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Terrific Explosions of Acetylene Tanks When Auto and Truck Collided West of Florin Fri. Nite

Co. Farmers' Field Day Near Lancaster Wednesday, Aug. 2

Lancaster County farmers are invited to attend a Field Day which is scheduled to be held on the H. H. Haverstick farm just south of the Lincoln Highway and one mile west of Lancaster City on Wednesday, August 2nd at 1 p. m.

This is a completely mechanized farm and the most modern of farm implements are being used. The owner of this farm plans to have as many of them in operation as possible at the field day meeting.

The most important part of the afternoon program will be devoted to discuss soil saving and soil improvement practices. The highlight of this particular part of the program will be none other than Ed Faulkner (Turn to page 2)

RED CROSS MEETING AT LANCASTER

All persons interested in Red Cross are invited to attend a meeting Friday, July 21st at three o'clock in the basement of the Greist Building, Square, Lancaster, for Prisoner of War Discussion. Everybody is welcome.



A NINTH AIR FORCE TROOP CARRIER BASE, EUROPEAN THEATRE OF OPERATIONS—Cpl. James F. Schatz and crew of C-47 who participated in the paratrooper invasion of France. (l. to r.) 1st Lt. Dan G. Wiltsie, pilot, Detroit, Mich.; 2nd Lt. Robert E. Tyner, co-pilot, Cleveland, Ohio; Tech/Sgt. Charles W. Watson, crew-chief, Puyallup, Wash.; and Cpl. James F. Schatz, radio-operator, Mt. Joy, Pa.

County Draft Board No. 1 Classifies

CLASS 1-A
James Pugh Stehman, Mt. Joy
John Robert Smith, E'town
Elam Spahr Adair, Manheim
Albert Henry Gingrich, R2, Conestoga.
Robert Glenn Keener, Manheim
Paul Russel Oberher, Maytown
Clarence Robert Brady, Columbia
Kernit Shelly Oberholzer, R1, Mt. Joy.
Jacob Wenger Nissley, R2, Manheim
CLASS 1-C
Richard Bernard Young, Philadelphia
George Henry Brown III, Lancaster
CLASS 2-A-F
William Ray Lovell, Jr., Arlington, Virginia
Cont in Class 2-A to Sept. 1, 1944
Amos M. Ney, Elizabethtown
CLASS 2-A to January 1, 1945
Kenneth Hartle Bush, Everett, Pa.
Elam Doure Stanely, R1, Manheim
Cont. in Class 2-A to Jan. 1, 1945
Jacob Amos Pickel, R1, Manheim
Chester K. Shoemaker, R1, E'town
Frank Bennett Sangrey, Jr., East Petersburg
Milton Nelson Brown, Marietta
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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Londa Zurin, Jr., and Earnestine Gainer, both of this place.

Paul Stehman, Local Miller, Was Badly Injured; His Car and a Truck Were Destroyed

Two men were injured, one seriously, and 47 bottles of hydrogen and acetylene gas exploded during a fire which followed the collision of a truck and auto on the Harrisburg pike, just west of Florin, on Friday night.

Paul K. Stehman, forty-eight, 207 N. Barbara St., this borough driver of the auto, suffered head injuries and was admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital. John A. Cooper, thirty-six, Harrisburg, the truck driver, suffered burns of the arms and face.

Fire companies from Rheems, Elizabethtown and Mount Joy responded to an alarm but were unable to extinguish the raging inferno, fed by the gas. Both vehicles were totally destroyed. Fragments of the steel bottles shot through the air like shrapnel, some landing 400 feet from the scene of the accident.

The accident occurred on the three-lane highway in front of the garage of Herman Snyder, half a mile west of Florin. (Turn to Page 2)



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Brief News Of The Day From Local Dailies

350 were killed when two munitions vessels exploded on the Pacific coast.
Geo. D. Singleton, 13, York R.D., Boy Scout, drowned in the Conecogue creek Sunday.
John Kucik, 37, a worker at the Cornwall ore mines, was accidentally killed while on duty.
A cigarette spark started a fire which destroyed 36 bales of straw in a field at Chestnut Level.
Two Navy photographic planes from a training unit on training flights, crashed near Millerstown, Perry Co., and both pilots were killed.
Miss Catherine Sears, 24, of Rahway, N. J., stuck her hand in a bear's cage, at a zoo and the animal mangled her arm so badly it had to be amputated at the shoulder.
HELD BAPTISMAL
Salem U. B. Church at Manheim and Ruhl's church, in Rapho, held a baptismal service in the stream on the farm of Emerson Ruhl Sunday forenoon.



