



Tuzinski honored for service

Superintendent Ben Varner announces recognition of Mr. Frank Tuzinski, who has served the citizens of Pennsylvania for twenty-five years within the Department of Corrections. Frank Tuzinski began his career at SCI-Dallas in 1975 as a vocational teacher. The next seven years were spent as a labor foreman, and for the last seventeen years he has worked as a factory foreman for Correctional Industries. He was a Union representative for ASCME for fifteen years and was on the institution's Safety Committee for fifteen years. Tuzinski lives in Shavertown. Pictured from left: Deputy Stachelek; Joe Holchak, C.I. Supervisor; Frank Tuzinski, Miles Appleton, C.I. Manager.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

The following property transfers were recorded at the Luzerne County Courthouse for the week of September 8-14, 2000.

Elizabeth M.W. Stanley, trustee, to Robert L. Brown, 135 Orchard East, Dallas Boro., \$120,000
Ernest Kubereit, et ux, to Edwards J. Osmulski, et ux, Lot 101, 01A, 02 Fairview, Dallas Twp., \$110,000
Thomas S. Czerniakowski, et ux, to Michael A. Liuzzi, Jr., 2 parcels, Harveys Lake Boro., \$355,000
Wyoming Ave. Corporation, to Kaye-Eaton Real Estate partners, 6 parcels, Harveys

Lake Bor., \$325,000
Eleanor Coolbaugh estate, to Louis J. Mastrini, see deed, Jackson Twp., \$1,000
Nikki Noel Allen, to Igor Rybakovsky, et ux, Lot 75 Midway Manor, \$103,000
Mary Rita Sherman, estate, to Timothy Hillman, 2 parcels, Kingston Twp., \$84,000
Katherine M. Facey, to Step-By-Step, Inc., 2.19 acres Lot 2, Lehman Twp., \$135,000
Jessie H. Wielage, to Frederick S. Vaneltine, 16.944 acres Lot 1, Lehman Twp., \$160,968
Richard L. Bobby, Living Trust, to Steven A. Morelli, et al, Lot 58, 59 Cease Terrace, Lehman Twp., \$30,000

OBITUARIES

JOSEPH MANOWIECKI

Joseph R. Manowiecki, 85, formerly of Florida and Elmwood Park, N.J., died Tuesday, September 12, 2000, at Wayne Woodlands Manor, Waymart, where he was a guest.
Born in Passaic, N.J., he was a son of the late Frank and Valeria (Slotwinka) Manowiecki. He was a life member of Saints Peter and Paul Polish National Catholic Church, Passaic.
He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Helen (Derlega) Manowiecki; brothers, William Malone and Stanley; and an infant sister.
Surviving are his daughter, Evelyn Tomasovic, Dallas; son, Kenneth, Vernon, N.J.; nieces and nephews.
Interment, East Ridgeland Cemetery.
Memorial donations may be made to King's College, c/o Development Office, 133 N. River St., Wilkes-Barre, 18711.

CATHERINE DURIS

Catherine (Baglioni) Duris, 76, of Dallas, formerly of Luzerne, died Monday, September 18, 2000, at the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.
Born in Luzerne, she was a daughter of the late Marsilio and Clara (Fox) Baglioni. She was a member of Bennett Presbyterian Church, Luzerne, a Sunday school teacher and was active with the choir.
Surviving are her husband, John J. Sr.; sons, John J. Jr., Shavertown; and James J., Sweet Valley; daughter, Sandra Lettie, Wyoming; nine grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, four great-great-grandchildren; sisters, Alma Rakich, Benton; Albina Lord, Wilkes-Barre; and Louise Rakich, Elmira, N.Y.
Interment, Chapel Lawn Memorial Park, Dallas.
Memorial donations may be made to Bennett Presbyterian Church, Luzerne.

