

Today, August 17th Will Be A General Holiday In Town—Our Union S. S. Picnic At Hershey

C. of C. Trying To Land A New Industry

Members of our local Chamber of Commerce recently interviewed a representative of a hosiery mill in New Jersey.

The mill employs one hundred and fifteen men and women and the owners are seeking a new location because of labor trouble in Jersey.

The Chamber of Commerce is investigating and we sincerely hope they find a suitable location should their findings prove satisfactory.

With surrounding towns adding new stores and industries each year, our small hamlet, has been at a standstill so far as new and different sources of employment are concerned.

With unemployment at its highest in years, 115 new jobs would indeed be welcome.

FRACTURED A LIMB

Mrs. Martin Strickler, a clerk at the First National Bank and Trust Company here, met with an accident. While visiting a neighbor she tread thru a porch step and sustained a fractured lower limb near the knee.

Information For the Safety Of Everybody

Motorists who permit any person to hang on the outside or hitch on to the rear end of their vehicles are subject to \$25 fine and costs or ten days in jail under a law passed by the 1939 State Legislature, according to the Lancaster Automobile Club. The Club points out that this not only prohibits riding on running boards, but also pulling anyone on a bicycle, roller skates, sled or similar device on public streets or highways in Pennsylvania. The Automobile Club explains the law thus: "Previously these (Turn to Page 2)

ON TWO WEEKS VACATION

Mr. Elam Bomberger, assistant cashier at the First National Bank and Trust Co. here, began his two weeks vacation Monday.

Mr. Joseph Moore is assisting at the bank during the absence of Mr. Bomberger and Mrs. Strickler.

The Ladies' Adult Bible Class Met At Cove Park

The Ladies' Adult Bible Class of Trinity Lutheran Church, held their meeting outdoors at the Cove, on Monday evening.

Supper was served by caterer Eli Hostetter and was followed by the regular business meeting.

A most delightful time was held by all present, including: Mrs. Harvey Johnson, Mrs. Harry Nentwig, Mrs. Alice Snyder, Mrs. Carl Sheaffer, Mrs. Floyd Gilbert, Mrs. B. A. Shupp, Mrs. Melvin Weaver, Mrs. Howard Bortzfeld, Mrs. Paul Hipple, Mrs. Harriet Brown, Mrs. John Rice, Mrs. William Dillinger, Mrs. John Garlin, Mrs. Helen Snyder, Mrs. Arthur Hendrix, Mrs. Ed. Hendrix, Mrs. Paul Frank, Mrs. Hiram Detwiler, Mrs. Irwin Smith, Mrs. Robert Metzler, Mrs. Theda Young, Mrs. Wm. Batzel, Miss Anna Keener, Miss Beatrice Pennyacker, Mrs. Joseph Breneman, Miss Bernice Myers, Mrs. James Neal, Mrs. Harvey Herclerth, Mrs. Alice Longenecker, Mrs. Tillie Landvater, Miss Flo Smith, Mrs. Clyde Eshleman, Mrs. Nora Derr and Mrs. Harold Brown.

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MOST UP-TO-THE-MINUTE WEEKLY IN LANCASTER COUNTY

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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

Fairview's 16th Annual Reunion

The sixteenth annual reunion of Fairview school, Mount Joy township, will be held on Saturday, August 19, at the Fairview school house.

Pupils, former pupils, teachers, patrons, and friends are cordially invited to attend. There will be free transportation from Elizabeth-town if committee is informed.

The program will be as follows: Song, "America," invocation, Oscar Prinsler; remarks by chairman; music; school, "The Old School House on the Hill," reading Albert Eshenbaugh; ladies' quartette; address, Ralph R. Frey; violin solo, Clarence Greiner; reading, Mrs. Adam Steager; playette, "Please Pass the Cream," Dorothy Longenecker, Earl Greiner; address, Levi C. Hershey; music, ladies' quartette; business period, reports of treasurer and resolution committee, election of officers; closing.

The officers are: I. W. Eshleman, chairman; C. R. Frey, secretary; J. H. Stern, treasurer.

SEWING CLUB MEMBERS AT SAFE HARBOR

The members of the Landisville and Salunga Sewing club, were entertained Thursday at the Stehman cottage, near Safe Harbor, by Mrs. P. B. Stehman.

Those in the party included: Mrs. John Bender and daughter Virginia Ruth, Mrs. Benjamin Kendig, Mrs. John Greider, of Salunga; Mrs. Mark Nolt, Mrs. John Trayer, Mrs. Frank Daugherty, Mrs. Earle Stauffer and Miss Ruth Hoffman, of Landisville and Miss Mildred Stehman, daughter of the hostess.

