

**OBITUARIES**

**HARRY HOLAK**

Founder and owner of Trucksville Pharmacy

Harry Holak, of the Trucksville section of Kingston Township, died Tuesday November 26, 2002 at Geisinger Medical Center, Danville.

Born in Edwardsville, he was the son of the late Daniel and Anna (Sakolick) Holak. He graduated from Edwardsville High School, Wyoming Seminary and the University of the Sciences, Philadelphia. He was a U.S. Army and Air Force veteran of World War II. He was the founder and owner of Trucksville Pharmacy. He belonged to Holy Resurrection Russian Orthodox Cathedral, Wilkes-Barre.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Emily.

Surviving are his wife, the former Anne Kozey; brothers, William, Dowingtown, John, Sarasota, Fla.; sisters, Sophie Swanbery, Teaneck, N.J.; and Anna May Crompton, Lake Winola.

**JOHN KOSLOSKY**

Shavertown resident and owner and operator of LA Auto Parts

John Koslosky, 58, of Harris Hill Road, Shavertown, died Thursday November 28, 2002 at the Hospice Community Care Inpatient Unit of Mercy Hospital, Wilkes-Barre.

Born Oct. 31, 1944, in Larksville, he was the son of the late Albert and Stella (Zaykowsk) Koslosky. He was a graduate of Larksville High School and attended the Wilkes-Barre Business School. He was the owner and operator of LA Auto Parts, Plymouth. He was employed by Proctor & Gamble, Meshoppen and Certainteed, Mountain Top, for many years. He was a member of St. Casimir's Church, Lyndwood.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Dorothy Ann Hartman.

Surviving are a daughter, Leann Weaver, Dallas; two grandchildren; a sister, Stella Neberdosky, Larksville; and several nieces and nephews.

**MILDRED HUGHES**

Formerly worked as a private nurse

Mildred M. Hughes, 94, formerly of Hughes Street, Luzerne, died November 29, 2002 at the Wesley Village at the Partridge-Tippett Nursing Facility, Jenkins Township, where she was a resident.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, she was a daughter of the late John and Anna (McDermott) Martin. She was a graduate of Forty Fort High School. She received her degree in nursing from Wyoming Valley Homeopathic Hospital, Wilkes-Barre. She was employed as a substitute nurse at the Luzerne School District and as a private nurse.

Surviving are a daughter, Suzy Thompson, Harvey's Lake; sister, Anna Sekerah, Florida; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Memorial donations may be made to the Wesley Village, Pittston.

**FRANK STANISH**

U.S. Coast Guard and Merchant Marines Corps veteran

Frank Stanish, of Taft Street, Hanover Township, died Sunday November 24, 2002 at the Veterans Administration Medical Center, Manhattan, N.Y.

Born Nov. 2, 1922, in Wilkes-Barre, he was a son of the late Frank and Josephine (Pisak) Stanish. He attended Wilkes-Barre schools. He was a U.S. Coast Guard and Merchant Marines Corps Ocean-going Service veteran of World War II, serving on the ESSO Buffalo. He was employed in the area coal mines for several years. He was employed as a carpenter for Schraeder Homes, Ashley, for many years. He was a member of the Carpenters Union Local 287.

Surviving are a son, Frank Jr., Shavertown; a daughter, Loretta Armbruster, Cornelius, Ore.; five grandchildren; two great-granddaughters; sisters, Claire Kushay, New York; and Jean Reichert, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

**LEONA CRAGLE**

Member of Maple Grove U.M. Church

Leona N. Cragle, 88, of Loy-alville, died Saturday November 30, 2002 at Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born June 15, 1914, in Pikes Creek, she was the daughter of the late Levi and Pearl (Redmond) Lewis. She attended Pikes Creek School and Lehman High School. She worked for N-tona Mills, Dallas. She belonged to Maple Grove United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her brothers, Bernard and Russell Naugle, and Osborne Lewis; sisters, Rose Richards, Agnes Palmer, Helen Warrell, and Evelyn Urbanovitch.

Surviving are her son, William L., Loy-alville; daughter, Lois Yockavitch, Sweet Valley; three grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and sister, Ethel Priestman, Warrior Run.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Sweet Valley Ambulance, P.O. Box 207, Sweet Valley or to the Maple Grove United Methodist Church, Hunlock Creek.

**HAROLD BOYER**

U.S. Marine Corps veteran

Harold B. Boyer, 66, of Sweet Valley, died Saturday November 30, 2002 at home.

Born Nov. 30, 1936, in Slocum, he was a son of the late Benjamin and Eunice (Myers) Boyer. He was a U.S. Marine Corps veteran of the Korean War. He was self-employed as a small engine mechanic for many years.

Surviving are his wife of 46 years, the former Mildred Harrington; sons, Harold B., Jr., Feasterville; Benjamin, Benton; daughters, Judy Shreck, Bristol; Julie Wiley, Bear Creek; Mildred Hurlley, Fallon, Nev.; Margaret Fries, Sunrise, Fla.; Donna Salamatin, Levittown; 17 grandchildren; brother, Donald, Chester; and sister, Eunice Kraus, Bensalem.

**CATHERINE JORDA**

Shavertown resident was prize-winning photographer

Catherine Jorda, 54, of North Lehigh Street, Shavertown section of Kingston Township, died Sunday December 1, 2002 in Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, Philadelphia.