SIMON BERNOSKY

Simon J. Bernosky, of Harding, died Thursday, September 14, 2000, at Hospice Community Care, Mercy Hospital, Wilkes-Barre.
Born Aug. 4, 1925, in Hughtestown, he was a son of the late Simon and Eva (Paulikitis) Bernosky. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Church of Holy Redeemer and Holy Name Society, Advisory Council Salvation Army. He was a president of Northeastern Pennsylvania Athletic Directors Association, State Steering Committee and Pennsylvania State Athletic Directors Association.
He was preceded in death by his brothers, Joseph Barnosky, and Anthony Barnosky; sisters, Anna and Mary Parsons, Catherine Barnosky, Bernadine McGuire, Elizabeth Blogunas, Ruth Zaccaginni and Mildred Skipper.
Surviving are his wife of 47 years, the former Rosemary O'Boyle; daughter, Ann Bressler, Carverton; sons, John, Sayreville, N.J.; and Paul, Wilkes-Barre; James, Harding; and Mark, Tunkhannock; seven grandchildren, nieces and nephews.
Interment, Mount Olivet Cemetery, Carverton.
Memorial donations may be made to Hospice Community Care, Kingston.

ISABEL SWEENEY

Isabel M. Sweeney, 93, of Hazleton, died Monday, September 18, 2000, at Mercy Center, Dallas, where she had been a resident since last November.
Born in Ebervale, she was a daughter of the late Anthony and Mary (Carr) O'Donnell. She was a member of St. Gabriel's Church, Hazleton.
She was preceded in death by her husband, Cyril; son, Joseph; sisters, Anna McNelis and Margaret Nash; and brother, Peter O'Donnell.
Surviving are her sons, James, Reading; and Timothy, Lewisburg; daughters, Mary Theresa, Exton; Sister Sara O'Donnell, RSM, Forty Fort; Isabel, Hazleton; and Rose, Hazleton; 11 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren; and sisters, Sadie O'Donnell and Catherine Clague, both of Mercy Center, Dallas; and Mary Dill, Bloomsburg.
Interment, St. Gabriel's Church Cemetery.
Memorial donations may be made to Sisters of Mercy, P.O. Box 369, Dallas, 18612.

GERALD SHONK

Gerald W. "Jerry" Shonk, of Shavertown, died Wednesday, September 13, 2000, at his home.
Born in Plymouth, he was a son of the late George and Lorraine (Booth) Shonk. He was a U.S. Marine Corps. veteran of World War II in the Pacific. He was a member of the Huntsville Christian Church, Huntsville, where he was a trustee and deacon.
He was preceded in death by an infant son; and brothers, Kenneth and George.
Surviving are his wife of 54 years, the former Lucille Reese; son, Wayne, Hatfield; daughter, Linda Scott, Shavertown; two grandchildren, two great-grandchildren; and sister, Hazel Barber, Plymouth.
Interment, Maple Grove Cemetery, Pikes Creek.
Memorial donations may be made to the Huntsville Christian Church, RD 4, Box 197, Dallas, 18612.

ALMA VINCENT

Alma (Faux) Vincent, of Franklin Township, died Monday, September 11, 2000, at Valley Crest, Wilkes-Barre.
Born in West Wyoming, she was a daughter of the late Arthur and Joanna (Vosburg) Faux. She was a member of the Maranatha Fellowship Church, Swoyersville.
She was preceded in death by her brothers, Arthur J., Joseph and Harry; and sisters, Florence Redmond and Joanna Rosencrans.
Surviving are her daughters, Alma Dombek, Tunkhannock; Sue Hoskins, Mill City; sons, Fred Rosencrans, Dallas, Harry L. Rosencrans, Okeechobee, Fla.; 15 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren; sisters, Glenna Chorba, Orange; and Joy Dixon, Exeter; nieces and nephews.
Interment, Mount Zion Cemetery, Exeter Township.
Memorial donations may be made to Maranatha Fellowship Church, Swoyersville.

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