OLD 9 1/2 SHARES STOCK IN NEW B & L SERIES

The regular August meeting of the Mount Joy Building and Loan Association was held last Wednesday evening with Messrs. Fellenbaum, Bomberger, Walters, Eby and Schroll present.

The secretary reported the receipts for July were \$2,603.94 and that 9 1/2 shares of stock of the new series were sold.

One new first mortgage loan was granted.

EARL MYERS HOST TO THE USHERS' LEAGUE

The Ushers' League of the St. Mark's United Brethren church met Thursday evening at the home of Earl Myers on the Strickler farm south of town. Twenty-eight persons attended the meeting and enjoyed an evening of soft ball and quiet pitching. The next meeting of the group will be held at the home of John Booth on Delta street, Thursday, September 14.

TO INSPECT SCHOOL BUSES

School buses will be inspected throughout the county August 23. Here they will be inspected on the Marietta pike at the boro limits.

After it was learned that he was \$26,000 short in his accounts a 44-year-old bank clerk at Pittsburgh shot himself.

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EXTENSIVE TRAVELER IN NINETY-FIRST YEAR

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Workman, on Marietta St., have as their guest for the week, the former's uncle, Mr. Joseph M. Workman, of Newark, Ohio. Mr. Workman will soon reach his 91st year and has chosen this "youthful" age to do some extensive traveling.

Having been employed by the B and O Railroad for fifty-three years he became a pensioner of same at the age of 79 years.

He spent the past winter in Florida and then visited a widowed daughter-in-law in Sault St. Marie, Canada.

Last Thursday at St. Clairsville, Ohio he headed the Workman Reunion and accompanied Dr. Workman on his trip back to town by auto.

After spending the week here Mr. Workman will visit in Elizabeth, New Jersey and "do" the New York World's Fair, before returning to his home in Ohio.

392 Pupils Attended Bible School

The Bible school of the Mount Joy Mennonite church closed its two weeks' session Friday morning with special programs in each of the classrooms. Superintendent Elam S. Hess reported a total enrollment of 392 pupils with an average daily pupil attendance of 353, an increase of 55 over last year. The total average attendance of teachers, pupils and visitors was 421.

Of the enrollment, 252 maintained perfect attendance for the two weeks. The superintendent reported that a total of 7,460 Bible verses were memorized by the group. Dorothy May Brubaker leading the junior department with 211 and Adlene Miller leading the primary group with 64.

The school this year was divided into twenty-six classes with twenty-eight teachers in charge of instruction. Officers for the school were: Elam S. Hess, superintendent; Herbert Brubaker, secretary, and Elam Bomberger, treasurer.

Brief News Of The Day From Local Dailies

Philadelphia is deluged with counterfeit \$5 bills.

Charles E. Cramer, 26, of Holtwood, has mysteriously disappeared.

A \$20,000 fire destroyed four mushroom houses at Kennett Square.

288 graduated at the Summer session of State College.

There will be 299 bridges on Dream Highway between Harrisburg and Pittsburgh.

The authorities at Washington have estimated that the drought cut the nation's corn crop by 110,907,000 bushels.

Of the 836,210 public school teachers in the United States more than half, or 56.6 percent serve in rural areas.

HAD A BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Martha Sauder, on New Haven street, celebrated her seventy-sixth birthday last Wednesday. She received many beautiful remembrance cards and some lovely gifts.

ATTENDED CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Sheetz attended the State American Legion Convention at Williamsport last Friday. Mr. Sheetz was the delegate of the Post here.

GET PAINTING CONTRACT

Zerphy Bros., local painters, Monday received the contract to repaint and paper the interior of the church of the Brethren at Rheems.

CHARLES CLAN MET

The sixteenth annual reunion of the Joseph W. Charles family was held Wednesday with 103 members of the clan present.

Will Erect Another Pavilion In Boro's Cove Park Soon

Fire Company's Annex Goes Before the Voters in September

Constable Zerphy Recommends Traffic Lights on Main Street

The regular August meeting of Mount Joy Boro Council was held Monday evening with all members except Mr. Keller present.

A resolution authorizing the County Commissioners to place the option of voting for or against a proposed addition to the fire house on the election ballot was passed.

The boro will bear the extra expense. The cost of the addition shall not exceed \$10,000. The firemen reported they have \$2,000 in their building fund toward the annex.

Tax Collector Metzler made his

regular monthly report of the outstanding taxes.

