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William Sload, right, receives his award from John Spickler.

Wm. Sload J-C of Year; Spickler new president

William Sload was given the Jaycee of the Year award by the Marietta Jaycees at their awards banquet Saturday night at the Copper Lustre Inn near Columbia.

John Spickler was installed as president of the J-Cs. Larry Gillham is international vice-president; William Sload, external vice-president; Don Simmons, secretary; Dave Guttschall, treasurer;

and James Wise, director of ways and means.

These members also won awards: John Spickler and William Sload, school renovation; Charles Loucks and Don Pickle, 4th of July project; Don Pickle for the family picnic; Larry Gillham for outstanding first year as a Jaycee; John Spickler, Keyman award. Presidential awards went to Dave Sadler, Jeff Aldinger, John Spickler, and William Sload.

Apartments permitted in Marietta downtown

The Marietta Borough Council adopted a zoning amendment allowing multiple family dwellings within the general commercial district at last Tuesday's regular monthly meeting.

Owners wishing to convert their properties would have to conform with certain requirements and submit applications to the zoning board.

Mayor J.R. Flannagan, in other action, proclaimed May 17 as the second annual Historic Marietta Day. The Marietta Restoration Associates are sponsoring the event.

To supply ample parking area during the May 17 activities, Council agreed to close Market Street to vehicular traffic from the S-bend to Perry Street. Also closed will be North Waterford Avenue from West Walnut to Market Street.

As of the Tuesday evening meeting, council had received seven applications for police chief. The term begins May 1.

Six firemen will be paid the costs of the special permits they had to obtain to drive the new fire truck.

Barry Eppley, fire chief, proposed that the borough's fire alarm system be connected to county communications network.

A petition asking for the removal of all parking meters in the borough, signed by 209 people, was submitted to the council.

Bids from seven insurance agencies for blanket policies to cover all borough property were referred to

the borough solicitor for review.

A master roadway plan worked out by borough engineer Dan Lake was adopted. The plan calls for repair or reconstruction of the following streets: Gay from Fairview to Longenecker, Chestnut, Biddle from Market to Essex, Pine from Market to East Walnut, Essex from Decatur to Bridge, Clay from Market to front, Bank from Market to Front, and Waterford from Market to Front.

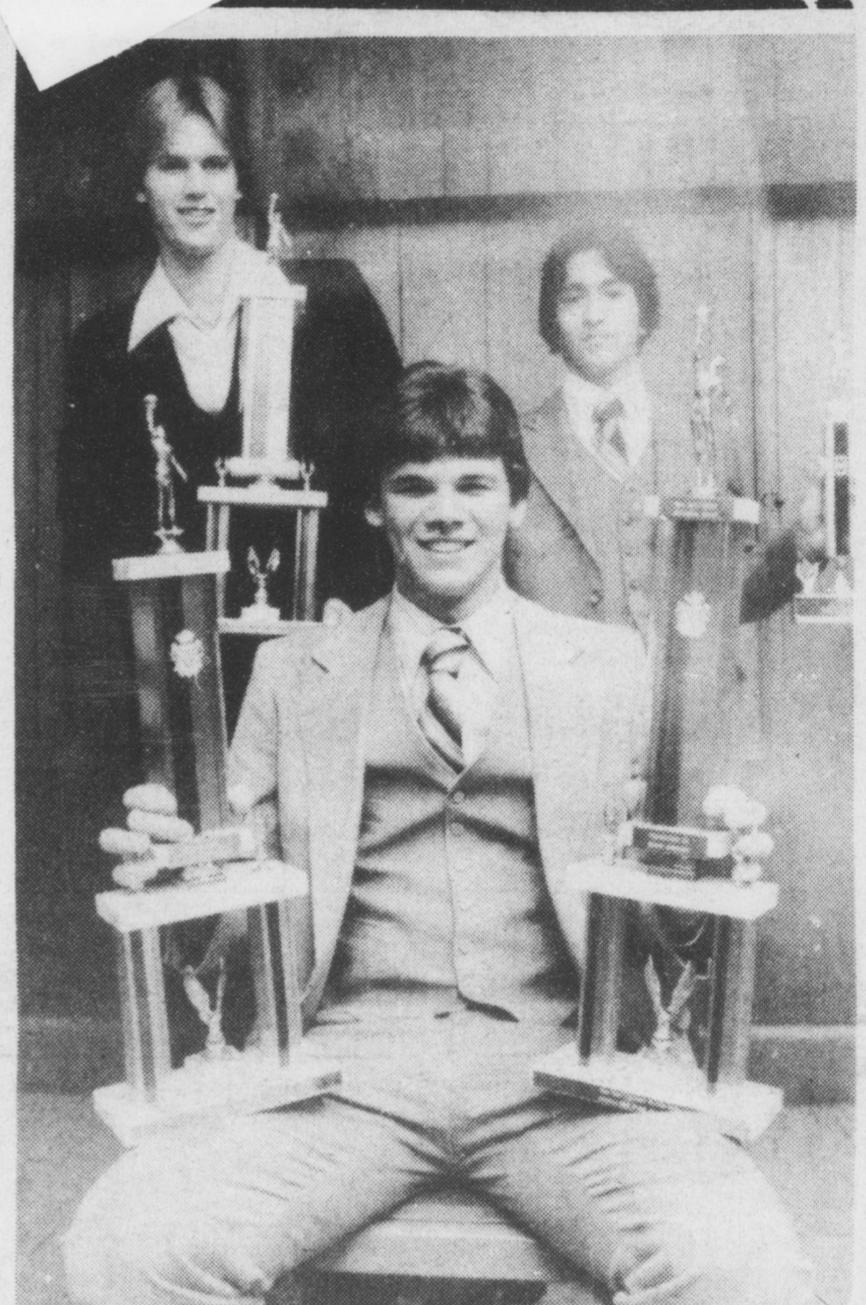
Judy Bass was appointed housing officer and Betty Sementelli as deputy, each at a salary of \$750 per year.

