UP-TO-THE-MINUTE

The Mount Joy Bulletin

Mount Joy, Pa., Thursday Afternoon, January 11, 1945

Community Banks Elect Directors For The Year

Local School Board Segregates The Sico Trust Funds

regular monthly session on Monday January 8th, having postponed the January 1st meeting.

All directors but Paul Stoner

The board decided to segregate Nissly Gingrich. the Sico trust fund which has been received and carry the fund in a separate bank account. Supervising principal Mervin W.

Brandt presented his report of atwas accepted as read. The minutes of the previous

Breneman and also approved as

committee.

The supply committee reported that two cars of coal have been ordered and the repair committee reported the stair treads in the high school replaced. Tax collector Metzler turned over

\$834.78 as collections since the last meeting.

Bills amounting to \$234.01 were read and approved for payment.

Farmers' Conservation | Hoffman and G. F. Trout. Reports Due Feb. 15

All farmers enrolled on the 1944 Agricultural Conservation program who have complied with such conservation practices as constructing diversion ditches, establishing contour strip-cropping and sod waterways to control erosion on their own land, and consequent erosion on neighboring land, will have to report such practices to their county AAA offices before February 15 E. R. Kraybill, Jacob R. Garber. in order to qualify for payment under the 1944 Agricultural program.

Reports of compliance in the use of small grain winter cover crops crop land and reports of harvested (Turn to page 3)

St. Joseph's Hospital Started County Drive

Solicitation for the St. Joseph's MET THURSDAY EVENING Hospital building fund started throughout the county this week, Mark's United Brethren Sunday as rallies were scheduled by leaders School met at the home of Mrs. in the drive at a number of county John Haines with Mrs. Ray Myers

Ephrata, Farmersville and Landis- ing a buffet luncheon was served ville as the various county groups and games were played. Those enlisted new volunteer workers for present were: Mrs. Perry Bates, the campaign, which has a goal of Mrs. Charles Latchford, Mrs. Harry \$695,000 for a modernization and Beamenderfer, Mrs. Harvey Newconstruction program at the hospi-comer, Mrs. William Weldon, Mrs.

peal are "encouraging', and added: rick, Mrs. Cora Eberle, Mrs. William (Turn to Page 2)

LEGION AUXILIARY MET WITH MRS FRANK GERMER

The American Legion Auxiliary Greenawalt. met at the home of the president, Mrs. Frank Germer, on Tuesday SHOT 127 DUCKS, 16 GEESE evening, January 9th.

Letters of appreciation were read sent Christmas gifts.

After the business session, Mrs.

LETTERS GRANTED

necker, late of this place.

the various Banks thruout this lo-

First National Bank and Trust Co., Mount Joy

The annual meeting of the stock-Tuesday in the bank building. Directors were elected as follows.

Henry H. Eby, Charles R. Shirk, Clyde Gerberich, Jno. E. Melhorn, Amos H. Risser, Joseph B. Host-M. Wolgemuth, John M. Booth and

The reorganization effected Wednesday morning follows: Henry H. Eby, president; Charles R. Shirk, vice president; Dr. E. W. Newcomer, secretary; R. Fellenbaum. tendance and activities and same Cashier and trust officer; E. M. Bomberger, assistant cashier and assistant trust officer; Warren Bentmeeting were read by Secretary zel and Joseph T. M. Breneman, tellers; Arlen Hilt stenographer and Teller; Ruth Brown and Janet Ear- house, preceeding the regular A balance on January 1st of \$18,- hart, bookkeepers; and Charles 592.81 was eported by the finance Latchford, messenger and janitor.

Union National, Mt. Joy I D. Stehman, W. A. Coventry, Phares R. Nissley, Rohrer Stoner, Henry H. Koser, John B. Nissley, Harvey Rettew, Martin S. Musser, Claude H. Grosh.