Burgess Keener reported having collected \$11.50 during July.

Mr. Hendrix, of the Street Committee reported work started on the West Donegal street improvement.

Mr. Krall, of the Water Committee, reported that the boro should excavate a large basin on the acre of ground it owns near the pumping station. This would give additional water storage during the dry weather. This excavating would give employment to idle men. (Turn to Page 2)

Missionary Was Buried At Sea

I. W. Musser, of Florin, Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of the Brethren in Christ church, received a cablegram Tuesday, stating that Miss Martha Shenk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Shenk, of Mastersonville, had died on a boat while enroute home from South Africa, where she was doing missionary work. The message stated that the body was buried at sea several days journey from the starting port.

Miss Shenk was accompanied by several other missionaries who are on their way home on furlough. She left this country as a missionary to Africa the beginning of 1939 and soon after her arrival in their distant country, she became afflicted with an ailment that finally became alarming. The officials in charge decided to send her home with several other missionaries who were granted a furlough. The trip evidently was too strenuous which resulted in her death after several days on the high seas.

The many friends of Miss Shenk will be grieved to learn of this unusual death. The parents have the sympathy of their friends.

FRIENDSHIP FIRE CO. WON PRIZE AT OXFORD

Friendship Fire company won second prize for the company with the most men in line including the musical unit, in a parade sponsored by the Oxford Fire company Friday night. They were accompanied by the Columbia Drum Corp. There were twenty-two companies in line from three states.

PAINFULLY HURT

Mr. James Neal met with a very painful accident while trimming the sole of a shoe at the Gerberich Payne Shoe Company last Thursday.

The knife he was using slipped off the sole and pierced his chest on the right side. Dr. John Gates treated the wound and Mr. Neal is quite improved, but is off duty.

MODEL AIRPLANE CONTEST

Newcomers Store is offering every boy a chance to try his skill at building a model airplane or ship. The big prizes are really worth trying for and every boy who completes his entry will receive at least a small prize. See their ad on page 5 and stop in at the store for further details.

FAILED TO APPEAR

Mr. Irving Swart, of near town, was arrested Monday evening by Constable Zerphy for failing to appear on a summons for improper passing. He appeared before Squire Hendrix and paid a \$10 fine and \$3.66 costs.

Mt. Joy Day At New York World's Fair

Mount Joy Day at the World's Fair. And the date is Saturday, September 23rd.

Thanks to our local Chamber of Commerce, who is sponsoring the move, Mount Joyans and nearby folks can go to the New York World's Fair, on a special excursion train for only \$5.15.

This includes your fare to and from New York, admission to the Fair grounds, a bus trip over the fair grounds and the terminal fee. The price for children up to 12 years will be \$3.00.

Considering all the admissions included, this is a very nominal fee to see the greatest fair the world has ever known.

Every man, woman, and child, (Turn to Page 2)

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

On Friday evening, Aug. 11th, Mrs. Harry R. Kuhn gave a surprise chicken and waffle supper in honor of Mr. Kuhn's 61st birthday.

Later in the evening a package surprise also was featured. Those present beside the family were: Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Foreman, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Foreman, Mrs. Christ Hershey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kuhn of Manheim, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Martin and sons.

A number of lovely gifts were received from those present and from a few persons who were not present.

Our Card Basket For The Week

Mr. John Miller and family, spent Sunday at Carlisle.

Mr. William Bachman and Samuel Ober spent Saturday at Lancaster.

Miss Arlene Rider spent the week-end at her home on Manheim street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eberle are spending the week at the New York World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Myer, of Route 3, Lititz, called on friends in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gingrich spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey at Paxtang.

Miss Barbara Anne Walters and Miss Ethel Barto spent the week-end. (Turn to page 3)

JOE WANTS A DIVORCE

Joseph G. Kopecki, of Bainbridge, has made application for a divorce from Christina K. Brady, address unknown, subpoena for divorce on the grounds of desertion; married on April 10, 1934, separated on March 10, 1938.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED AT A DINNER PARTY

The engagement of Miss Dorothy Rengier, daughter of Mrs. Alice W. Brubaker, of Lawn, and the late Carl F. Rengier, to W. Scott Heisey, of Rheems, son of Mrs. Susan G. Heisey, was announced at a dinner party, at her home in Lawn, on Saturday evening.

Miss Rengier is a graduate of Millersville State Teachers' college and is a teacher in the Palmyra schools. Mr. Heisey owns and operates a quarry in Rheems.