Zoning permits were issued for a special exception for a home occupation at 146 W. Front St., for an addition at 235 W. Walnut St., and for converting to duplexes at 37 and 282 W. Market St.

A special meeting will be held March 18 to act on a proposal to make loans or grants available to residents through the Lancaster County Redevelopment Authority.

The Marietta Jaycees were granted permission to conduct the annual 4th of July celebration July 3-6 at War Memorial Park.

The schedule of games for the Marietta Youth Association, April 1 to August 16 was approved. The schedule is for seven boys baseball and four girls softball teams. Registration for the teams will be on the next three Saturdays at the Marietta Community House [continued on Page 6]



Mitch Johnson, balancing two trophies on his knees in the photo above, was awarded both the Most Valuable Player trophy and the Most Rebounds trophy for his performance with the Donegal Indians basketball team this year. Coach Freund, calling Mitch "possibly the best basketball player in the history of Donegal," added, "Whatever else you say about him, remember that he's a real gentleman." The Most Valuable Player trophy, it was announced, will henceforth be called The Bill Barto Memorial trophy, in honor of the Indians' most ardent booster, who died this year. Mrs. Barto handed Mitch his award. The Most Improved Player Trophy went to underclassman Scott Peters, at left in the photo. Scott could well become the backbone of next year's squad. The Best Sportsman trophy went to Mike Frey, at right in the photo above.

John W. W. Loose to address Marietta group on "conception, birth, infancy" of borough

"Marietta: Its Conception, Birth and Infancy" is the title of the program for this month's regular meeting of the Marietta Restoration Associates. Mr. John W. W. Loose will be the speaker. This program will be held Thursday, March 20 at 7:30 pm in the Community House. The public is welcome.

"Jack" Loose, chairman

of the Social Studies department at Donegal High School, President of the Lancaster County Historical Society and author of numerous books and articles, has a special interest in Marietta history. He did his graduate work on the Iron Industry in Marietta. Anyone who has heard him speak know his talks are both enlightening and enter-

taining as he has the ability to bring the past to life in a very real and slightly provocative way.

The regular business meeting will follow in which plans for Historic Marietta Day—May 17—will be discussed.

Businesses are being encouraged to do something special that day as activities

planned should draw many people to town. If you own a business, would like to participate and did not receive a letter explaining plans for the day, notify the Associates at P.O. Box 3.

The group is planning a publicity brochure and will include your "specialty of the day" if you let them know your plans by March 31.

This Week's Calendar

Thursday, March 20, at 7:30 pm "Jack" Loose will speak at the Marietta Community House. His talk is part of the Marietta Restoration Associates regular monthly meeting.

Thursday, March 20, the monthly meeting of the Donegal School Board will be held at the District Office at 8 pm.

Friday, March 21, and Saturday, March 22. The Columbia Little Theater will present **Your Own Star** at the Columbia High School. For ticket information phone 684-0175.

Saturday, March 22, a Mini Sports Show will be held in the Donegal High School beginning at 6:30 pm.

Saturday, March 22 and 29, registration for summer Little League Baseball in Marietta at the Community House from 10 to 12 and 1 to 4 pm.