JOHN S. EVANS

West Main street, who will celebrate his 90th birthday tomorrow, Friday, July 21. Mr. Evans is enjoying good health and has been a member of Friendship Fire Co. No. 1 of this place for the past seventy-two years.

Educational Short Tour-Field Day

The executive committee, and the county agricultural extension service has arranged the following educational short tour and field day for Wednesday, July 26.

7:45 A. M.—Assemble W. Orange Street, Lancaster, opposite the old Western Market House.
8:00 A. M.—Raymond Miller (home farm) one-half mile southwest Rohrerstown. New double decker house, capacity 18,000 broilers at one time, starts marketing this lot July 18. Foods steers, 25 acres cello, 35 acres tomatoes, 3 acres belladonna, and general crops.
8:30 A. M.—Raymond Miller (farm No. 2), north of Barr's Nurseries, 1200 turkeys, bronze & white Holland, 5000 roasters on range, overhead irrigation system.
9:00 A. M.—Abram Miller—1200 white leghorns, double decker (Turn to page 2)

Our Card Basket For The Week

Mrs. Roy Collins and Mrs. Paul Rissler spent Saturday in Lancaster shopping.
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Myer of Kirkwood and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Myer entertained Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rissler, and children Cloy, Wilbur and Mary and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lutz, of Parkersburg.
Miss Mildred Ginder and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rissler and children, spent Saturday evening with Martin Frey and family. The occasion being Mrs. Frey's birthday.

MR. ROY B. SHEETZ WILL REPRESENT LEGION POST

Mr. Roy B. Sheetz was elected delegate of the Walter S. Ebersole Post to the State Legion convention to be held in Harrisburg next month.
Mr. Earl Kahns, of Elizabethtown, was endorsed for district commander at this meeting. The commander will be elected at a meeting of the County Council to be held in Lancaster on Friday, July 28.
The Post is completing plans for a picnic to be held on Sunday July 30.

OIL FIRE EQUIPMENT PURCHASED BY COUNCIL

At a special meeting of borough council held Tuesday night, council purchased a two and one-half inch foam nozzle, for fighting oil fires, at a cost of \$85.00.
Also purchased at this time for \$450.00, was a 100 gallon Foamaid.
Burgess Hendrix and councilmen, Brown and Shoop were absent from the meeting.

CHANGE IN OFFICE HOURS

Dr. Daniel I. Ford, Osteopathic Physician, announces a change in his office hours. Read the advertisement on another page.

Landisville Campmeeting Opens Friday

The 74th annual Landisville Camp Meeting will open Friday, July 21, at 8 p. m., with a Holy Communion service in charge of the Rev. Richard H. Johns, of Reading. The camp will continue through July 31 with services each evening Monday through Saturday at 8 p. m. and both Sunday evening services at 7:45 p. m.
Dr. John C. Bieri, Philadelphia, will show moving pictures of Leper Colonies of South America on July 22, and a colored moving picture travelog will be presented on July 29 by the Rev. Arthur C. James, Drexel Hill. Other evening speakers will be: The Rev. George A. Laughhead, Lancaster, July 23; the Rev. James A. Simons, Shenandoah, July 24; the Rev. A. Lawrence Paxson, Chestnut Hill, July 25; the Rev. Douglas I. Cloud, July 26; the Rev. Luther H. Ketels, Reading, July 27; the Rev. H. St. Clair Carter, Philadelphia, July 28; the Rev. Harry D. Robinson, Lancaster, July 30.
The Columbia Community Orchestra will present a concert Sunday, July 23, at 2:30 p. m. and there will be a special worship service Sunday, July 20 at 2:30 p. m. with the Rev. Franklin Duncombe, Bala Cynwyd, in charge. There will be a registration for Intermediate Retreat, under the supervision of (Turn to page 2)

