

New thermometer checks value of insulation

PP&L has developed a new stick-on wall or window thermometer that tells you how effective your insulation is.

It's called the "NRG METR" and is simply a very flat thermometer with stick-on on the back side, gauge on the front. PP&L says it's very accurate, despite being so thin.

The METR was developed by Robert Romancheck, supervisor of research and

technical services at PP&L. Commenting on his invention, Romancheck noted, "It is accurate to within 10% of the true [insulation] value, and that's about as close as the experts can come using more sophisticated equipment."

PP&L spokesmen point out that having your insulation measured can cost more than the savings accrued when action is taken on the measurement.



Barb Hallgren

Barb Hallgren finishes season on hockey team

Barb Hallgren of Mount Joy, an allied-medical major at Ohio State, has just completed her first season as right halfback for the women's varsity field hockey team at her school.

The "Buckeyes" finished

the season with an 11-3-2 record.

Barb, a DHS grad, is also on the basketball team. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ragnar Hallgren of 154 N. Market St., Mount Joy.

Runners—

10 mile Turkey Trot this Sunday

You don't have to be a "turkey" to trot in the Turkey Trot! Yes, even featherless bipeds can take part in the 10 mile race on November 20th, starting at 2 PM at the light near Millersville.

Application blanks are available at, what else,

Turkey Hill markets. The fee is \$2.00 of you register before November 16th, \$4.00 afterward. The Trot is being sponsored by the Big Brothers and the Wheatland Sertoma Club.

Besides 60 medals and ten trophies, everyone will get a certificate.

Friendship Fire Co. reports calls in October

The monthly meeting of Friendship Fire Co. No.1 was held November 3rd. Don Alleman presided.

Chief Frank Good reported 6 calls for October, and a total of 82 emergency and 32 service calls so far this year. The reported calls were:

- 10/9 vehicle accident on Manheim-Mount Joy road near Esbenshade Road;
- 10/14 just like the above;
- 10/17 Oil burner malfunction at 48 West Main;
- 10/27 Another accident at the same place as above;
- 10/28 Gas scare at 322 E. Main Street;
- 10/29 Fire in the vacuum unit at the car wash on

Rte. 230 East.

Chief Good said that Lester Farmer of PP&L will give a lecture and film show on November 21st about fighting electrical fires.

Members will begin the basic and advanced fire-fighting courses in January.

Galen Rutt, Chief Engineer, reported that the parts for the LaFrance 49 had arrived.

The ambulance responded 37 times in October.

Kevin Herr was accepted as a Junior Firefighter and Jim Weaver as an active member.

Nominations for 1978 officers were held.

Mount Joy Recreation

—sets meeting dates, dues rates

The Mount Joy Recreation Association held its monthly meeting at the Borough Hall on October 31. They established the 4th Wednesday of each month (except December) as the meeting night. The decision was made to have the election of officers at the next meeting which will be on November 23rd, at 7:30 PM in the Borough

Hall. After the election a committee will be appointed to research the idea of incorporation.

Old business was dues rates for 1978. They will be family \$10; single \$3; high school student \$2; and too young for school free.

New business was ideas for activities such as movies, sports, and crafts.

Hunters— Let the other guy know you're there!

Trapping Season opened on November 6th, last Sunday.

The Game Commission reports that supplies of most fur-bearers are thought to be good. Prices for pelts have been at an all-time high in recent years.

Pelts are usually prime by early November. The season ends January 31.

Make noise, stay alive

The Game Commission recommends that hunters make their presence known to other hunters, who are the most deadly denizens of our forests.

Last year 17 persons were shot in our state. You

can avoid being one of these statistics by letting the other guy know you are there. Recommended practices are coughing, speaking, or even yelling if the circumstances dictate this course. Don't rustle the underbrush—the Commission says this will make the other hunter think you are game, and get you shot.

It's true that the man with the gun is responsible for not shooting other humans, but remember you should always look out for the other guy around this time of year. Being in the right won't stop the bleeding.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

of
DONEGAL UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT AUTHORITY
for fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1977

Rent rec'd. from school district	\$297,800.
Income rec'd. on invested funds	\$14,307
Principal savings effected by purchasing own bonds below par	\$1,712
Interest paid on bonds	\$77,227
Administrative costs	\$2,049
Balances in Bond Redemption Funds	\$236,626
Balances in Reserve Funds	\$75,775
Bonds outstanding October 1, 1977	\$1,769,000
Reduction in bonded debt during year	\$179,000

Complete audit by Groff and White, C.P.A., may be examined at Donegal School District Business Office at Washington School, Mount Joy, Pa.

DONEGAL UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT AUTHORITY
by J. Robert Greider, Sec'y.