

Mt. Joy School Chosen One of Three in State to Give Industrial Art Demonstration During Next Week's Farm Show At Harris

The Years of the Locust

ONE OF THE most eventful decades in modern history has ended. And this nation enters a new decade during which, unless all signs are wrong, its people must face and grapple with problems, issues and responsibilities of the most far-reaching character.

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

The Mount Joy Bulletin

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Harold E. Coldren, Former Bulletin Linotype Operator Writes Us From California

Covered 3,173 Miles Thru Ten States Going To West Coast; Witnessed Rose Bowl Game Describes It For Bulletin Readers

DEAR MR. SCHROLL, We just completed a trip of over 3,173 miles through 10 states. It took us through the South, the Southwest and the far West. Only re-views how large the United States is when you take a trip to the coast.

A Coasting Party At The Springs For Her Friends

The snow-clad hills of The Springs were the scene of a merry coasting-knight-tobogganing party, last Friday night, when Jacquie Lyn Hendrix entertained a number of friends here.

D. B. Brubaker Fell Down An Elevator Shaft

Mr. Daniel B. Brubaker, 36, proprietor of the department store at the rear of the First National Bank and Trust Co., North Market St., met with an accident at the store Monday night.

Behind The Future

BY ELIZABETH M. GARBER (Research Assistant to Senator James J. Davis)

Two subway cars, each carrying 18 Senators on a 50 second trip from the Senate Office Building to the Capitol have been equipped with rubber tires for the third session of the Seventy-Sixth Congress. The cars, it was said, were too noisy.

Funbar Apts. Damaged By Fire Saturday

Fire, blamed on an overheated furnace, threatened the four-family 'funbar' apartments on North Barbara street, at 8:30 o'clock Saturday night, and caused an estimated \$300 damage before extinguished by the Friendship Fire company.

DR. R. W. SCHLOSSER IS RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT

At the regular meeting of the trustees of Elizabethtown College last week Dr. R. W. Schlosser was re-elected president.

Hall Asso. Considering Apartments

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ABRAM BRANDT HEADS RAPHO ROAD SUPERVISORS

On Saturday, Jan. 6th, the Rapho Township Road Supervisors re-organized for the fiscal year with the following election: President, Abram Arndt; Secretary-Treasurer, David Spichler.

Local Affairs In General Briefly Told

The Bareville Fire Company will buy a new engine.

Winners In Our Annual Baby Contest

Congratulations to you lucky Mothers and Dads who have a Little 1940 in your homes!

Turning to our own internal problems, our task is great. The gratifying improvement that has recently taken place throughout our economic structure must not be allowed to blind us to the unpleasant truth that not one of those issues which we were forced to face at the start of depression has been solved.

On top of that, there is still a strong clique high in government whose attitude toward business can be described only as strongly inimical. This is the group which backs any and all measures designed to put government into tax-subsidized competition with heavily taxed private enterprise.

Summing up, we have plenty to do at home during the years that stretch ahead. The current Congress and those which follow have their work cut for them—but satisfactory results will be secured only if the people as a whole are awake and watchful, are conscious of their needs, are deeply aware of their American heritage and way of life.

Here in America we have all that is needed to bring a greater prosperity than we have ever known—the industries, the men, the resources. But unless we maintain our basic liberties, material blessings mean nothing.

Flooring and walls of the apartments occupied by Joe Funbar, Jr., and Samuel Ludwig, were damaged, and a closet of clothes on the Ludwig side was burned. A cedar chest belonging to the Ludwigs was also charred and smoke caused damage in the frame structure.

These officers were elected by the board: Rev. R. P. Bucher, Quarryville, vice president; Dr. A. C. Baugher, Elizabethtown, secretary, and Prof. J. Z. Herr, Elizabethtown, treasurer.

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Mr. Harvey Zink, the new member elected, is a veteran in the service, having served fourteen years prior to his re-election.

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Mr. Amos Wertz, discovered the fire and reported it. A crowd watched the firemen, extinguish the blaze.

Co. Tax Rate Is Reduced For This Year

What is believed to be the lowest county tax rate in the nation was established by our county commissioners Friday when they fixed the 1940 tax rate at 1.9 mills.

Inasmuch as the gas stove on the stage was not used during the entire year, it was ordered disconnected.

An increase in salary was granted by the auditors, for attending the business meetings, to enable the supervisors to keep their records in compliance with the new law.

A Lancaster man wants \$400 for a Norway maple tree knocked down by a truck.

1st Prize—The son of Mr. and Mrs. David Chambers, Mt. Joy R. D. No. 1, born January 2nd, one year's subscription to the BULLETIN.

Annual C.C.A. Meeting Will Be Held Today

Today, January 11, at 10:00 A. M. has been set as the date for the sixth annual meeting of the Lancaster Production Credit Association, of 36 E. Chestnut St., Lancaster, it was announced by Carl Thomas secretary-treasurer.

2nd Annual Series Of Agric. Classes

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The meeting will be held this year at Hostetter's Play Barn, on the Old Philadelphia Pike, four miles east of Lancaster, Route No. 340 on road from Lancaster to Bird-in-Hand.

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Local Field Men, representing the Association in these Counties, are Herman E. Long, Landisville; Frank Warfel Chesnut Level; H. Wilbur Heller, Conestoga; Menno Rohrer, Lititz.

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ELECTED BUT FAILED TO LIFT COMMISSIONS Thirteen of the eighty-nine constables and eight justices of the peace elected at last November's election, failed to lift their commissions at the Court House to date.

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The constables who neglected to lift Thursday must now petition the court for appointment if they desire to serve. In the case of justices who neglect, they must petition the Governor.