Dr. Stough, Dickinson To Address Rotarians Here Next Tuesday

The weekly meeting of the Rotary Club opened Tuesday with a few remarks from our president Lester Koder. We were all very glad to hear from him that our good friend and fellow Rotarian Paul Stehman, who is a patient at the St. Joseph hospital, is improving. Another thing we were told by our president, that we are to wear our buttons at the meeting, or some of these fine days we will be sorry. Just what he meant by that is not known by us members, but I feel sure the buttons will be worn in the future.
The Rotary Wheel, with its twenty-four cogs that the club, under President Paul Stoner, worked so (Turn to Page 6)

RAY BRUBAKER, FLORIN PRESIDENT OF HIS CLASS

From the Moody Bible Institute, "West Point of Christian Service," located in the heart of Chicago, comes word that Ray Brubaker of Florin has been elected president of the Aug. '45 Class, which incidentally is the largest class in the Institute's history.
Mr. Brubaker, in addition to attending the school, is employed as announcer and news-caster for the two Institute radio stations - WMBX and WDLM.
Enrolled in the Pastor's Course, Mr. Brubaker is planning to be a traveling evangelist.

COUNTY SUSPECT MAKES HIS SECOND ESCAPE

Paul Bender, 24, of Little R. D. made his second escape from the police. Wanted on bad check charges Bender was located at Manheim but when Officer Obetz jumped on the running board of his car, Bender drove away, pushing the officer off his car and injuring him. The State Police broadcast and Bender was arrested at Champaign, Ill. Handcuffed, he ran away from the officers in that city. They chased him for a block and shot at him three times but he escaped.

BOUGHT DAUPHIN CO. FARM

Miss Margaret Raymond, Florin, a teacher at Geyer's School, in Londonderry township, purchased the Harry Hohman Estate farm at public sale Saturday. The farm is located at Hallsdale.

HAD A BEETLE IN HIS EAR

Levi Gish, sixty-seven, Elizabethtown R. D. had beetle removed from his right ear by attendants at St. Joseph's Hospital.



CAPTAIN THOS. J. BROWN, III
Captain Thos. J. Brown, III, arrived home for a thirty day furlough, after twenty-nine months in the Pacific Theatre of War.

Eshelmans Held a Picnic At The Springs

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Eshelman, Jr., of Eshelman Avenue, Lancaster, were hosts to their children, grandchildren and a few invited guests at "The Springs," the editor's summer home, on Sunday.
A delicious luncheon to which all had ample justice, was served on the lawn.
Those present included: Mr. and Mrs. John W. Eshelman, Jr., 1057 Buchanan Ave., Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Eckman and daughters, Miss Mary Ella, Barbara and Nancy, of 1026 Woods Ave., Mr. and Mrs. William C. Rehm, 353 College Ave., Mr. and Mrs. John J. Eshelman, and daughters Misses Vivian and Kathryn Louise and son, John, of Eden; Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Groff, East Lemon St.; Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kiehl all of Lancaster; Mrs. John D. Dickson, and daughter, Suzanne Louise; Mrs. Robert Lauer, of Harrisburg; Robert Hoffmaster, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hendrix and daughter Jacquelyn, Miss Pearl Schroll, and Mr. and Mrs. Jno. E. Schroll, all of town.
There was every indication that all present thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The Affairs At Florin For Past Week

Warren Shetter was given a medical discharge from the Navy on Tuesday.
Mrs. B. F. Kauffman spent Tuesday at Lancaster visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Felty.
Mrs. David Myers, of Palmyra was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Myers.
Mr. Leroy Leedom and family called on his parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leedom on Wednesday evening.
The Missionary Society of the Florin United Brethren Church held (Turn to page 3)

ELIAS Z. MUSSER, MT. JOY R. D. BUYS TWO CHOICE HOLSTEINS

Battleboro, Vt. July 13—Two cows were recently purchased by Elias Z. Musser, Mt. Joy, from Edward O'Neal, Palmyra. The cows are EHM Spring Mercedes 2462762 and Silver Beautybank De Kol 246-2763.
Change of ownership for these Holsteins has been officially recorded by the Holstein-Friesian Association of America, Battleboro, Vt.
The Association issued 18,832 registry and transfer certificates to Pennsylvania breeders during 1943.

