

DR. ALENISE GRABENSTETTER

Dr. Alenise Grabenstetter to wed John D. Miller

Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Grabenstetter of Dallas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Alenise,

Dr. Grabenstetter is a graduate of Dallas High School and Wilkes University with a bachelor of science degree in biology, and of Temple University School of Dentistry with a D.M.D. She is a

dentist practicing in the Philadelphia area. Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller of Cherry Hill, NJ. He is a graduate of Cherry Hill East High School and Gettysburg College, where he earned a bachelor of arts degree in business. He is a mortgage banker with Bank of America in Malvern, Pa.

The couple will celebrate their marriage on September 14 in St. Therese's Church in Shavertown.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

BACK MOUNTAIN HARVEST ASSEMBLY - 340 Carverton Rd., Trucksville. 696-1128. Pastor, Daniel S. Miller. Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Wed., 7 p.m., "Out of Bounds" youth service. Midweek home groups; call for days and times. Weekday prayer 6:30-7:30 a.m. 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. Douglas and Janet Bryant Clark. Music Dir., John Vaida. SATURDAY: 5:30 p.m., Chapel Service; SUNDAY: 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Worship Services. Visitors expected. PHONE-A-PRAYER 675-4666.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH - 196 N. Main St., Shavertown. Summer Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.; Cry Room and Nursery available. Rev. Robert K. Bohm, Interim Pastor. Phone 675-3859. Everyone



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KENNETH JAY OBERST AND JUDITH ANN GILLIGAN

Judith Ann Gilligan to wed Kenneth Jay Oberst

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Oberst of Shavertown announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their son, Kenneth Jay, to Judith Ann Gilligan, daughter of the late James F. and Marita E.

Miss Gilligan is a graduate of West Side Area Vocational-Technical School and is currently pursuing a child development degree at Luzerne County Community College. She is employed by Capital Blue Cross in Wilkes-Barre.

Oberst is a graduate of Dallas Area High School and received degrees from Pennsylvania State University and Luzerne County Community College. He is a master plumber and owner of Ken Oberst Plumbing, Heating and Water Systems.

The wedding will take place on September 6, 1996 in the Shavertown United Methodist Church.

County fair books available

The premium books listing categories and prizes for the Open Class and 4-H Arts & Crafts, livestock, horses and small animal competitions are now available for the 1996 Luzerne County Fair. More than \$15,000 in premiums and ribbons will be awarded to county residents.

Premiums books and extra exhibitor forms are available at the fair office, located on Rte. 118, Dallas, Back Mountain Servi-Star. Shavertown, and in Dallas at Commonwealth Telephone Company. Rte. 309 Service Center (3rd Bldg.); Sue Hand Imagery, Main Street: Hilbert's, The Tractor Store, Memorial Highway; Back Mountain Memorial Library, Huntsville Road; Parker Fuel Company, Fernbrook; Harveys Lake: Drury's

Deli * Restaurant, Sunset; Kingston: Hillman's, Wyoming

Entry registration deadline for small animals is August 9. The livestock, 4-H horses-ponies and fun show is Aguust 16, open class arts & crafts is August 17, open class horses and 4-Harts & crafts. is August 23.

The 1996 Luzerne County Fair is scheduled for September 4 through 8. This year the fair is offering a Pay-One Price admission which will include anyone over the age of 18 months. The \$5 admission includes unlimited S&S Amusement Rides, parking, gate entrnce, entertainment, shows, exhibits, a petting zoo and more for a day of good old-fashioned

Bassano enters Pre-Teen scholarship competition

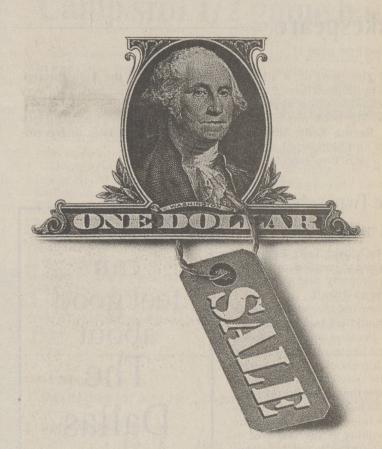
Maria Bassano, daughter of Theodore and Bonnie Bassano of Dallas, has been selected as a finalist in the 1996 Pre-Teen Pennsylvania Scholarship and Recognition Program, a by-invitation only event selecting young ladies ages 7-12 based on a combination of academic achievements, community service, creative talents and leadership abilities.

This year's program will be held on July 26-28 at the Holiday Inn East in Harrisburg, and will award over \$5,000 in educational bonds, prizes and awards to qualifying participants.

Bassano is being sponsored in the Pre-Teen Pennsylvania Scholarship and Recognition Program by J.L. Vido Productions, Johnson City, NY and her many friends



MARIA BASSANO



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