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Roy and Kathryn Smeal 25 years ago.

# **Girl scouts collecting**

### by Hazel Baker

Members of the Girl Scout Troop #944, Mount Joy, Penn Laurel Girl Scout Council, are working to earn their passage to Florida in June by collecting aluminum cans and conducting a paper drive on Friday, March 26. Papers may be brought to the Florin Fire Hall. For pick-up call 653-9951 any time between 4 and 10 p.m., March 26th. The troop will also feature a stand at Root's Country Auction on April 6th. Handmade crafts and baked goods will be among items offered for sale.

The troop observed Girl Scout week by attending church services and participating in the "Flames For Freedom" he!d at Donegal Presbyterian Church.

Troop #944 is sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Florin Fire Company.



March 24, 1976



Roy and Kathryn Smeal today

### **Smeals celebrate 25th**

Roy and Kathryn Smeal were honored by their children and friends at a 25th Wedding Anniversary Party at Robert Smeal's, 111 South River Street, Maytown.

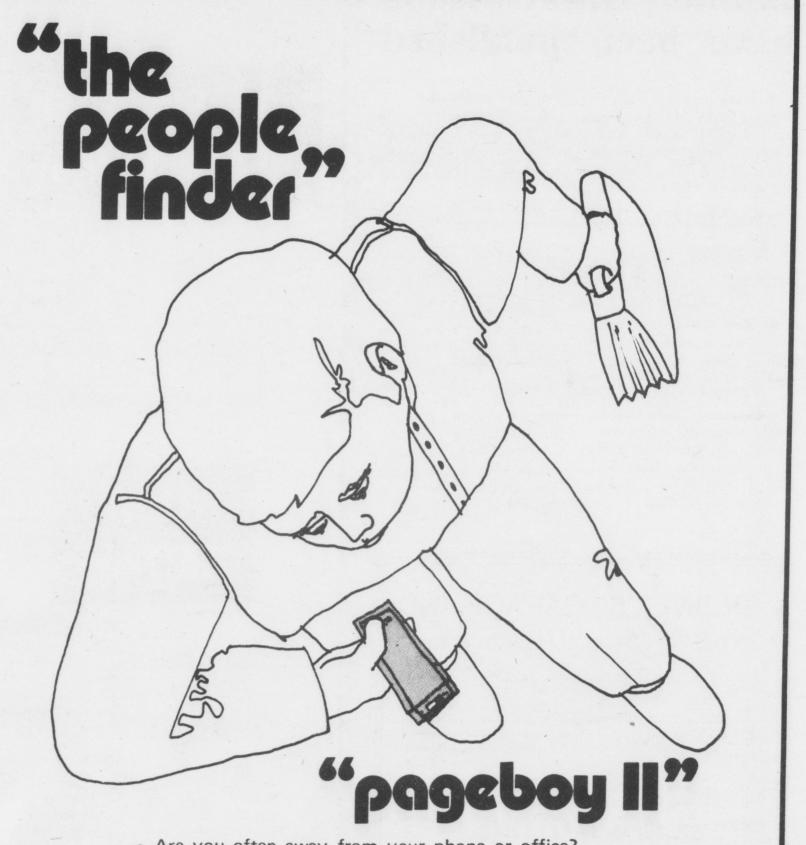
Roy and Kathryn were married, March 24, 1951 in Wallaceton, PA by Rev. Ralph Warner. The same minister married their son, Robert and Deborah (Kulp) Smeal, November 17, 1973. Roy is the son of Roland

and Mae Smeal of West Decatur, PA. Kathryn is the daughter of Jean Williams and the late Ted Williams. They lived in West Decatur till 1963 when they moved to Elizabethtown. They now live at R.D. #1, Bainbridge. Roy is employed at National Standard. Kathryn is employed at Bainbridge Elementary School as a cafeteria aide.

They have five children: Robert, who lives at 111 South River Street, Maytown; Larry, Roger, Kathy, and Kevin all at home. They have one grandchild, Duane.

Kathryn spends her spare





time knitting, crocheting, and doing hairpin lace. Both enjoy gardening and raising a vegetable garden.



# **PP&L** studies itself

PP&L has "made a series of capacity and fuel supply decisions that have provided power to its customers reliably, and compared to other utilities, at a very low cost, while maintaining a good environmental record," a new study says.

The study, done for PP&L by McKinsey and Co., a management consultant firm, cost \$500,000 and took 6 months to complete.

Increased efficiency for PP&L depends partly on government action, the management firm concluded. Cutbacks in the number of line crews and vehicles and, inventory reductions

and changes in accounting procedure, which the study recommends, require state Public Utility Commission Approval.

Most of the 84 jobs which would be lost can be vacated by "attrition" rather than lay-offs. The price of power is not likely to go down as a result of the proposed changes.

Other proposals include: —Tightening management control. Hiring 10 to 15 auditors for increased internal audits.

-Strengthening planning in critical resource areas. Tightening fuel purchase planning and policies.

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