ATTENDED TESTIMONIAL

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. W. Spiegelhalter, local Methodist minister and his wife, attended a testimonial and reception for Bishop Fred P. Corson on Tuesday evening at the Zemo Mosque in Harrisburg. Bishop Corson is the new Bishop of the Philadelphia Conference of which the Mount Joy Methodist Church is a member.

DEEDS RECORDED

Eli B. Mumma's executors to Benjamin H. Shenk, premises in Landisville, for \$5,025.
Blaine O. Grosh and wife, to Phares S. Ginder and wife, and Beulah Greiner, property at Milton Grove.
BABY BEEF SHOW AUG. 23-24
The Garden Spot Baby Beef Show and sale will be held at Lancaster August 23-24.
Patronize Bulletin advertisers.

Local Affairs In General Briefly Told

The Lancaster Military band had its liquor license revoked.
Leonard Clemens, 9, of Lancaster, was bitten by a groundhog.
The Pet show on the playgrounds at Little proved a big success.
Richard S. Young, 79, was found dead in his garden in Manor Twp.
Luella Gehr, 19, Ephrata, is this county's first case of diphtheria this year.
The sale of bonds for the fifth war loan are \$930,222 short in Lancaster Co.
An overheated motor on a refrigerator set a house on fire at Lancaster.
A church at Christiana has asked its children to collect pods of milkweed this fall.
Vernon Young, Manheim R3, suffered an injured hand when his car swerved off the road.
Diller R. Kendig, 72, New Holland died from injuries sustained in an auto mishap May 11.
Lancaster Co. farmers are fattening 68 heifers to be sent to destitute people in stricken Europe.
A Service honor roll containing 816 names was erected at Elizabethtown by the Lion's club.
James Shand, chairman of City Draft Board No. 1 at Lancaster since 1940, has resigned.
The 29th Gible reunion will be held at the Midway Brethren church, south of Lebanon Aug. 6.
The Little Service Association packed 567 boxes for the service men and women from their community.
Lester Stauffer, aged four, of Columbia, was struck by a Conestoga Transportation bus at Mountville and killed.
The building occupied by the Harold Furniture Co., 25-27 E. King St., Lancaster, was sold at public sale for \$133,000.
John Sensenderfer, 32 Manheim, went groundhog hunting on Tuesday and nothing has been seen or heard of him since.
Police Chief Henry Dewey Obetz, 45, Manheim, was badly injured when he was pushed off an auto while trying to arrest the driver.

FATHER GEORGE DEMPSEIE GAVE GRAPHIC ACCOUNT OF JAPANESE PEOPLE

The July meeting of the Mount Joy Chamber of Commerce was held on Monday evening at the Cove with forty members present.
Father George Dempseie, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, gave a graphic account of the customs and people of Japan and the sins of the Japanese people.
Two communications from the State Chamber of Commerce were read concerning industrial prospects. The first, a Women's Dress and Coat Manufacturing firm would require 100,000 square feet. The other manufacturer would need 150,000 square feet of space. No space being available at this time there was no action taken.
A letter from the United States (Turn to page 3)

FRESH AIR KIDDIES ARRIVED WEDNESDAY

Twenty-one Fresh Air Children came into town on Wednesday from New York City to be entertained by gracious hosts in the community. The goal set for this year was twenty children and this is the highest number ever to come into the community according to the statement of a former committee member. Several nationalities are represented in the group. Rev. Wm. W. Spiegelhalter was in charge of placing the children this year and stated that many of the children this year are going into homes in this community for the first time while about seven are returning to hosts who have entertained in former years.

WAS APPOINTED GUARDIAN

Henry B. Haines of Maytown, was named guardian of J. Edward Haines, New River, N. C., and Henry K. Haines, Ursinus College, by the Orphans Court yesterday. The order was made in the estate of Henry P. Keady, late of Manor Twp.

VISITED BY THE STORK

Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Siegrist, Mt. Joy R1, a daughter, at 5:06 a. m. Wednesday, at St. Joseph's Hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. John B. Metzler, Manheim R2, near Fairview, announce the birth of a daughter, Anna Lois last Wednesday morning.

MISS HENDERSON NAMED

Miss Grace A. Henderson, Maytown, was appointed a member of the Mount Joy price panel.

