

The Mount Joy Bulletin

VOL. XXIX, No. 36

MOUNT JOY, PENNA., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1930

\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

MERCHANTS MUST ADVERTISE LARGELY—COURAGEOUSLY—THE THINGS THAT PEOPLE WANT AND WILL BE HELPED BY OWNING

TWO WOMEN, EACH 100 YEARS OLD

ONE OF THEM MISS ELLEN HARN, A FORMER STUDENT AND TEACHER AT CEDAR HILL SEMINARY

Out at Hastings, Nebraska, recently, two women of 100 years each met and enjoyed together a party given in their honor.

This is of considerable local interest because one of these ladies, Miss Ellen Harn, was a student and later a teacher at Cedar Hill Seminary, at Mount Joy.

The information was received thru Mr. J. W. Barnhart, a printer and publisher of Omaha, Neb. Mr. Barnhart says:

"In the early '70's the school was reorganized as a school for both sexes and my brother Will, of Harrisburg, and I were students there the term of 1874-5.

Expect to pay a visit to my relatives in Mount Joy and other places in the spring or summer.

Following is the article describing the celebration:

Miss Ellen Harn, one of the nation's earliest women teachers in free public schools, reached her one hundredth birthday January 18, while Mrs. Caroline Wademan celebrated her century birth anniversary Tuesday.

Each is able to be about country.

(Turn to Page Six)

Don't Miss Your Copy

That handy little booklet, published annually by the Bulletin, "The Sale Season," is now ready for distribution. The book contains a limited amount of advertising in addition to one of the most complete lists of Spring Sales ever published. In it are nearly 200 public sales. These books are distributed free.

Will Play At Lincoln

The Masquerade Band of Mt. Joy will play their second engagement at Lincoln on Saturday, February 22nd, at the Mid-winter carnival which will be held by the Lincoln Fire Company in their fire house.

Valentine Party

Miss Sue Fackler entertained a number of friends at a Valentine party at her home near Salunga Wednesday evening. They played games, had music and refreshments. All present had an enjoyable time.

LOCAL DOINGS AROUND FLORIN

LOYALTY GIRLS OF THE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN HELD CLASS MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

The Loyalty Girls of the Church of the Brethren of this place, held their class meeting on Friday night at the home of Miss Fannie Lehigh, of near Maytown. Those present were: Mrs. Ephraim Eshleman, Misses Clara Groff, Sally Flowers, Jane Kraybill, Anna Mae Werner, Lillian Hottenstein, Mary Werner, Florence Werner, Fannie Lehigh, Grace White and Bertha Royer. Refreshments were served and a very interesting and instructive program rendered. The (turn to page 5)

BOOSTERS NAME OFFICERS; ELECTION FEBRUARY 25

The Boosters met Monday evening at the Garden Spot Restaurant with a goodly number present. After dinner the nomination of officers was held. Mr. Arthur Hendrix was nominated president; Dr. Smedley, John Tryon and Dr. W. D. Chandler, vice president; C. A. Wealand, secretary and treasurer. Election will take place Feb. 25. Next Tuesday there will be a social meeting of the Rotarians and Boosters at the Garden Spot restaurant. Dr. Gage, of Millersville, will address the clubs.

Is Seriously Charged

Byron Detweiler, of Ross street, Lancaster, a student of the Temple University, furnished bail for a court trial on a serious charge, following a hearing before Alderman John F. Burkhardt on Tuesday night. Dorothy Myers, of this borough, is the prosecutor. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Myers.

Notified to Abate It

A complaint, having been made by residents of Old Market street, concerning stench arising from the water from the new creamery. The Board of Health has notified the proprietors to abate the cause.

Hospital Meeting

The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Lancaster General Hospital will be held Thursday, Feb. 13, at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. S. B. Barnhart.

STATE TO GET STONES MARKED BY INDIANS

Despite efforts of the Lancaster county Historical Society to have boulders at Safe Harbor containing rare hieroglyphics placed upon them by early Indian settlers, kept within the confines of the county, the stones will be removed under the supervision of State Historian Dr. Frederic A. Godcharles and placed in the Indian lore collection of the state museum, Harrisburg. A small part, however, of the hieroglyphics may be presented to the Lancaster museum.

Dr. Godcharles, in discussing the stones which are being removed to save them from being submerged by the erection of a hydro-electric dam at Safe Harbor, the markings were placed on the stones long before Lancaster county was settled.