Guests at the dinner included: Mrs. Susan Heisey, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brubaker, Mr. and Mrs. John Leggoe and daughters, Nancy and Mary Ann, of Lemoyne; Mr. and Mrs. John D. Weaver, of Lancaster; Mr. and Mrs. August Lerbscher, of Lancaster; Mrs. Edith Brubaker, of Lawn; Harold Reynolds and W. Scott Heisey, of Rheems.

HOME-COMING SERVICE AT MILTON GROVE CHURCH

Home-coming Day Services will be held in the Milton Grove Evangelical Church, on Sunday, August 20th at two and seven o'clock, (Standard Time).

Rev. E. M. Meyer, formerly of the Milton Grove congregation, now pastor of Slatedale, an Emerald charge, will be the guest speaker.

Special music will be furnished by the Choir of the Ono Evangelical Church at the afternoon services and by the Arpheus Male Quartette of East Petersburg in the evening.

MAN ARRESTED HERE FOR PASSING A BAD CHECK

E. R. Moore, fifty-five, of Harrisburg was arrested in Camp Hill Thursday by Chief of Police Elmer Zerphy, of town, on a warrant charging him with issuing a bad check for less than \$5.

Prosecution was preferred by C. K. Newcomer, proprietor of a service station here before Justice of the Peace Arthur Hendrix.

He was jailed for a hearing before Squire Hendrix Monday and in default of \$300 bail was recommitted to jail for his appearance at court.

MR. AND MRS. SPRECHER TENDERED A SURPRISE

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sprecher of Florin were tendered a surprise party on Thursday evening, August 10th, in honor of their 46th wedding anniversary. Supper was served on the lawn. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sprecher of Mt. Joy, Mr. and Mrs. L. Clayton Sprecher and children Dorothy, Gilbert and Kenneth of Leacock and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Sprecher of Lancaster.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Elwood R. Ulrich, Manheim R. D. 1 and Dorothy J. Smelter, Mt. Joy. Harlan E. Poole, Columbia and Helen C. Wagner, of this boro.

Harvey A. Frey, Elizabethtown, and Elva M. Stone, Elizabethtown R. D. 1.

MEETING AT BONUS COTTAGE

The Walter S. Ebersole Post 185 of the American Legion will entertain the county committee and officers Thursday evening, August 17, at Bonus cottage, owned by Roy B. Sheetz south of town.

BARBARA BAYLOR'S WILL

Barbara Baylor, of Mt. Joy, who died July 31, gave the balance of her estate to the person who took care of her in her last illness. Roy B. Sheetz was granted letters of administration c. t. a.

FRANK & BRO. SALE

C. S. Frank & Bro., will have sale of Tioga and Perry County cows at their place of business on Friday, August 18th. They will also sell fruit, merchandise, etc.

LETTERS GRANTED

Jacob E. Brubaker, Jr., Henry E. Brubaker and Daniel E. Brubaker, all of East Donegal township, executors of Jacob E. Brubaker, late of East Donegal township.

A. M. E. PICNIC

The Mount Joy A. M. E. Sunday School will hold its annual picnic at William's Grove Park, above Harrisburg.

Mr. Frank Germer Nominated For Post Commander

Frank Germer was nominated for the post of commander of the American Legion of Mount Joy at the monthly meeting of the group held Thursday evening in the Legion Home on Marietta avenue. Other nominations include: Charles Latchford, first vice commander; P. B. Heilig, second vice commander; H. O. O'Neil, adjutant; B. A. Shupp, finance officer.

Raymond Nisley, historian; Lawrence Kramer, sergeant at arms; Clyde Eshleman, chaplain; Earl Miller, Roy B. Sheetz and Albert Myers, trustees.

Ten persons attended the meeting which was presided over by Albert Myers, commander of the post for the past two years. The officers will be elected at the September meeting of the post, which will be held Thursday, September 14.

Mortuary Record In This Section

John Geistwite, 65, died at his home in Columbia.

Mrs. Margaret Keys, 66, of Columbia, died at the County Hospital.

Cora May Swarmer, 56, wife of Voltaire Swarmer, died at Marietta Thursday.

Edward Hohenadel, 40, Columbia, died from gun shot wounds sustained while hunting groundhogs.

Mrs. Mabel F. Campbell, 50, wife of former deputy county controller Arthur E. Campbell, ended her life by gas at her home at Lancaster.

Joseph G. Forney, secretary of the Lancaster Auto Club for many years died Tuesday aged 63 years. Lee G. Forney, Florin merchant, and Mrs. T. N. Hostetter, formerly of Florin, are brother and sister.