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LOCAL PROPERTY SOLD Local realtor B. F. Peffer sold at private sale and on private terms a frame house on the north side of East Main Street for Ira E. and Kathryn Mann to Elderalen Gibbons and Bertha Artz Gibbons. The purchaser will take possession on April 1st.

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DR. W. M. WORKMAN RENAMED DEPUTY

Dr. A. V. Walter, County coroner, announced the appointment of 21 deputies in the county to serve for the next four years.

Diehm said that if Governor Earle's plan to have the state over the county homes and hospitals would have succeeded, it is likely that the levy could have been skipped this year. As it is only 4 of the tax rate is necessary for general purposes. The remainder will be used to operate the institutions.

Visited By The Stork

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fory, announce the birth of a son, at home, on January 8th.

Our Schools Chosen One Of 3 In Pa.

At the January meeting of the school board, Mr. Wm. Nittrauer reported that Mount Joy High School has been chosen as one of three schools in Pennsylvania that have been asked to send a total of twenty-five boys, five boys each day for five days, to the Pennsylvania Farm Show at Harrisburg, next week, to give demonstrations of shop work. Swarthmore and Red Lion were the other two high schools chosen.

A broken water main at Columbia flooded a number of cellars in the neighborhood.

2nd Prize—Paul Joseph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rice, town, born January 6th, six month's subscription to the BULLETIN.

HURT WHEN CAR SKIDS

Emerson Rice, Mount Joy R. D. 1, was admitted to the Columbia hospital at 11:30 a. m., Monday suffering a fracture of the right knee—and four teeth knocked out. According to attendants he was injured when the car he was operating skidded and hit a tree.

HIS SIXTEENTH TERM

Dr. Herbert H. Beck was reelected president of the Lancaster County Historical Society for his sixteenth successive term.

Local Banks Elect Their Directors

These banking institutions throughout this locality elected directors for this year as follows:

Mr. Robert Hostetter, instructor of Industrial Arts in the local school, has advised us that these boys will demonstrate the industrial art activities carried on in school shops.

Stanley Brown, Manheim, was elected vice president.

3rd Prize—The son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fory, Mt. Joy, R. D. 1, born January 8th, three month's subscription to the BULLETIN.

HINDERED THE FIREMEN

Russell S. Sumpman, Mount Joy Street was prosecuted by Officer Elmer Zerpey for failing to yield the right of way to a fire engine. He will appear before Justice-of-the-Peace Hendrix for a hearing.

RAPHO PROPERTY SOLD

R. W. Hollinger sold a property in Rapho township to Anna Mateer for \$3,800.

CO-OPERATIVES IN OUR BULLETIN COOKING SCHOOL

We are very pleased with the manner in which the public has accepted THE BULLETIN - JOY Theatre Cooking School, and we wish to call attention to the business places who have co-operated with us in this new venture.

Pages 4 and 5 of this issue contain co-operative ads and tasty recipes. READ these pages thoroughly!

GAVE BAIL FOR COURT

Tuesday afternoon Officer Elmer Zerpey arrested Elmer S. Randler, 228 David Street, on a charge of non-support preferred by his wife, Martha. He gave \$300 bail before Squire Hendrix for his appearance at Court.

January Meeting Of School Board

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COASTER INJURED

McLvin Smith, 15, of Kinderhook, was taken to the Columbia Hospital in a semi-conscious condition as the result of a coasting accident. He crashed into the rear of a broken down bob-sled.

SEEKS A DIVORCE

Harvey David Mateer, North Market street, vs. Esther Spangler Mateer, North Barbara street, subpoena for divorce on the grounds of indignities to the person; married February 16, 1935, separated February 10, 1939.

HELD ON SUPPORT CHARGE

Irvin L. Zink, forty-three, of town, was arrested Monday by Chief of Police Elmer Zerpey, on a charge of non-support preferred by his wife Ellen, also of town. When arraigned before Justice Hendrix, Zink posted \$300 bail for court.

IT WAS INCORRECT

Last week's Bulletin contained an item concerning J. Nissley Brubaker R. 1. The news was incorrect and we are very sorry that the article appeared.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORTED

Finance committee reported a balance of \$7,326.18 for January 1, 1940.

3,057 Tax Liens Are Filed In The County

Liens for unpaid taxes were filed at the court house at Lancaster totaling 3,057. Some were new while others were renewals. The new liens showed a big gain as there were 2,250 as compared with 1,622 a year ago.

TOWNSHIP LIENS

East Donegal, 5 township, 8 school and 2 school renewals; East Hempfield, 3 township, 3 school, Mount Joy, 5 school.

MOTORISTS EXCUSE FOR DRIVING 66 M. P. H.

T. W. Byers, of Mount Joy R. D. 2, told Inspector Ralph W. Cummings Monday in speeders' court that if his operator's privilege is suspended, "I'll have no way to take my family to Sunday School or church. I won't even be able to drive for a doctor, or to the store for groceries." He also added that on inclement days, he will be unable to transport his children to school. Byers was returning home from a hunting trip November 11.

FIRE CO'S CREWS ARE ANNOUNCED

The crews of the Friendship Fire Company were announced at the monthly meeting of the company on Thursday evening. The members as approved by Fire Chief Ray Myers and assistant chief Samuel Miller, Jr., are as follows: Runners, George Schneider, Jr., and Jacob Arndt; chief engineer, Irvin Kaylor; assistant engineers, George Groff, Earl Zink, Parke Neiss, Robert Kunke, and Barto.

AT THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. James Pennell and son, Jimmie, are both confined to the St. Joseph's Hospital at Lancaster, where the boy is being treated for mastoiditis and Mrs. Pennell for an affliction of the ears.

Fire destroyed at \$10,000 barn at Pomeroy Sunday.

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