FIRST SETTLERS IN LANCASTER CO.

NOTED WRITER IN THE PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER CLAIMS THEY WERE SWISS MENNONITES

Girard in the Philadelphia Inquirer, prompted, as he says, by my reference to early Swiss settlers in Pennsylvania, one who wishes to be known as "Skippack Mennonite" sends me two questions:

"Is it true that Lancaster county was first settled by Swiss and not by Germans? And, were the Swiss pioneers Mennonites?"

Yes to both questions. The first white man whose name is connected with Lancaster history was Louis Michelle, a Swiss prospector, who scouted that region, looking for precious metals in 1704.

His daring caused his arrest by the Penns, who accused him of trading with Indians without a license. But Michelle's answer to the charge had much significance.

He said he was looking over that wooded land at the request of (Turn to page 3)

B. & L. ASSOCIATION IS PROGRESSING NICELY

The regular monthly meeting of the Directors of the Mount Joy Building and Loan Association was held at the First National Bank and Trust Company last Wednesday evening.

Secretary Bomberger reported the receipts for January were \$1,063.70 and the Treasurer, Fellenbaum reported a balance of \$840.36. The receipts are very encouraging and total almost as much as similar associations ten years older. There were two applications for loans. One was granted and the other referred to the Property committee with power to act.

SCOUTS WILL CELEBRATE LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

Boy Scouts of America Troup No. 2, will hold a Lincoln's Birthday program at the troop headquarters to-night. All scouts are urged to be there. The troop's chairman announced at the last meeting, that starting with to-night there will be a drive for new members. The scout that brings in the most members at the end of the month, will receive a very useful gift for use in scout work.

Annual Bee

The Landisville Grammar School will hold their annual spelling bee on Saturday evening, Feb. 22nd, in the High School auditorium. An interesting program of dialogues and music will be given. There will be two classes, with six prizes to each class.

Home From Hospital

Mr. Joseph B. Hershey, local tonsorial artist, was brought home from a Phila. hospital last week after being a patient there nearly six weeks. He is greatly improved and is now able to be about the house.

The Firemen's Banquet

Friendship Fire Company No. 1 held its annual banquet in Andy Brown's hall last Thursday evening. Sauerkraut was served to seventy firemen and friends. All had a fine time.

Reading by Mrs. Beyer

There will be a special service at the Mt. Joy M. E. Church next Sunday, Feb. 16, at 7:30 P. M., at which time Mrs. Wm. H. Beyer will give a reading. Hearty welcome to all.

One Meat Store Less

The Union Meat Store, in business on East Main street for the past few months, moved out of town Monday, discontinuing the store.

State Secretary Coming

State Council Secretary C. W. Brister of Philadelphia, will be present at the meeting on Friday Feb. 14, of the Fraternal Patriotic Americans here. Please attend.

THIS IS LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY



THIS IS A REPRODUCTION OF THE WELL KNOWN MONUMENT BY ST. GAUDENS.

Today marks the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, Civil War President of the United States, and one of America's greatest men. Born of lowly parentage, product of struggling poverty, Lincoln clearly proved that where there is a will, a way may be found to render real service to one's country and become a blessing to mankind.

It was reserved for this strange being, late in life, without name or fame, or preparation, to be snatched from obscurity, raised to a supreme command at a supreme moment, and intrusted with the destiny of a nation.

Nothing can more forcibly show the spirit of this great man than his famous Gettysburg address, which we reproduce here for the benefit of rising generations:

"Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth upon this

continent a new nation, conceived in liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal. We are engaged in a great civil war, testing whether that nation—or any other nation so conceived and so dedicated—can long endure. We are met on a great battlefield of that war. We are met to dedicate a portion of that field as the final resting place of those who here gave their lives that that nation might live. It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this. But, in a larger sense, we cannot dedicate, we cannot consecrate, we cannot hallow this ground. The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here, have consecrated it far above our power to add or detract. The world will little note, nor long remember, what we say here; but it can never forget what they did here.

"It is for us, the living, rather to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they have thus far so nobly carried on. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us: that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they here gave the last full measure of devotion; that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain; that this nation shall, under God, have a new birth of freedom; and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

Lincoln little dreamed, when thus he spoke on that eventful occasion, that his words, briefly and informally spoken, should become such a masterpiece as to be looked upon as one of the greatest addresses ever delivered by mortal man.

