

The Mount Joy Bulletin

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Mount Joy, Pa., Thursday Morning, January 22, 1942

\$1.50 a Year in Advance

Victory Book Campaign Here This Week and Next Let's Keep 'Em Reading

Committee to Washington Told "No Intention of Taking That Site In Donegals - Conoy Now"

Tobacco Show Also Final 4-H Club Awards

Lancaster county held its annual tobacco show at Lancaster last week and all the tobacco exhibit is being shown at the State Farm Show at Harrisburg this week.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS GET STATE AID FOR TUITION

Approximately 1,000 school districts in 65 counties share a total of \$1,428,474 in State aid approved on Thursday, as reimbursements for high school tuition paid during the 1940-41 school year.

Planned A First Aid Class Here

A meeting to organize classes in First Aid under the direction of Earl Walters was held in the auditorium of the high school Wednesday evening.

HAS A NEW JOB

Guy Myers, former messenger-janitor at the Union National Mt. Joy Bank, has accepted a position at the Gerberich Payne Shoe factory.

LETTERS GRANTED

Coral Gruber, East Donegal township, is the executrix of John B. Martin, late of East Donegal township.

Two Classes In First Aid Instruction This Week

Two classes in First Aid instruction are being held this week in the Richmond Club rooms. There are fifty people listed for these classes, twenty-five in Tuesday's classes and twenty-five in Thursday's classes.

AMERICAN LEGION AUX. MAKES DONATIONS

The American Legion Auxiliary met in regular monthly session at the American Legion Home, last week, with Mrs. W. S. Kuhns, presiding.

Held Praise and Consecration Service At Bossler's

A Praise and Consecration service, in Thanksgiving for the apparent progress made in saving of the Donegal section for farming was held at Bossler's Mennonite church Sunday evening with several hundred members attending.

ANNUAL ORGANIZATION OF UNION NATL BANK

The annual reorganization meeting was held last Thursday at the Union National Mount Joy Bank and resulted as follows: Martin S. Musser, president; John B. Nissly, vice president; Harry N. Nissly, cashier, trust officer and secretary of the board; Karl S. Krall, assistant cashier and assistant trust officer; Victor Shank, John D. Newcomer and Norman H. Sprecher, tellers; Lennius Longenecker, Lester Hostetter and Miss Mary Sherer, clerks; Mrs. Ruth Coble Kraybill, stenographer and clerk; Isaiah Sumpman, messenger and clerk; Arnold and Bricker, solicitors.

22 MEMBERS ATTENDED

The Ushers League of the United Brethren Church, held their meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Maris Gainer, on Old Market Street.

LUTHERAN LADIES' AID TO HOLD CLAM SUPPER

The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity Lutheran Church will hold a clam supper on Saturday, January 31st, from 5 to 8 o'clock in the Parish House.

MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

A meeting of the Air Raid Wardens and Assistants, Auxiliary Firemen and Auxiliary Police, will be held on Friday evening in the high school at 7:00 o'clock.

ATTENDANT AT WEDDING

Mrs. J. Wade Bingham, of town, was one of the attendants at the Moseman-Jones wedding in St. Paul's Reformed church, Lancaster, one day last week.

Harris Doesn't Know What Will Happen If This Is The Only and Most Advantageous Site Available; Other Plots Now Being Considered.

A delegation of Lancaster county farmers and businessmen made a fervent plea to the War Department last Thursday that the Federal government abandon any plan to locate an explosive plant in the Donegal section and apparently won the sympathy of Lieut.-Col. Harris, in charge of sites. "You tell your people not to worry," Harris told the group at the conclusion of the interview. "You can assure your people there's no intention of taking that site immediately."

Brief News Of The Day From Local Dailies

This is the week of the State Farm Show at Harrisburg. The State withdrew the license of 246 motorists last week. Arthur J. Valentine, 34, was struck by an auto and killed at Highspire.

2 Persons Injured In Auto-Truck Crash Near Florin Mon.

Two persons were injured when a truck and an automobile collided on a road between Marietta and Florin about 1:30 p. m. Monday State Motor Police reported.

OUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ELECTED OFFICERS MONDAY

The Chamber of Commerce met on Monday evening and held their election resulting as follows: President, John Booth; first vice president, Clarence S. Newcomer; secretary, Maurice Bailey; treasurer, H. N. Nissly.