Born Nov. 13, 1948 in Wilkes-Barre Township, she was the daughter of Catherine (Shel-pack) Pekol of Wilkes-Barre and the late John Pekol. She graduated from Marymount High School and Wilkes-Barre Business College, she attended King's College and Wilkes University. She worked for First Eastern Bank, Wilkes-Barre in bookkeeping. She belonged to

St. Mary's Church of the Mater-nity, Wilkes-Barre, where she also served as a lector. She was a prize-winning photographer having won several awards in the Luzerne County Fair, Allen-town Fair and the Bloomsburg Fair.

Surviving in addition to her mother, are her husband of 30 years, Thomas; brother, John Pekol, Wilkes-Barre; sister, Maryanne Charnichko, Wilkes-Barre; and nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Lung Association of Wyoming Valley, Wilkes-Barre.

**JANE ANN CONNORS DEPEW**

Former medical secretary and office manager

Jane Ann Connors DePew, 79, died Thursday November 28, 2002 at the home of her daughter, in Shavertown.

Born July 26, 1923, in New Haven, Conn., she was a daughter of the late John D. and Ethel (Carroll) Connors. She was educated in West Haven, Conn., schools. She was employed as a medical secretary and office manager for physicians in the New Haven and West Haven, Conn., area for many years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Allen G. Sr.

Surviving are a son, Allen G. Jr., Chapel Hill, N.C.; daughters, Alana D. Gooley, West Haven, Conn.; Deborah D. Garrity, Charlotte, N.C.; Maryjane D. Henry, Shavertown; 14 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; brother, Robert, Wallingford, Conn.; and sister, Joyce Tuscano, Burlington, Conn.

Memorial donations may be made to the Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, Grand Central Station, P.O. Box 4777, New York, N.Y., 10163, or to the Alzheimer's Association 919 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1100 Chicago, Ill., 60611.

**PROPERTY TRANSFERS**

The following property transfers were recorded at the Luzerne County Courthouse the week of November 15-21, 2002.

John English et ux per sheriff Chase Manhattan Bank, 253 Main St., Dallas Borough, \$4,397.

Anthony Kukowski et ux to William Hummel et ux, 361 Machel Ave., Dallas Borough, \$149,000.

James Weber et ux to Kevin Sowden et ux, Sorber Mtn. 3.15 ac, Lake Twp., \$72,500.

Bernard Miko et ux.e to Jason Ball, Lot 18 Oak Hill, Lehman Twp., \$93,000.

Thomas Hession et al to Patrick Burns, see deed, Harveys Lake Bor., \$1,000.

Mark Bond et ux to Joseph Roppolo, 2.3 acres, Harveys Lake Bor., \$134,500.

Heritage Hills Estate, Inc. to James McMonagle et ux, Lot 12 Heritage Hills, Jackson Twp., \$313,000.

John J. Bourke to Patricia A. Kebles, 126 Frangorma Dr., Kingston Twp., \$160,000.

Edgar Stark to Louis Jimmie e tux, 16 Harris Hill Rd., Kingston Twp., \$149,600.

Brian Maseychik et to Joseph Fauzio et ux, 160 Idetown Rd., Lehman Twp., \$138,000.

John Shubenski to Patricia Y. Markle, L71, 72 Cease Terrace, Lehman Twp., \$76,000.

**CROSSWORD ANSWERS**

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**King Crossword**  
Answers

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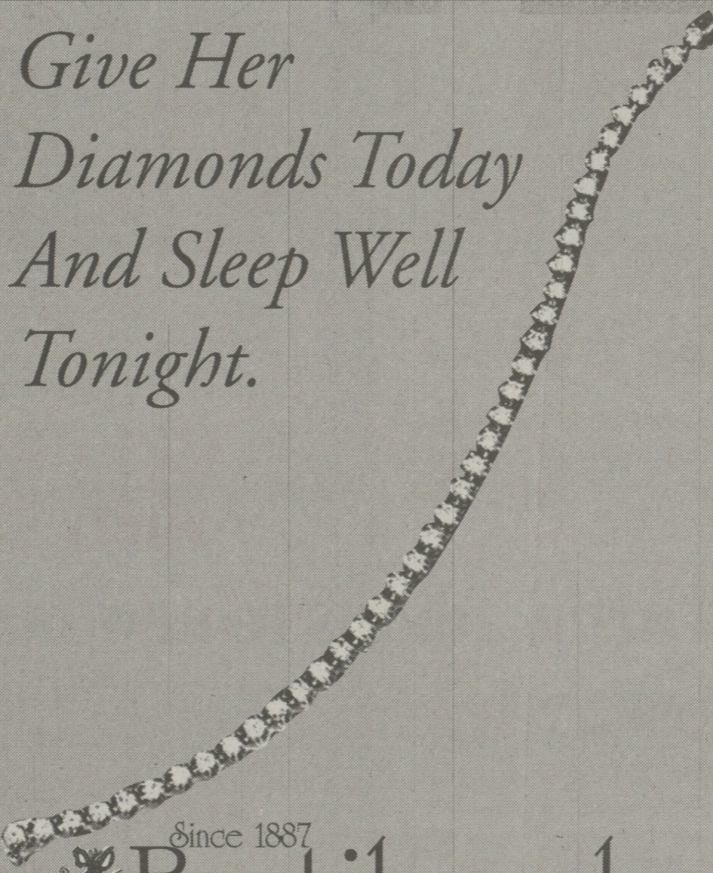
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