May the spirit of sacrifice be inured in our hearts "that these dead shall not have died in vain," that "from the ashes of dissolving self" and "from the furnace heat of affliction" may rise a nobler nation and a nobler people lighting the way to man's higher destiny and true heritage.

LOCAL MAN ARRESTED IN GAMBLING DRIVE

Three persons were arrested by State Police of the Manheim station on charges of conspiracy to violate the gambling laws and District Attorney Summer V. Hosterman has announced his drive to rid Lancaster county of slot machines has begun.

One of them was Michael Klessinger, proprietor of the Farmers' Inn here, who police charge with being the head of a syndicate that has been placing machines throughout the county. Mr. Shaub, one of the men arrested, implicated Klessinger by stating that he, Klessinger placed a slot machine in his hotel and was to share in the profits.

Klessinger waived a hearing and gave bail for court.

Congratulations

Mr. Fred Lieberher Sr., had a birthday the past week.

Evelyn Gerber had her 7th birthday on Sunday.

Betty Bigler recently celebrated her second birthday.

Elsie Dillinger celebrated her birthday on Saturday.

Matilda Conrad had her 15th birthday last Thursday.

Harold Barnhart celebrated his 12th birthday last Wednesday.

Miss Esther Barnhart observed her 17th birthday on Thursday.

Mr. Harry McCann celebrated his birthday Thursday, February 6th.

Caroline Smith celebrated her birthday Friday, February the 7th.

Master Wilbur Hawthorne celebrated her birthday Monday the 10.

Prof. Brandt Spoke

Prof. Mervin Brandt, of our school faculty, made an excellent address before the Rotary Club here yesterday using Lincoln as his subject. All the members and visitors were greatly pleased.

Next week's meeting will be a joint meeting with the Lancaster Club at Lancaster, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Kirk R. Burkett has accepted a position at the Grey Iron Casting Company.

The New Holland Machine Company has asked for a receiver.

OTTERBEIN GUILD MET WITH MISS GETA DIETZ

The Otterbein Guild of the United Brethren church held their meeting at the home of Miss Geta Dietz on East Main street, Monday evening.

The following was the program: Piano Prelude, Mrs. Rettew; Doxology; Scripture Readings, Mae Beamer; Helen Bates, Virginia Greenwalt, Ruth Hendrix; Solo, "O Zion Haste," Geta Dietz; Talk, "Those Who Know the Lord Give Thanks," Ruth Derr; Meditation, "How Grateful Am I"; Prayer; Mission Study, "I Saw a Ship a Sailing," by Geta Dietz. Beatrice Wagner, Almada Stauffer, Ruth Brubaker, Mrs. Rettew, Ruth Bishop Edna Pennell, Mrs. Ernest Cobough.

A social hour followed, at which time a Valentine party was very much appreciated. Games were played. Delicious refreshments were served to fifteen folks.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTS OFFICERS

The Methodist Sunday School elected the following officers on Monday evening: Superintendent, Dr. E. W. Garber; Assistant Superintendent, Mr. C. Walters; Secretary, Mrs. C. Walters; Treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Crider; Treasurer, Benevolences, Mr. H. Sumpman; Pianist, Mrs. E. W. Garber; Supt. of Primary Dept., Miss Fannie Mumma; Supt. of Home Dept., Mrs. H. Clay; Supt. of Temperance Dept., Miss Dalis College; Supt. of Missions, Mrs. Clinton Campbell.

Violated Traffic Laws

Chief of Police Elmer Zerpey made these arrests last week:

For passing at an intersection, John Hoopes, Ridley Park, Del. Co.

For failing to heed stop signs, George Resh, of Marietta, and Mr. John H. Shank, of R. 3, Mt. Joy.

Cut His Cheek

While coasting near the Sunnyside school, Marlin, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shaffer, ran into another sled and cut a deep gash in his cheek which required stitching.

WILL TAKE TRADE CENSUS THRUOUT THE COUNTY

Eight men who will gather data for the special census of all distribution and manufacturing in the county outside Lancaster and Columbia, were named Saturday. The local districts will be canvassed as follows:

District No. 1, Walter Z. Hoffman, Marietta; Conoy township, West Donegal township, Elizabeth township, Mt. Joy township, East Donegal township, Marietta borough.