Mrs. Fannie Eby Trout

Mrs. Fannie Eby Trout, eighty-six, died at her home on North Main street, Manheim, Friday morning. (Turn to page 3)

HELD CORN ROAST AT COVE PARK

A number of local residents enjoyed a corn roast at the Cove, last Friday evening. Those present were: Mrs. Maggie Way, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mumma, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Greenawalt, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Annie Miller, Mrs. Harry Caslow, Miss Maude Schneider, Betty Miller, Elizabeth Mumma, Ray Mumma, Warren Greenawalt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hendrix, Mrs. George Scheider, Mrs. Lizzie Gelmacher, Patricia and Virginia Harjoeker, of Carlisle, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thacher of Colorado Springs, Colorado.

ANNUAL CORN ROAST

Womens Democratic Club of Lancaster City and County will hold their annual corn roast at Williams-sons park, Lancaster, Thursday Aug. 31, at 7:30 p. m., pavilion No. 3.

Visited By The Stork

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kellon, of town, announce the birth of a son Saturday at the Lancaster General Hospital.

ON DUTY AGAIN

Pumping Engineer George W. Shatz went on duty again Monday after a week's absence due to sickness.

Fire destroyed a 2-story frame house at Columbia Tuesday night.

Local Affairs In General Briefly Told

The town of Pequea is erecting 25 street lights.

Sarah Kihfefer, Ephrata, had her hand crushed in a clothes wringer.

Thirty-four motorists lost their drivers' licenses in this area last week.

A marker in honor of General Sutter was unveiled at Lititz Saturday.

The Lorah clan held its sixth annual reunion at Gerhart's Park, Ephrata.

The 14th annual reunion of the Ney family was held at Stoverdale on Sunday.

The Shank family will hold its third annual reunion at Hershey next Sunday.

The annual farm show management at Ephrata has decided to ban all gambling devices.

Thirty-nine motorists were prosecuted in this section over the week-end for various violations.

The bank at Quarryville received ten forged checks within a few weeks. They range from \$8 to \$80.

Mrs. Raymond Swigler, Columbia, is in the hospital there suffering from burns sustained while frying crab cakes.

Charles Bender, 14, Lititz, was badly cut about the arms and body when he crashed into a barbed wire fence on his bicycle.

Charles R. Jefferson, held in Florida for the murder of a young lady a week ago, is one of the two who attacked a 13-year-old Columbia girl in 1926 and was sent to the reformatory for 15 years.

SECOND ANNUAL PICNIC OF EX-SERVICE MEN

Walter L. Ebersole Post No. 185 will hold its second annual picnic for ex-service men at Sheetz's Bonus Cottage south of town on Sunday, Sept. 10. This will be an all day affair and the entertainment committee is providing ample amusement for all. We know the fellows will have their usual good time.

The Affairs At Florin For Past Week

Miss Gerlitzki will celebrate her birthday on Saturday, August 19th.

Mrs. White and children, of Marietta spent Monday in town with friends.

Mrs. Clayton Breneman returned home from spending a week at Mt. Gretna.

Mr. George Scholing, of Middletown, visited Mrs. Ella Washetter on Monday.

Mr. Henry Wolgemuth and Robert Nisley are spending a few days at the World's Fair.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffer, of Mount Joy, (Turn to page 4)

FRACTURES ARM

Frank Newcomer, Columbia R. D. 2, suffered a fractured left arm in a fall last night. He was treated at the Columbia Hospital.

At Sunbury lives a girl 13 years old who is married and has a five-months-old daughter.

Foch Clan Held Its Annual Reunion At Cove Sunday

The annual reunion of the Foch clan was held at the Cove on Sunday with a good attendance. Games and contests were enjoyed and a number of prizes given. Darlene Schneider received the prize for the youngest person present and Mrs. Elizabeth Mateer, the oldest member of the family, received a plant, although she was not able to be present on account of sickness.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Park Neiss, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Eby, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ross Barto, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schneider, Park, Marion, Jean, Forrest Schneider of Lancaster.

Ross and Asher Neiss, Vera and Shirley Eby, Harry Walter, Jr., Gerald and Robert Arnz, Mrs. Kathryn Arntz, William and Nan Barto, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Barto, Mr. and Mrs. George Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caslow, Miriam and Jerry Lutz, Henry and Maude Schneider, Dorothy Bennett and Arthur Hendrix, Jr., all of town; Mr. and Mrs. George Barto and Harold Barto, of Elizabethtown; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider and Darlene Schneider of Salunga; Miss Ruth Hockenberry and Mr. Schneider of Lancaster.