

**OBITUARIES**

**A. DeWITT SMITH**

A. DeWitt Smith, 75, of Newberry Estate, Dallas, and Naples, FL, died Jan. 10, 1997, at the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, he was the son of the late Col. Ernest and Marjorie Harvey Smith.

He graduated from Wyoming Seminary in 1938. He attended Williams College and graduated from Lafayette College, Easton, where he played football and captained the swimming and golf teams.

He served as a captain with the U.S. Army during World War II in Africa and Italy.

He was the former president of the Wilkes-Barre Publishing Co.

He resided in the Back Mountain most of his life.

He was a member of the board of directors of the Wyoming Valley Motor Club; the board of directors and executive committee of the Economic Development Council of Northeastern Pennsylvania; the Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce; the Wilkes-Barre Advisory Board of Northeastern Bank.

He was president of Area Industrial Development, Inc., and a former chairman of the Luzerne County Tourist Promotion Agency, the Labor/Management Citizens' Committee.

**ANNA AUSTIN**

Anna M. Austin, 88, of Harveys Lake, died Jan. 27, 1997, at the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born in Old Forge, she was the daughter of the late Ernest and Ida Brown Felter.

She was employed by the former Pomoroy's Department Store, Wilkes-Barre, for many years.

She lived at Harveys Lake for the past 30 years.

She was a member of Ruggles United Methodist Church, Lake Township. She also volunteered at the American Red Cross and Meadows Nursing Center, for 10 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, C. Kenneth Austin and a sister, Arrena Reese.

Surviving are a son, Charles S., Harveys Lake; a daughter, Marjorie A. Smith, Yardley; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; a nephew and several nieces.

Funeral services will be Thursday at 10 a.m. from the Curtis L. Swanson Funeral Home Inc., Intermont will be in Denison Cemetery, Swoyersville.

Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

Memorial donations may be made to the Ruggles United Methodist Church, R.R. 1, Box 196, Noxen 18636.

**PEARL GROSS**

Pearl R. Gross, 88, of Sweet Valley, died Jan. 21, 1997, at the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born Nov. 13, 1908 in Ricketts, she was the daughter of the late Edward and Stina Speary Eckhart.

She resided in Sweet Valley for the last 65 years and was a member of the Sweet Valley Community Bible Church.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Glenn Eckhart; sisters, Madge and Freda Eckhart.

Surviving are her husband of 65 years, George Gross; sons, Donald, Sweet Valley; Glenn, Emlenton; Robert, Canandaigua, NY; a daughter, Nancy Sabalusi, Sweet Valley; a brother, Harold Eckhart, Buffalo, NY; a sister, Carolyn Kurfees, Annapolis, MD; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

Interment, Mossville Cemetery, Fairmount Township.

Memorial donations may be made to the Sweet Valley Community Bible Church, PO Box 97, Sweet Valley, 18656.

**ESTELLE STORZ**

Estelle E. Storz, of West Mount Airy Road, Shavertown, Kingston Township, died Jan. 24, 1997, at her home.

Born Aug. 13, 1927, in Queens, NY, she was the daughter of the late William and Stella Sparks Christiansen.

She graduated from Queens schools in 1945 and owned and operated Sock-O Cleaning Service in Shavertown with her husband, Philip.

She participated in bowling leagues throughout the Wyoming Valley.

She was a member of St. Therese's Church, Shavertown.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Lyddia in 1963.

Surviving are her husband of 26 years, Philip J.; a daughter, Mrs. Allen (Amy) Fink, San Antonio, TX; sons, William Muench, Larksville; John Muench, Nanticoke, 12 grandchildren.

Interment, Mount Olivet Cemetery, Carverton, Kingston Township.

He was a volunteer for the United Way of Wyoming Valley, serving as its general campaign chairman in 1968-69. He was on the Board of Directors, Executive Committee, and served a term as the United Way of Wyoming Valley president.

He was a former member of the United Community Funds and Councils of America, National Budget and Communication Committee.

He was also a member of the Masonic Order, the Westmoreland Club, Wilkes-Barre; Quail Creek County Club, Naples, FL; Prince of Peace Episcopal Church, Dallas.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Lois Gray.

Surviving are his wife of 48 years, the former Barbara Wiener; a daughter, Cynthia B. Smith, Newburyport, MA; sons, A. DeWitt, Jr., Lantana, FL; Ernest G. II, Scituate, MA; a granddaughter, Kayla Gray Smith, Scituate, MA; a brother, Harrison H., Key Biscayne, FL.

Interment, Fern Knoll Burial Park, Dallas.

Memorial donations may be made to the United Way of Wyoming Valley, 9 E. Market St., Wilkes-Barre, 18701 or the charity of the donor's choice.

**SCOTT ROSS**

Scott L. Ross, 86, of Binghamton, NY, and formerly of East Dallas, died Jan. 24, 1997, at his home.

