Memorial Park, Dallas.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Red Cross or to the Dallas Ambulance Association.

ROBERT SPEARS

Robert W. Spears, 78, of Carverton Road, Trucksville, died Aug. 5, 1993 at Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center, Plains Township.

Born in Forty Fort, he was the son of the late William and Florence Culver Spears. He was a resident of Trucksville since 1971 and previously resided in Forty Fort.

Prior to retirement in 1971, he was employed by the former American Chain and Cable Company of Wilkes-Barre.

He was a member of Forty Fort Presbyterian Church. He was also a member of George M. Dallas Lodge 531, F&AM; the Shekinah Royal Arch Chapter 182, Wilkes-Barre; Dieu Le Veut Commandry 45, Knights Templar of Wilkes-Barre and Irem Temple, Wilkes-Barre.

He was preceded in death by his wife, the former Jean Petcavage.

Surviving are a son, Robert P., Stewartsville, NJ; daughters, Mrs. Jean Bonieski, Ringoes, NJ; Mrs. Peggy S. Bryce, Strasburg; brothers, Russell, Pocono Summit; Arthur, Dallas; William, Edison, NJ; sisters, Mrs. Arline Klaipts, Forty Fort; Mrs. Grace Makes, Waverly, five grandchildren.

Interment, Fern Knoll Burial Park, Dallas.

ROGER MITCHELL

Roger J. Mitchell, 56, of Kunkle, died Aug. 5, 1993 at home.

Born in Dallas, he was the son of the late Dewey and Georgia Roberts Mitchell.

A resident of Kunkle for most of his life, he served in the Army during the Vietnam War. He worked road construction until he became disabled.

He was preceded in death by brothers, Charles, Robert and Richard.

Surviving are his wife, the former Wilda Lamoreux; sister, Carol Jean Hilbert, Kunkle; several half-brothers and half-sisters in Virginia; several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services were held Sunday in the Kunkle United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Keith Benjamin, pastor, officiating.

DOROTHY SPONSELLER

Dorothy Mae Sponseller, 70, of Follies Road, Jackson Township, died Aug. 6, 1993 in the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born in Jenkins Township, she was the daughter of the late Idris and Luella Ackerman Roberts. She lived in Jackson Township for most of her life, where she was a member of Huntsville United Methodist Church and its Womens Auxiliary.

She was a 1940 graduate of Forty Fort High School and was last employed by K-Mart.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William R.; brothers, Arthur, William and Milford; sister, Gladys. Surviving are sons, William Jr., Bloomsburg; Gary, Antioch, Calif.; Dale, Columbus, Ohio; Thomas, Huntsville; seven grandchildren; sisters, Mrs. Margaret Klukoske, Kingston; Mrs. Luella Long, Lodi, NJ; Mrs. June Hayes, Vestal, NY; several nieces and nephews.

Interment, Chapel Lawn Memorial Park, Dallas.

ESSIE WANDEL

Essie M. Wandel, 71, of RR 1, Noxen (Stull), died Aug. 6, 1993 in the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born in Harveys Lake, she was a daughter of the late Claude and Grace Brown Sorber. She lived in Noxen for most of her life.

She was employed by the Ann-Will Garment Co., Kingston and the Noxen Dress Factory for many years, retiring 10 years ago. She was a member of the Independent Bible Church, Noxen.

She and her husband, Walter E., celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary in March.

She was preceded in death by an infant daughter, Linda; brothers, Hiram, Robert and Phillip; sisters, Lamona Wolfe and Ferne Smith.

In addition to her husband, surviving are sons, S. Ray, Harveys Lake; Elton, Lehman; Mark, Dover; daughters, Mrs. Jerry (Jeanette) Tallent, Powell, Tenn.; Mrs. Donald (Priscilla) Hayner, Spring Hill, Fla.; brother, James, Lehman; sisters, Ione Burnell, Harveys Lake; Betty Moore, Lehman; Margaret Freeman, Beaumont; Guida McGuire, Chandler, Ariz.; 12 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren.

Interment, Kocher Cemetery, Ruggles.

Memorial donations can be made to the Independent Bible Church of Noxen, P.O. Box 11, Noxen, PA 18636.

MARGUERITE DeVINCENTIS

Marguerite DeVincentis, 78, of East Beverly Glenn, Village Lane, Norcross, Ga., formerly of Trucksville died Aug. 8, 1993 at home.

Born in Kingston, she was the daughter of the late Harry and Susie Isaac Davis. She was a graduate of Kingston High School.

She was employed by the former Helen K. Salzburg Candy Co., Wilkes-Barre for several years.

She was a member of the Trucksville United Methodist Church and was a Cub Scout den mother for several years.

She resided in Trucksville from 1950 to 1987 when she moved to Norcross following the death of her husband, Eugene R. DeVincentis. She was also preceded in death by a brother, Jonathan Davis.

Surviving are sons, Ronald L. DeVincentis, Norcross; Keith A. DeVincentis, San Diego, Calif.; sister, Mrs. Ann Parry, Lumberton, NJ; grandson, Michael DeVincentis, San Diego, Calif.

Funeral will be 11 a.m. Thursday from the Merritt Hughes Funeral Home, 451 N. Main St., Wilkes-Barre, with the Rev. H. James Shillabeer, retired United Methodist minister officiating.

Interment will be in Hanover Green Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Friends may call 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

Memorial donations may be made to the Trucksville United Methodist Church, Church Road, Trucksville, 18708.

STEVEN HARRIS

Steven Patrick Harris, 3, of Davenport Street, Dallas, died Aug. 8, 1993 from injuries sustained in an automobile accident near Beaumont.

Born in Kingston, he was the son of Kenneth L. and Sandra Traver Harris, Dallas.

Surviving in addition to his parents are a sister, Amanda Marie, at home; paternal grandparents, Donald and Florence Harris Sr., Noxen; maternal grandmother, Lois Traver, Dallas; maternal grandfather, Corey Traver, Noxen; maternal step-grandmother, Connie Traver, Noxen; paternal great-grandmother, Liva Harris, Dallas.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday from the Richard H. Disque Funeral Home, 672 Memorial Hwy., Dallas, with the Rev. Thomas McAvoy, pastor of the Independent Bible Church, Noxen officiating.

Interment will be in Chapel Lawn Memorial Park, Dallas.

Friends may call Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. until time of services.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Ronald McDonald House, 332 Wheeler Ave., Scranton, 18510.