GEORGE HESS

U.S. Marine Corp veteran of

World War II who received the

OBITUARIES

HARLETH DAVIES SR. Navy veteran of World War II

Harleth W. Davies Sr., 81, of Dunnellon, Fla., formerly of the Sheatown section of Newport Township, and Dallas, died Monday Nov. 26, 2001 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Fla., where he was a patient for one day.

Born March 9, 1918 in Bangor, he was a son of the late William and Lydia (Williams) Davis. He attended the Wilkes-Barre public schools and was a graduate of GAR High school. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, serving with the Construction Battalion in the European Theater of operations. Following his discharge from the military service, he worked at Vulcan Iron Works, Wilkes-Barre, and later for Air Products Corp., Hanover Township, until retiring. He was a member of United Methodist Church, Alden, Newport Township, Nanticoke Lodge 541, F & AM Caldwell Consistory, Valley of Bloomsburg, and Irem Temple AAONMS, Wilkes-Barre and Dallas. He was preceded in death by his first wife, the former Reba Woomer; sisters, Alma Keeney, Arvona Memory and Marjorie Jones; and brothers, Winfield and William.

Surviving are his second wife, the former Gertrude Williams; daughter, Judith Allen, Frederick, Md.; son, Harleth W. Davis Jr., Dallas; stepdaughter, Judith Gibson, Ocala; five grandchildren, one great-granddaughter, and several nieces and nephews. Memorial donations may be made to Newport United Methodist Church, c/o Lonee Krietzer, 301 E. Ridge St., Nanticoke, 18634.

Purple Heart

George W. Hess, 83, of Upper Demunds Road, Dallas, died Thursday Dec. 13, 2001.

Born in Dallas, he was a son of the late Charles F. and Mary (Graves) Hess. He was a graduate of Kingston High School. He was an agent for Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co., Mil-

He was a U.S. Marine Corps veteran of World War II and received the Purple Heart for wounds received in the Battle of Sugar Loaf Hill in Okinawa, of which he was one of the few survivors. He was a member of the Dallas United Methodist Church, where he held several

He also was a former Boy Scout leader, member of the Daddow Isaacs American Legion Post 672, Dallas, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He was preceded in death by his brothers, Robert and Charles; and sisters, Amelia and Elizabeth Douglas and Ruth Long.

Surviving are his wife of 63 years, the former Louise Brace; sons, Clinton, Mechanicsburg; David, Gouldsboro; and Douglas, Conover, N.C; five grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; and brother, Henry, Port Charlotte, Fla.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Dallas United Methodist Church, 4 Parsonage St., Dallas, 18612; or to the Luzerne County Head Start, P.O. Box 540, Wilkes-Barre, 18703.

LOIS DENNIS

Former Beaumont resident

Lois Mabel Dennis, 76, of Indian Spring Road, Lake Carey, Tunkhannock, died Thursday Dec. 13, 2001 at her home.

She was born Dec. 4, 1925 in Kunkle. She attended Beaumont School, Beaumont. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are her husband, Harold F.; daughter, Constance Spinello, Center Moreland; two grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; sister, Clarice Fegely, Fanwood, N.J.; and brother, Robert Conden, Beaumont. Memorial donations may be made to the Noxen United Methodist Church, RR 1, Box 196 A, Noxen, 18636.

FRANKLIN SMITH Member of Beaumont Union Gospel Church

Franklin "Bob" Smith of Beaumont, died Tuesday Dec. 11, 2001 at the Heritage House Hospice, Wilkes-Barre.

Born March 13, 1920, he was a son of the late Charles W. and Jennie (Hess) Smith. He was a graduate of Beaumont High School and attended Wilkes University. He owned and operated a school bus for 42 years. He and his brother, Carl, were partners in a dairy farm. He also owned a trucking business. He was a member of the Beaumont Union Gospel Church, where he was deacon for many years. He was a member of the Pennsylvania Farmers Association, Grange and the Beaumont Hunting Club. He was elected to the Pennsylvania Voters Hall of Fame and received a plaque to commemorate 50 years of continuous voting. He was preceded in death by his wife, Evelyn. Surviving are his son, Charles, Beaumont; daughter, Joyce (Mc-Cauley) Westfield; eight grandchildren, six great-grandchildren; brother, Carl, Beaumont; sister, Althea Smith, Willow Grove; and several nieces and nephews.

JANE KALANICK Retired auditor for the General Electric Co.