Born in East Dallas, he was the son of the late Ira and Emma Ross.

Prior to his retirement, he was employed by I.B.M.

He was a member of Fairview Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife of 61 years, the former Agnes Harding; a son, George, Vestal, NY; daughters, Sharon Ross and Mrs. Don (Linda) Coulthart, both of Pleasanton, CA; Joanne Biggs and Mrs. David (Donna) Russin, both of Binghamton, NY; eight grandchildren; and a sister Mrs. Tom (Ruth) Cox.

Private funeral services will be held at the Frank L. DeMunn Funeral Home, Binghamton, NY.

**ISABELLA SUDOL**

Isabella Hudak Sudol, formerly of Dallas, died Jan. 8, 1997, at her home in Howell, NJ.

Born Nov. 2, 1923, she was the daughter of the late Anthony and Mary Lopuchovsky Hudak.

She graduated from Dallas Township High School.

Prior to her retirement in 1985 she was employed by Foodarama Super Market Co., Brick Township, NJ.

She was a life member of the Deborah Hospital Foundation. She also was a communicant of St. Mary of the Lake Church, Lakewood, NJ.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clemens in 1996; brothers, Joseph and Anthony; and sisters, Victoria, Marie, Anna and Josephine.

Surviving are sons, Clemens Jr., Deerfield Beach, FL; Bart, at home; a daughter, Mia, East Brunswick, NJ; brothers, John and Alfred, both of Dallas; David, Neshanic Station, NJ; a sister, Rose Salansky, Harveys Lake; and several nieces and nephews.

Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery, Toms River, NJ.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that George Bone Construction Company, 98 New Street, Pittston, Pa. 18640 is making application to the Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Mining and Reclamation, Pottsville District Office, for renewal of an Anthracite Bank Removal and Reclamation Surface Mining Permit, to discharge treated surface runoff to the Susquehanna River from an operation located in Hughtestown Borough, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania. The current permit 40910202, was issued on 2/11/91 and will expire on 2/11/97. This renewal does not contain revisions to the existing operation. The Permit Area is more specifically located as follows:  
Beginning at the intersection of the northerly right-of-way line of Parsonage Street (S.R. 2032) and the easterly right-of-way line of New Street. Thence along the easterly right-of-way of New Street North 27 degrees West a distance of 200 feet more or less, thence North 64 degrees East 300 feet more or less, thence North 30 degrees East a distance of 130 feet more or less, thence South 78 degrees West 50 feet more or less, thence North 12 degrees West 170 feet more or less, thence North 10 degrees East 80 feet more or less, thence North 78 degrees East 245 feet more or less, thence North 30 degrees East 190 feet more or less, thence North 78 degrees East 300 feet more or less, thence, south 12 degrees East 400 feet more or less, thence, South 60 degrees East 140 feet more or less, thence South 55 degrees West a distance of 150 feet more or less, thence South 83 degrees West a distance of 310 feet more or less, thence South 5 degrees East a distance of 100 feet more or less to the northerly right-of-way line of Parsonage Street (S.R. 2032), thence along the northerly right-of-way line of Parsonage Street (S.R. 2032) in a southwesterly direction a distance of 621 feet more or less to the place of beginning containing 10.9 acres of land more or less.  
This permit area is located on the USGS 7.5 minute Pittston Quadrangle Sheet, North 15 1/4 inches and West 3 1/2 inches as measured from the lower right hand corner of the quadrangle sheet. This application is made under the Department of Environmental Resources, Title 25, Chapter 86, Section 86.32 and 86.34. A copy of the renewal application and plans will be available for public inspection and copying at the Department of Environmental Protection Pottsville Office, 5 W. Laurel Blvd. Pottsville, PA 17901.  
Written comments, objections, and requests for informal conferences may be submitted to Mr. Roger Hornberger Jr., District Mining Manager, at the above address, up to and including 30 days following the last publication of this ad which will be March 14, 1997.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters Testamentary have been granted in the Estate of John Romanchick, late of the Borough of Pringle, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, who died on December 18, 1996. All persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay to Ronald S. Romanchick, Executor, 26 Paritch Street, Edison, New Jersey 08817, or his Attorney, Theodore L. Krohn, Esquire, THEODORE L. KROHN, ESQUIRE 400 Third Avenue, Suite 201 Kingston, Pa 18704  
**LEGAL NOTICE**  
The Dallas Township Zoning Hearing Board will hold a public meeting February 10, 1997 at 7:00 P.M. in the Dallas Township Municipal Building to hear the following appeal:  
Raymond Schultz Jr., 157 Heather Highlands, Pittston, PA for a Variance from Articles 6.231 and 6.232 (Trailers Prohibited) of the Dallas Township Zoning Ordinance. Property is located 48-49-47 Washington Street Maplewood Heights and is zoned S-1.  
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Leonard Kozick Zoning Officer

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