## FRED A. CRAKE

Served with Coast Guard during World War II

Fred A. Crake, 86, of Lakeside Drive, Alderson section, Harveys Lake, passed away Thursday at the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, he was a son of the late Michael and Helen (Hartasinska) Crake. He was a graduate of Coughlin High School and Williamsport Technical School. Before retiring, he was a member of the International Union of Painters and Allied Trades, Local 21, employed as a painter and sign painter. He served with the Coast Guard during World War II. He was a member of Our Lady of Victory Church, Harveys Lake; Assumpta Council, Knights of Columbus, Luzerne; and a volunteer with the Daniel C. Roberts Fire Co., Harveys Lake. He was preceded in death by siblings Phillip Crake, Sister Domitilla, Sally Crake, Edward Crake, Celia Wishtart, Raymond Crake, Stella Werner, and Alfred Crake.

Surviving are his wife of 57 years, the former Margaret Yuknavich; children Dr. Roger F., Berwick; Christina Urban, Harveys Lake: Matthew F., West Pittston: grandchildren Michael Crake, Denver, Colo.; Stephen Crake, Greenich, Conn.; Kimberly and Richard Urban, Harveys Lake; Sarah and Ethan Crake, West Pittston; brother Henry Crake, Loyalville; sister Leona Neiman, Dallas.

Interment, Holy Trinity Cemetery in Bear Creek. Iemorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or Our Lady of Victory Church.

## **ELIZABETH ZABOSKI**

Former model; enjoyed gardening and cooking

Elizabeth J. "Bette" Zaboski, 77, of Dallas, died peacefully on Wednesday, September 27, 2006 after a brief battle with cancer.

She was born in Luzerne, on January 29, 1929, a daughter of the late Paul and Mary Brauna Stoner. She graduated from Dallas Borough High School in 1946. While primarily a homemaker, earlier in life she was employed by Bell Telephone, The Boston Store and Acme Markets. Always a stylish woman, she also modeled with the Marilyn Gauntlett Modeling Agency.

Later, she developed an interest in antiques and operated her own business known as EZ Antiques. In her later years, she continued to enjoy gardening and cooking and remained active as a volunteer with the Back Mountain Memorial Library. Bette was a devoted and caring wife and mother. She will be greatly missed by family and friends. In addition to her parents, her brothers Paul and George preceded her in death.

She is survived by her husband of 57 years, Edward F. Zaboski Sr.; children Claudia Becker and her husband, lichael Cunningham, Philadelphia; Edward Jr. and wife Anne, Orwigsburg; Sgt. Major Alan and wife Suma, Camp Zama, Japan; Sharon Weiner and husband William, Bethlehem; and Bradley and wife Chris, Lehman; grandchildren Edward, Lisa, Michael, Gregory, Ned, Paul and Nicholas; brothers Leonard Stoner, Elgin, OK; John Bernard Stoner, Richville, NY; Edward Stoner, West Chester; and Girard Stoner Wallahalla, SC; sister Marypaula Palencar, Stroudsburg; uncle Rupert Ziegler, Hunlock Creek; numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice Community Care, 601 Wyoming Ave., Kingston, PA

# MARY NOVACKOWSKI **Native of Center Moreland**

Mary J. Novackowski, 92, of Main Street, Edwardsville, formerly of Center Moreland, died Sunday, October 1, 2006 at Wilkes-Barre General Hospi-

She was born in Kingston, a daughter of the late Stanley and Stella Janczewski Nowakowski. She was formerly employed as a domestic and by the Crane Silk Mill, Kingston. She was a member of St. Hedwig's Church, Kingston.

Preceding her in death are brothers Theodore Novak and Alphonse Novackowski, sisters Cecelia Ponganis and Frances Chukinas. Surviving are sisters Sr. Mary Jacqueline, with the Bernadine Order, Reading; and Irene Scholl, with whom she resided; brother Joseph Nowakowski, Center Moreland; numerous nieces and nephews.

Interment, St. John's Cemetery in Dallas.

## WILLIAM TEMPLIN SR.

Attended school at Dallas, Wyoming Seminary

William Templin Sr., 88, a former Dallas resident, died Monday, Sept. 25, 2006 at Immanuel-St. Joseph's Hospital in Mankato, Minn.

Templin was born March 3, 1918 in Forty-Fort, to Richard and Edith (Elliot) Templin. On June 16, 1946, he married Helen Halonen in Lake Norden, S.D. He attended Dallas High School, Wyoming Seminary, and South Dakota State in Brookings, S.D. He received many National Science Foundation grants to numerous universities, including Alfred, Hamline, and River Falls. He taught high school science and agriculture in South Dakota, New Jersey and Minnesota. He managed and coowned RAD Hardware in Boulder, Colo. He served in the U.S. Air Force as a radio operator.

