

# Mount Joy Vo-tech FFA awards

On Tuesday, March 29, the Mount Joy FFA held their Fourth Annual Awards Banquet. This program was organized and conducted by the following FFA officers:

President, James Wert, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wert, 289 Main Street, Landisville. Vice President, Linda Shenk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laysen Shenk, R.D. #4, Manheim; Secretary, Karen Hershey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hershey, R.D. #2, Lititz; Treasurer, Kimberly Goodhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Goodhart, R.D. #1, Mount Joy; Reporter,

Lori Kulp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Eugene Kulp, R.D. #1, Manheim; and Sentinel, Colleen Spidle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Spidle, 660 Hebrank Street, Lancaster.

Our Master of Ceremonies kicked off the program with welcoming remarks. These remarks were immediately followed by the invocation, offered by Lori Kulp, and dinner.

Prior to the evening entertainment which was presented by Ziggy the Magician from East Petersburg, the following FFA awards were presented for the 1976/77 school year:

Star Greenhand Award (Outstanding Junior FFA member) was given to

Gregory Fouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Fouse, R.D. #1, Mount Joy. Star Chapter Farmer Award (Outstanding Senior FFA member) was given to Kimberly Goodhart. The most outstanding Floriculture student was James Wert, and the most improved Floriculture student was Colleen Spidle. The most outstanding Horticulture student was Mike Diffenderfer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Diffenderfer, 1505 Manor Street, Columbia. The most improved Horticulture student was Leonard Mumma son Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mumma, 285 Anchor Road, Elizabethtown.

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Bankers Award to the Outstanding Ag-student of Mount Joy Vo-Tech School was given to Linda Shenk. Special recognition was given to Mr. Daniel Helwig, Floriculture Instructor, and Mr. Raymond Little, Horticulture Instructor for their assistance as FFA advisors.

In appreciation for their help through the year Honorary Chapter Farmer Awards were given to Mr. Charles Ruhl of Ruhl's Flowers, Mount Joy and Mr. Gary Shelly of Shelly's Nursery, R.D. #7, Manheim.

Appreciation Service Awards were given to Lori Kulp and Karen Hershey.

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It was decided at the regular meeting of the East Donegal Township Supervisors that bids for 40,000 gallons of oil and 3,500 tons of stone will be

opened on Saturday, April 23, at 8 a.m. Bids for a truck will be opened at 9 p.m. the same morning.

Trees for the park will arrive soon. They will be pin oaks from Penn State.

Chief Shirk reported 15 arrests for the month; six accidents with total damages at \$5,125; and owners of nineteen abandoned vehicles warned to remove same.

## Florin Fire Co. report

At a recent meeting the Florin Fire Company reported a total of six accident and fire calls for March. A total of 126 men responded and 3½ hrs. time used.

The company also reported to one public service

call in March.

They have purchased the following equipment to update the rescue truck.

600 ft. ¾" Dacron rope and 600 ft. ½" Dacron rope to be used as Life Lines in rescue work. 20 ft. 3/8" Cam Allay Chain with hooks and a lifting capacity

of 6600 lbs. and 2 pumper belts for repelling work.

July 2nd and 9th are the announced dates for the annual carnivals at the company grounds.

A "Kids" day is also in the company's planning agenda.

## Easter egg hunt

The Annual Easter egg hunt of the American Legion, Post No. 185, Mount Joy, was held April 9 on the grounds of the Post Home.

Winners of the prizes in the various categories were: 0-3 age group, Tod Nixdorf, Erik Krushinski, Rachael Rice, Steven Lowery, Thomas Grady, Wendy Kauffman, Tracee Rehrer, Elizabeth Payne, Kristen Payne and David Brosey.

4-6 age group, Brett Gulden, Ken Shuman, John Gates, Chad Saunders, Stephanie Telekey, Dennis Oatman, Jay Pennell, Shane Calaman, Lorri Rice and Bryan Kauffman.

7-9 age group, Richard Reinke, Tim Nye, Shawn Moran, Linda Wittel, Bobby Eichler, Philip Nye, Kenneth O'Malley, Shawn Kline, Stacie Shutt and John Moore.