District No. 2, Oliver M. Fridy, Mountville; Mt. Joy borough, Rarho township, Penn township, Manheim borough, West Hempfield township, Mountville borough.

A SCHOOL BAND IS NOW A CERTAINTY

A meeting of the Parents and Pupils of the proposed band of the Mt. Joy Schools was held Monday evening in the High School auditorium with an attendance of thirty parents present, of which twenty signed for the trial 8-lesson plan. There are fourteen pupils who already play instruments, giving a total of thirty-four in favor of the School Band, and it is expected to have fifty signatures by the end of the week.

Student Writes Play

"Arthur Moyer, a junior at Lafayette College, visited friends in this city on Sunday. A one-act play Mr. Moyer has written called "Monday Talks," will be presented at the little theatre at Lafayette in April."

Mr. Moyer, referred to above, is a Mount Joy boy. Last year he took a course in drama at Yale University. We hear he has just been elected a member of Chi Phi Fraternity at Lafayette.

Series of Meetings

A series of revival meetings will begin in the Mennonite church, on Donegal Springs road, here, Sunday evening, Feb. 23. These meetings will continue nightly for two weeks, conducted by Rev. John W. Hess, of Akron. All are invited.

10 LOCAL SCHOOLS ON APPROVED LIST

Ten secondary schools in Lancaster city and county are on the accredited list issued by the Commission on Secondary Schools of the Association of Colleges of the Middle States and Maryland.

Other schools have either not applied for standing or do not prepare for college, officers of the association point out, and omission does not necessarily reflect on their merits.

Approved schools are: Boys' High school of Lancaster; Stevens High school; Franklin and Marshall academy, Shippen School, Linden Hall, Lititz High school, West Lampeter Vocational school, Manheim Boro high school, Mount Joy High school and Manor High school at Millersville.

GENERAL NEWS FOR BUSY FOLKS

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY FOR THE BENEFIT OF BUSY PEOPLE

Mrs. Bertha Menough is driving a new Plymouth.

Miss Anna Grosh is confined to her home with chicken pox.

A cardboard of beer labeled "Eola," was seized in the Eola yards.

The National bank at Terre Hill has merged with a similar bank at Blue Ball.

Mr. Roy B. Sheetz our local general director is sporting a new Ford and a new delivery truck.

All the crossing watchmen on the Penna. R. R. were granted an increase in pay yesterday.

Mr. John Frey of near Hossler's church, killed a hog, 15 months old, which weighed 516 pounds dressed.

Miss Flo Smith resigned her position at Trimmers' and accepted a position at the Grey Iron Casting Co.

William Black, aged 70, of Weiksville, near Gettysburg, was fined \$700 for killing deer out of season.

Peter H. Hilgert, of Columbia, was sued for \$15,500 damages by a Philadelphia lady on account of a motor accident.

Richard Brubaker, son of Daniel B. Brubaker, one of our local merchants, is recovering from Croline burns about the face, neck and hands.

Jay Harold and Alice Kathryn Brubaker, young son and daughter of Daniel B. Brubaker are confined to their home with Whooping cough.

CHARGES ARE WITHDRAWN FLORIN MAN RELEASED

Daniel Brubaker, fifty, of Florin, was released from the Lancaster county prison, when charges of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor were dropped at a hearing before Squire C. C. Hicks, of Maytown. The charges had been brought by Frank Nisley, of Maytown. Brubaker was arrested by Chief of Police Elmer Zerpey, of this place.

The "Patt" Is Out

Last week the Pattersonian, that newsy monthly published by the students of Mount Joy High School, was circulated. The editorial department contains such interesting articles as "Earnest Effort Achieves Success," "Doing Your Bit," and others. In the Literary department we find, "A Ship Without a Sail," "Rewarded," "Yorkick and Hamlet" and others of an equally interesting nature.

Restaurant Hygiene Notice

If you have not sent your Health Certificate to the Health Officer or Secretary of Mount Joy Borough Board of Health, please mail same before February 15. After that date it will be necessary to report you to Harrisburg.

Killed In a Crash

Mrs. Hoo Frick, 611 Vine St., Phila., was killed and three others injured when a passenger car and a 5-ton truck collided on the Lincoln Highway, east of Lancaster, Saturday.

Bought New Fords

Mr. John D. Miller, of this place, bought a new sport model Ford and Jacob Brown, also of town, bought a Ford sport roadster from the local dealer, Mr. Clarence S. Newcomer. Both cars were delivered yesterday.