He had many joys. He enjoyed sight-seeing in Rocky Mountain National Park, telling stories, watching football, and watching and talking about airplanes. He especially loved visiting with family and friends around the country.

Templin is survived by sons, William, Jr., Boulder, Colo.; Peter (Terri), Boulder, Colo.; and James, Gilbert, Ariz.; daughters, Linda (Richard) Yates, Lake Elmo, Minn.; Edith Straight, Mankato, Minn.; and Jacqueline (John) Woodwick, Mankato, Minn.; grandchildren, Heidi and Heather Straight; Paige, Kersten, and Layne Woodwick; Tanner Templin; and Richard and Benjamin Yates; brothers, Phil (Betty), Singer Island, Fla.; Ralph (Pat), Golden, Colo.; and Thomas (Marion), Shavertown; sisters, Evelyn Eck, Shavertown; and Mary Reese, Dallas; many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen; his parents; son Paul; sister, Jean; brothers, Robert, Richard and Fred; sister-in-law, Fern Templin; brothers-in-law, Charles Maxwell and Lewis Reese.

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blessing is said before the breakfast is eaten and there is usually a guest speaker.

The men decided from the start that their meetings needed a purpose.

Last week, the men collected donations and the money will be given to the Ross family in Trucksville.

Last week, the family's house was damaged in a fire. More than \$1,000 has been collected and distributed to area charities since the group started meeting last year.

At last week's breakfast, the discussed turned to a pair of rummage sales from different churches that are being held this competition and everyone laughs. Gene Kel-

"You can see we have a great time, it gets really noisy in here. We can be worse than women."

Breakfast organizer

leher, a retired math teacher with a sense of humor, encourages everyone to go to an upcoming church chicken barbeque "to have a foul (fowl) meal."

Dallas native Lloyd Ryman comes in from Tunkhannock each week for the breakfast. He meets with friends from the Dallas United Methodist church. They enjoy the all male companionship.

"You can see we have a great time, it gets week. Someone in the audience quips about really noisy in here. We can be worse than women," said Deeble.

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ment, tractor-pulled hayrides, pony rides, lots of homemade food and plenty of crafts. Proceeds from the \$3 per carload fee will be used to help preserve the land and future plans for the farm. Possible plans include a bed-and-breakfast, a living-history museum, and costumed re-enactors showing what life is like on the farm.

An art contest was held with members of the public voting for a People's Choice Award, while a panel of judges voted for the Best Art Award.

The winner of the People's Choice Award was Constance Bignell Plashinski. Kelly Rafuse finished second and K.J. Barrett placed third. Honorable mention was given to Art Coburn and Marshall Rumbaugh.

In the Best Art Award category, Rumbaugh was chosen as the winner, while Brian Keller and A.J. Rutchauskas finished second and third, respectively. In a contest for the Best

# UPCOMING EVENTS

The Lands at Hillside Farms has several upcoming special events. On Friday, Oct. 13, there will be a Halloween Masquerade Ball from 6-11 p.m. at the Historic Cottage. Reservations are required. Throughout the day Nov. 5, there will be food sampling at the dairy store - everything from maple syrup to maple cinnamon vinaigrette served over salad greens with walnuts and apples. And a photograph class will he held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 11. The class includes a guided tour of Hillside Farms with staff member and professional photographer Steve Franco. The cost is \$25 per person, which includes processing and a light lunch. Reservations are required. To make reservations for any of the events, call 696-2881. For more information about The Lands at Hillside, call 696-4550.

Chili, Ragz Restaurant took first, Uno Chicago Grill finished second and Ground Round

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cated on the second floor with a circulation desk, information stations, stacks and a variety of research, study and gathering spaces, as well as two offices, a computer room and four group study rooms.

Plans for the building - designed by Bohlin Cwynski Jackson of Wilkes-Barre - call for an exterior of predominantly natural stone selected to match the Hayfield House, along with accents of metal and glass.

Among the guest speakers at the ceremony were Davis, state Sen. Charles Lemmond, campaign chairman William Davidowitz, honorary campaign chairman Robert Fortinsky, Penn State Wilkes-Barre advisory board chairwoman Anna Cervenak, Dale DiSanto of the University Park campus, and Student Government Association president Dan Mi-

Money for the construction was raised by university, alumni, community, and campus support of a two-year capital campaign. Penn State Wilkes-Barre has more than 800 students, with a student to faculty ratio of 12.7 to

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