

back-to-school routine, facing the prospect of a day at home without television and video games. "Our biggest problem is finding things to do so we don't get more bored than we already are," said Lauren Patton, a Dallas High School student who planned to pass the hours reading and playing board games.

Many youngsters spent the day after Floyd surveying their neighborhoods for signs of the storm's path. "We were exploring in the woods along this path we usually take and we found a pond that wasn't there yesterday," said Carla Nave, who used a twig to measure the water's depth. "I guess we did get a lot of rain."

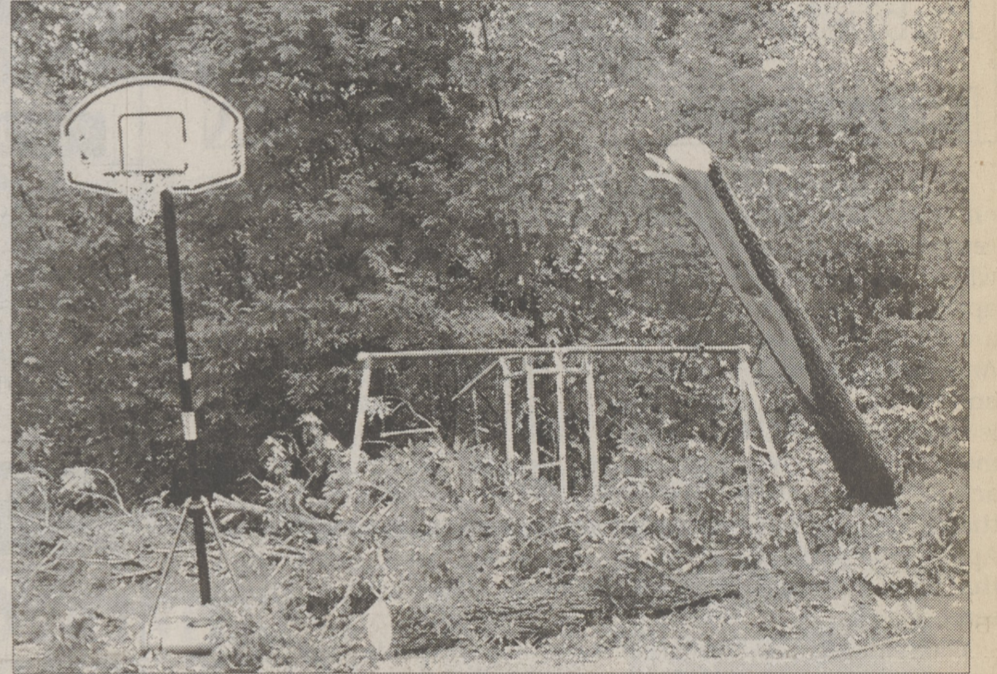


Hillside Rd. was closed well into Friday because of a tree that fell across the road and was hit by a car and a truck. First the tree fell down across Hillside Rd. Then the car at right couldn't stop in time and ran into it. Finally, the pickup truck rammed the tree, driving it up and over the car. Fortunately, no one was seriously hurt.

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Donald Bossart of Susquehanna Ave., Dallas, surveyed the huge pine tree that fell across his roof. (Left photo.) After punching three holes in the roof and knocking off the chimney, the tree broke and a piece fell onto the neighbor's car, breaking the windshield. In photo at right, fallen trees covered the swing set in Garry and Kate Taoli's backyard at Haddonfield Hills.



BIRTHS

- PARMELEE**, David and Toni Jo, Shavertown, a son, Sept. 9.
- BERNSTEIN**, Brent and Michele, Shavertown, a son, Sept. 9.
- MEEHAN**, Michael and Kelly, Harveys Lake, a daughter, Sept. 10.
- WEST**, Daniel and Nicole, Shavertown, a son, Sept. 12.
- WACLAWSKI**, Jean and Harry DAURNHEIM, Dallas, a son, Sept. 14.

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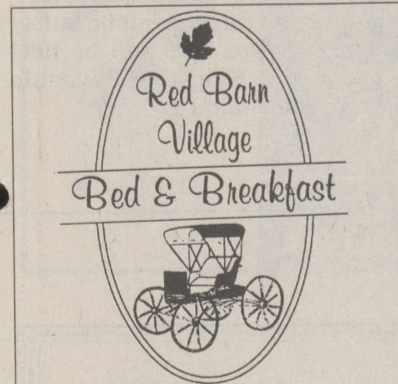
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