

Obituaries

HAROLD E. ESHLEMAN

Harold E. Eshleman, 52, RD#1, Mount Joy, died last week at the St. Joseph Hospital after a brief illness.

Eshleman, a foreman at the National Standard Co., lived in Mount Joy for 16 years.

He was a staff sergeant in the Air Force during the Korean War. He had

previous service in the Army and the U.S. Merchant Marine.

He was a member of the W.S. Ebersole Post 185 of the American Legion and Post 5752 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He also belonged to the 40 and 8 Voiture in Lancaster.

Eshleman was a member

of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Lancaster.

He was the husband of Betty J. Rankin Eshleman and the son of Mrs. Miriam Miller Eshleman, Lancaster, and the late Veryl R. Eshleman.

In addition to his wife and mother he is survived by two sons; two grandchildren;

and two brothers, Richard C., Dillsburg, and Allen H., Lititz.

CLAUDE R. FAHRINGER

Claude R. Fahringer Sr., 100 W. Front St., Marietta, died last week at the St. Joseph Hospital. He had been under the care of a physician. He was 64.

A retired construction worker, he was a member of the Marietta Beneficial Association and the Blain Sportmen's Club.

He was born in Hellam Township, York County, a son of Ruth Waller Fahringer, Marietta, and the late Reuben Fahringer.

He is survived, in addition

to his mother, by these children: William H. and Claude R. Fahringer Jr., both of Marietta; Ruth C., wife of Paris H. McKain, Mount Joy; two sister: Elizabeth Weber, Lancaster, and Elsie, wife of Earl Marley, Marietta; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mount Joy pack 136 at Akela council fire

Mount Joy's Cub Pack #136 attended the Western District Akela Council Fire held at Elizabethtown Area High School recently.

Attending from Pack #136 were: Robert Mark, Ann Mark, Loretto Dimeler, Bryan Mark, Kevin Mark, Carolyn Newcomer, Irene Becker, Nancy Turpin, John Aufer, Edna Wolf, Victor Wolf, John Henry, Scott Newcomer, Brian Charles,

Corey Halterman, Harold Hartman, James Gamble, Kevin Eby, Thomas Groff, John Haller, Andrew Weatherbee, Eric Koser, Michael Gantz, Harry Eisenhower, Dwayne Becker, Brian Derr, Steven Turpin and Andrew Breault.

Robert Mark and Loretto Dimeler also attended the Mount Joy BPW's meeting at Hostetter Dinning Hall last Monday evening.

Letter to the Editor

To the Editor:

May we take this opportunity to express our appreciation to one of Donegal School District's most exemplary and conscientious teachers, Cheryl Wise! Mrs. Wise not only instructs the elementary art classes in the district but involves her students in culture, history and innovation. As attested by the recent beautifully coordin-

ated "Related Arts" program, she has always concerned herself with the students benefiting from practical application of the arts and the knowledge and emotion expressed throughout the vast art media.

The school district is most fortunate to employ the dedication of Cheryl Wise's talent, services and efforts.

Sincerely grateful,
Patricia A. Gilmartin

Brigette Farley visits the junior high

Mrs. Brigette Farley recently visited the 7A geography class at Beahm Junior High School to participate in a Bavarian festival. Originally from the Black Forest area of Germany, Mrs. Farley now resides in Elizabethtown while she and her husband are students at Lancaster Bible College.

Mrs. Farley told students that German schools are much more difficult than American schools. In Germany it is compulsory to attend school through the ninth grade. After that, students pursue either a technical or college preparatory education in schools comparable to American high schools. Those students who show no academic aptitude or interest go to work on farms or in factories. The summer vacation is six weeks long and held in August and September. Mrs. Farley also showed slides of picturesque mountain and river scenes, towns, castles and cathedrals.

A lively atmosphere was created by polka music on record. German foods were

prepared by 7A students and Mr. Walter Price. Open-face sandwiches made with a variety of sausages (Bratwurst, Schinkenwurst, Bierwurst, Laberwurst) were a popular treat among the students. German potato salad (Kartoffelsalat), appleschnitz with brown sugar, nut breads (Nubkuchen), and German chocolate and Streusel cakes were also served. In place of the widely known German beverages, thirsty 7A students drank Hawaiian punch!

Several boys wore colorful suspenders with their trousers while some of the girls dressed in the German manner. Mr. Price wore an outfit characteristic of the lederhosen German men wear on occasion.

Posters in room 102 encourage appreciation and understanding of the German culture and language. Students have learned such conversational expressions as "Gutentag!" or "good afternoon," "Kommen essen!" or "come eat," and "Ich bin haim gehen!" which means "I'm going home."



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