Nurse Made 1947 Visits to 405 Patients

Mrs. Unkle, the visiting nurse in the Mt. Joy, Manheim, and Elizabethtown districts of the Lancaster Visiting Nurse Association, reports 1,947 visits made to 405 patients during the past year. 927 visits were made to Metropolitan patients, 116 to John Hancock patients, and 496 to patients who were not insured but who paid a portion of it.

CHILD INJURED BY MOVING AUTO TUESDAY

Shirley Kunkle, 3 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kunkle, of 205, North Barbara Street, town, was injured by a car, driven by Harold Cover, 59 So. Poplar street, Elizabethtown, who was driving a Pontiac Sedan on North Barbara at Frank Street, Tuesday afternoon 3:45 P. M.

LOCAL MANUFACTURERS WILL ASSIST IN THE SALE OF DEFENSE BONDS

A number of industrial firms throughout the county have expressed a willingness to cooperate in the sale of U. S. Defense bonds. Those in our borough who signed are as follows: Gerberich-Payne Shoe Co., George Brown Sons, Inc., Schock Independent Oil Co. and Grey Iron Casting Co.

OLD-FASHIONED BEE

An old-fashioned spelling bee will be held at the Rheems School House next Wednesday, January 28th, at 8:00 o'clock. There will be two spelling and one general information classes. Admission, children 15c and adults 25c.

REV. CARPENTER SPOKE TO ROTARIANS TUESDAY

Rev. W. Frank Carpenter, pastor of the local Methodist Church, addressed the Rotarians at their weekly luncheon. He spoke on "Fellowship."

Local Affairs In General Briefly Told

Four large flood lights will be erected on the Columbia bridge. George D. Boggs, Elizabethtown's oldest resident, celebrated his 96th birthday.

MISS LANDIS, MISSIONARY, RETURNING TO AFRICA

Miss Alice Landis, of Elizabethtown, who was aboard the steamer Zanzam when it was torpedoed and sank in the Atlantic ocean some months ago, while on her way to Africa, as a missionary, left Lancaster on Thursday in another effort to reach Africa.

LANDISVILLE INVENTOR GRANTED PATENT

The U. S. Patent Office Monday announced the award of a patent to Simon B. Minnich, of Landisville on a balancing press found to incorporate seven claims of new features. In an application filed with the Patent Office at Washington August 9, 1939, the inventor assigned the right to the use of his invention to Minnich Machine Works of Landisville.

No Trace of Heirs, a Lot Here Is Sold

A vacant lot on W. Donegal St., sold at the January Sheriff Sale, Friday on execution brought through a borough tax lien amounting to just \$2.86, was purchased for \$321 by Harry E. Derr, 320 Marietta Ave., this borough.

AUXILIARY'S PLAY BIG SUCCESS

The home talent play, "Headin' Hollywood," presented by the Ladies Auxiliary of Friendship Fire Company last Wednesday and Thursday, was very well received by the public. There was an excellent attendance both nights.

JOHN McCURDY HONORED ON HIS 76TH BIRTHDAY

John McCurdy of Maytown, was entertained on Sunday at his home in honor of his seventy-sixth birthday. His two daughters, Mrs. Alvin Eakin, of Mechanicsburg, and Mrs. Henry Earhart, of Maytown, and their families were present.

RAY MYERS, OF TOWN, NAMED ON COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the Southern Firemen's Association held at Lebanon, Thursday evening, those present heard an interesting talk by Arthur W. Espey, head of the Firemen's Training School at Harrisburg.

WATER RENT NOTICES FOR THIS YEAR ARE OUT

Collector of water rents, Maurice N. Bailey, sent out the annual water rent notices this week. On all rents paid before March 1st, an abatement of five per cent will be allowed. The full amount will be required during March and after April 1st, five per cent will be added.

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3 COMMUNITY FAIRS GET \$1,771 STATE AID

Three community fairs in Lancaster county received a total of \$1,771 in appropriations from the State Department of Agriculture, it was announced this week at Harrisburg.

ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown who celebrated their twenty-seventh wedding anniversary on Friday, Jan. 16.

APPROVE BLACKOUT FOR MT. JOY JAN. 30

The State Defense Council at Harrisburg, announced Monday it approved a practice blackout in Mount Joy from 10 to 10:15 P. M. on Friday, Jan. 30th.

SUIT IS STARTED

Charles Wright vs. Schock Independent Oil Company, appeal by the defendant from the judgment of J. Edward Wetzel, alderman, given in favor of the plaintiff on December 29, 1941, for \$17.25.

APPEALS WILL BE HEARD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER THE FIRST TUESDAY IN FEBRUARY AT 7:20 P. M.

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