10-12 age group, Michael Armstrong, Kenneth O'Malley, Larry Duvall, Susanna Greiner, Roy

Bender, Virginia Muckel, Tony Halloway, Roger Garber, Marianne Moore and Tracy Sevast.

Receiving the prize for coming the farthest distance was Mike Hershey who traveled from Grafton,

North Dakota.

The eldest present was Max Nettke, at 81 years young.

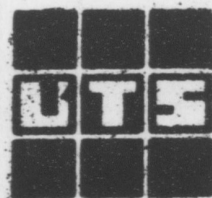
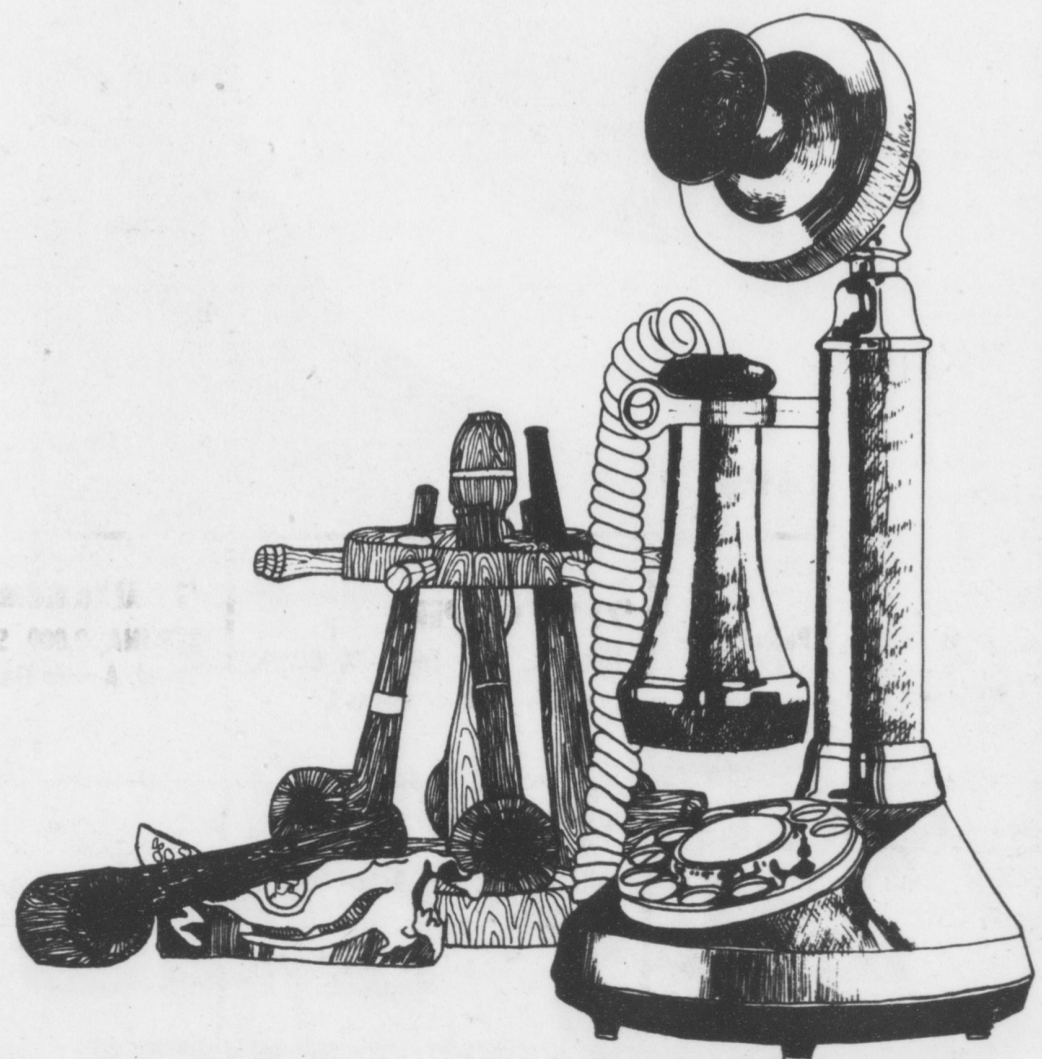
Adam Weber at 2 months was the youngest present.

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