Jane (Rowny) Kalanick, 74, of Bridgeport, Conn., died Saturday at her home. Born in Wilkes-Barre, she was a daughter of the late Frank and Katherine Rowny. She was a retired auditor for the General Electric Co.

Surviving are her husband, Michael; sons, Michael, Stratford, Conn.; Kenneth, Shelton, Conn.; and David, Rathdrum, Idaho; eight grandchildren; brother, Stanley, Hudson, Plains Township; sisters, Helen Vasauskas and Krafchick, both of Wilkes-Barre; Theresa Thompson, Dallas; and Carol Kovach, Wilkes-Barre; and several nieces nephews.

MARION HAVRILLA Former Dallas resident

Marion Havrilla, 78, of Port Charlotte, Fla., formerly of Dallas, died Wednesday Dec. 12, 2001 in Port Charlotte.

Born Aug. 31, 1922 in Ashley, she was a daughter of the late William and Addie (Zearfoss) Lear. She was a member of the Church of Christ Uniting, Kingston. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Thomas Yeager; second husband, Emery Havrilla Sr.; and brothers, Theodore and Douglas

Surviving are her daughter, Carol Berstrasser, Port Charlotte; stepdaughters, Chris Sutton, Lehman; and Annette, San Luis Obispo, Calif.; stepson, Emery, Jr., Lehman; 10 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren; and sisters, Geraldine Eckroth, Denver; and Naomi West, Mountaintop. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hospice S.W. Florida, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, Fla., 34238.

DAVID TRESCOTT U.S. Air Force veteran

David Robert Trescott, 55, of ship. He served in the U.S. Air Lakeview Drive, Sweet Valley, Ross Township, died Thursday at Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

shinny, he was the son of the late Barton and Marion (Rustay) Trescott. He was a 1964 graduate of Northwest High School. He worked at Centax, Plains TownForce. He was preceded in death by his sister, Edith May, who was the last member of his immediate family. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the North Lake Improvement Assocation, c/o Jack Mould, treasurer, Sweet Valley, 18656.

DONALD BYTHEWAY

U.S. Army veteran of World War II

Donald Bytheway, 78, of the Miners Mills section of Wilkes-Barre, died Friday Dec. 7, 2001 at his home.

Born Oct. 22, 1923 in Forty Fort, he was a son of the late Benjamin and Florence (Gittens) Bytheway.

He was a cement truck driver for the J & H Cement Co., before retiring. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, serving in New Guinea and the South Philippines. He was awarded four Bronze Stars.

He was a member of the American Legion, Luzerne. He was preceded in death by his brother, Benjamin; and sister, Margaret Kenworthy.

Surviving are his wfe, the former Margaret Atkinson; sons, Donald, Tunkhannock; David, Wilkes-Barre; and Scott, Beaumont; daughter, Melanie Nickerson, Pringle; nine grandchildren and 13 great-grandchil-

Born Oct. 28, 1946 in Shick-

KATHERINE KOSTENBAUDER

Member of the Alderson United Methodist Church

Katherine M. Kostenbauder, of Harveys Lake, died Wednesday, Dec. 12, 2001 at the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

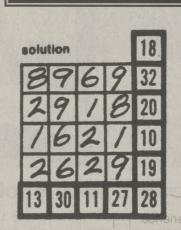
Born in Harveyville, she was a daughter of the late Adrian and Rose (Pahler) Taylor. She was a graduate of Laketon High School, Harveys Lake. Before retiring, she worked for Food Fair, Kingston, and the RCA Corp., Mountaintop. She was a member of the Alderson United Methodist Church, Wyoming Valley Coin Club and the Harveys Lake American Legion Post

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Richard Gibson; second husband, George Kostenbauder; brothers, Robert, Ralph, James, Earl, Alfred and Ervin; and sister, Esther Kos-

Surviving are her son, Richard A. Gibson, Somersworth, N.H.; twin daughters, Karen Whipple and Katherine Shamus, both of Harveys Lake; seven grandchil dren, eight great-grandchildren; brothers, Merle, Hunlock Creek; Charles, Harveys Lake; and Paul, Sweet Valley, Ross Township; and sister, Alice Covert, Loyalville.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Alderson United Methodist Church, RR 1, Box 234, Harveys Lake, 18618.

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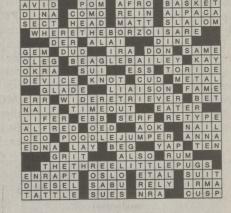
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