Bought a Property

Mr. Earl Kaylor has purchased the frame double house he now occupies, corner of Lumber and David streets, in this borough, from the W. B. Detwiler Estate at private sale and on private terms.

Local Men Named

At a meeting of the Lancaster County Guernsey Breeders' Association, the following local men were named as members of the executive committee: Messrs. S. M. Root, of Landisville; H. L. Mumma, Landisville, and N. E. Garber, Mount Joy.

OUR MORTUARY RECORDINGS

MANY WELL KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

Mrs. Elizabeth Carter, aged 68, died at Columbia.

Samuel Shenberger died at Columbia, aged 86 years.

John Henry Wolf died at Columbia, aged 70 years.

Mrs. Sarah Gross, 77, a native of Columbia, died at Allentown.

Miss Annie McManus, formerly of Columbia, died Thursday at York.

John H. Bucher

John H. Bucher, died at his home in Forman, Sargent county, North Dakota, from injuries sustained when attacked by a bull. Mr. Bucher is a brother-in-law of Mr. Wm. Hassinger, of Florin.

Mrs. Richard Bratherton

Mrs. Annie Lee Bratherton, seventy, wife of Richard Bratherton, died at her home, Marietta, Sunday morning of complications, after an illness of one year.

Besides her husband three grandchildren; three great grandchildren; (Turn to Page 5)

AMERICAN LEGION CARD PARTY WINNERS

The Walter S. Ebersole Post, No. 185, held their regular monthly card party, at the Legion Home, on Monday evening with a very good attendance. These parties are held the second Monday in each month. Everyone is invited and bring your friends with you, so don't forget the next one Monday, March 10th. Practice up and be a winner. These were the winners at Monday night's party:

Pinochle, Pete Miller and F. H. Shenk.

Five Hundred, Jos. I. Nellis, Margaret Rahm, C. V. Kinsey, Mrs. L. Libhart, Mrs. D. N. Long, Edward Buock, Mrs. J. M. Swarr, Edgar Butzer, Jacob Birkenbine, Mrs. H. Fryberger, Sue Wisman, Rea Wisman, Matilda Haas and Lew Libhart.

Bridge, Mrs. U. E. Hoffer, Miss Bare, Ruth Shellenberger, John G. Longenecker, Mrs. C. S. Newcomer, Mrs. Dumvill, Mrs. C. V. Kinsey and Mrs. Anthony Warts.

TOBACCO PROSPECTS ARE JUST A TRIFLE BRIGHTER

The tobacco situation thruout this community is still far from normal and even though the dealers would like to have the crop, it appears as though they are at a loss to know just about what it is worth.

In some parts of the county a few crops were sold this week. Enos Musser, near Ironville, sold 12 acres at 20 and 5. A number of other sales are reported at that same figure and one crop, 15 acres, grown by Rohrer Getz, was sold for 23 and 6.

Down around Stevens several crops were sold at prices ranging from 18 and 4 to 20 and 5.

Around Lincoln four crops were sold at 20 and 5.

One local dealer was thru some sections of East Donegal within the past few days. He offered 13 cents but we have not heard of any crops that he bought.

AIRPLANE WAS USED TO FEED THE GAME

An airplane was used last Wednesday by the State Game Commission to drop food to wild turkeys and deer in the mountainous sections of Cumberland County.

Three hundred pounds of corn and apples were dropped in sacks over various parts of the area by Harry H. Gibb, a game protector.

An Intoxicated Driver

Claude August, aged 22, of Route 1, Columbia, was arrested north of Elizabethtown on a charge of driving a car while intoxicated. August nearly ran into a policeman but did bang into the fence. There were 57 empty bottles and 7 empty kegs in his car.

Quartette Will Broadcast

The U. B. Male Quartette of this place has been engaged to sing at the Water Street Rescue Mission of Lancaster on Sunday afternoon, February 16, between the hours of 3:00 and 4:30. The services will be broadcast.

Supper and Fancy Work Sale

The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren church will hold a baked ham supper in the church basement on Saturday, February 22. They will also have Bonnets, Aprons and Fancy Work for sale.

Baptism and Reception

There will be baptism and reception of members in the United Brethren Church, Sunday morning, Feb. 15. Evangelistic services each Wednesday and Sunday evening, Rev. C. E. Rettew, minister.