Mervin W. Brandt Was Elected Principal of Mt. Joy Borough Schools

Mr. Mervin W. Brandt, of Maytown, was appointed supervising



MERVIN W. BRANDT

principal of the Mount Joy Borough Schools at a meeting of the School Board held last week. He succeeds J. W. Harkness, who resigned his position to enter the Navy in the near future.

Mr. Brandt has been principal of the Grade School here for the past 16 years and also taught for two years here previous to that time. He also was a teacher in four rural schools in East Donegal Twp.

He received his Master's Degree from Temple University in 1942 and also did graduate work at Columbia University. He was graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree from Elizabethtown College.

The new supervising principal, who is secretary of East Donegal Township School Board, will assume his duties at the fall term.
No successor to his position as grade school principal has been named.

Mortuary Record In This Section

Miss Maggie C. Balmer, 76, died at Elizabethtown.
Mrs. Martha W. Derr, 70, widow of David Derr, died at Columbia.
Mrs. Hilda Naomi Nauman, 28, wife of Richard Nauman, died at Elizabethtown.
Mrs. Frances Marley Carvre, 77, of Stowe, Pa., formerly of Marietta, died at the Lancaster General hospital.
Peter H. Nissley
Peter H. Nissley, seventy-five died at Elizabethtown Tuesday after a long illness. He was a member of the Church of God, Elizabethtown, and is survived by his wife, Annie H. Nissley, a daughter, Mirnie, wife of Roy Ream, Washington, D. C.; a son, Paul Nissley, Palmyra, and a brother, Hiram, Elizabethtown.
Funeral Friday morning at 10 o'clock with interment in Mt. Trone cemetery.
Mrs. Fannie N. Garber
Mrs. Fannie N. Garber, eighty-seven, widow of Henry E. Garber, of 153 College Ave., Elizabethtown, died Thursday of infirmities of age. Born in Mount Joy Twp., she was a daughter of the late Elias and Martha Nissley Eby. She was a member of the Elizabethtown Mennonite Church.
She is survived by the following children: Tilman, at home; Mrs. Ellen Longenecker, of Rheems; Elias, of Elizabethtown, and Ada, at home; 11 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren, also two sisters, Martha, wife of Israel Mamma, and Mrs. Ellen Garber, both of this borough.
The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Mennonite church at Elizabethtown with interment at Bossler's cemetery.
Galen L. Lefever
Galen L. Lefever, forty-three, of Landisville, died last Wednesday in the State hospital, Harrisburg, after a year's illness. He was a son of the late Benjamin and Eva Lauchman Lefever and attended the Church of the Brethren, Mountville. Besides his wife, Lucille Craft Lefever, he is survived by the following sisters: Ida, wife of Harvey Wile, Mountville; Susan, wife of Rosier Patterson, Rohrerstown; Dora, wife of Robert Deetz, Columbia; and Belya, Lancaster. A brother, Benjamin, of Roweanna, and the following half sisters also survive: Mrs. George Kurtz, Mrs. Paul Fink and Ella Mae Lefever, Columbia; Francis Lefever New York; and Betty Jane Lefever, of Lancaster.
The funeral was held Saturday morning from the Koser funeral home at Landisville with interment in the Mountville Brethren cemetery.

Mortuary Record In This Section

Engagements
Mr. and Mrs. Landis L. Charles, who reside a short distance south of town, announce the engagement of their niece, Miss Mary Ruth Hertzler, daughter of Elmer H. Hertzler, Paradise, to Officer Candidate Jay Charles Musser, AUS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Musser of Elizabethtown.
Miss Hertzler is a graduate of the Mount Joy High School and Lancaster Business College. At present she is employed in the Clerical Department at George Brown's Sons, Inc., Mount Joy.
Prior to his entry into Officer Candidate School at Aberdeen Proving Ground. He is a graduate of Franklin and Marshall College and a member of the Alpha Kappa Pi fraternity.
GROCERY FOR SALE
Mr. Benj. Myers, at Bainbridge, is offering his grocery and notion store, including fixtures, etc. at private sale. Here is a good and going business to be sold worth the money.
MISS HENDERSON NAMED
Miss Grace A. Henderson, Maytown, was appointed a member of the Mount Joy price panel.