First National, Landisville M. L. Swarr, Elias F. Nolt, Robert R. Good, H. W. Minnich, Edward G. Myers, W. Scott Bushong, Howard B. Stauffer, William F.

Maytown National, Maytown C. E. Hollenbaugh, William Mundorf and Mervin, S. Arnold, G.

Carl Shenk. The reorganization follows: Presldent, C. E. Hollenbaugh; Vice president, William Mundorf; Casher, J. H. Hoffman.

First National Bank, Marietta John Orth, George P. Resch, Jno. F. O'Brien, J. Barr Spangler, E. R. Longenecker, Charles J. O'Connor

Exchange National Bank, Marietta E. K. Tingley, Frank Ziegler, A. L. Resch, Henry S. Rich, Jr., and George R. Miller, four new directs are: Frank H. Strickland, Guy S. Hoffman, Dr. B. Scott Fritz and

At the directors' reorganization president; George R. Miller, viceresident and cashier; and Henry M. Bruner, Columbia, solicitor,

SISTERHOOD BIBLE CLASS

The Sisterhood Bible Class of St. as hostess on Thursday evening, Meetings were slated at Columbia January 4. After the business meet-Newpher Smeltzer, Mrs. Earl Myers W. Hensel Brown, county chair- Mrs. Jacob Geltmacher, Miss Ella man, announced that early reports Shirk, Miss Maggie Haines, Mrs. of the response to the hospital's ap- Walter Greiner, Mrs. Charles Bar-"The county has a large stake in Way, Mrs. Earl Zink, Mrs. Ezra Ranck, Mrs. Anna Longenecker, Mrs. John Bocth, Mrs. Martin Strickler, Mrs. Ray Myers, Mrs. John Haines, and Miss Virginia

AT FOX ISLAND, VIRGINIA The editor returned last night from four children of Scotland from a 3-days duck hunting trip to School, Pa., to whom the Auxiliary Fox Island, Virginia, where he was the guest of Mr. Jno. W. Eshelman Ten dollars was donated toward of Lancaster. The Weather man ear phones for The Naval Hospital dished out every thing he had including rain, sleet, ice, wind and a low temperature, which is ideal WILL HOLD FOOD SALE Germer served delicious refresh- duck weather. 127 ducks consisting of various varieties, some brant and 16 geese was the bag.

John G. Longenecker, this boro, ARRESTED FOR NON-SUPPORT administrator of Esther B. Longe- Officer Elmer Zerphey arrested Irvin M. Kaylor on Saturday morn- BROODER HOUSE BURNED Mabel Hiestand, Ephrata, and ing on a warrant issued by Squire David Markley, Reading executors Hockenberry on a charge of non- Mrs. Jacob R. Brubaker, east of Clinton McCurdy to Abraham S. of Katharine Markley, latte of East support by Josephine Kaylor. Kay- Manheim, was destroyed by fire. It Shaffner and wife, premises in May- Silver Springs, is reported a prison- at the home of their daughter, Mrs. permission to increase its rates from motor running to keep warm and lor posted bail for court,

REPORT AUDIT COMPLETED

Hill and report the account as: Total receipts, \$28,660.07; Expenes \$26,608.98, balance in treasury

Tax rate for 1945, five mills. Assessed valuation, \$3,051,316.00. Outstanding taxes \$2,272.93.

Rapho Township has 131.59 miles of road, of which 22.91 miles is reholders of the First National Bank paired by the State. The supervi and Trust Company was held on sors care for 78.68 miles, and oiled six miles of stone road in 1944. Less than six miles of dirt road exists in the township.

Appropriations were allotted to the Manheim Fire Co., of \$150.00: ter, Dr. E. W. Newcomer, Daniel Mt. Joy Fire Co., \$150.00; and Salunga Fire Co., \$100.00

Officers are, Abram Arndt, pres David Spickler, sec'y-treas., Harvey Zink, member

Friendship Fire Co. **Banquet And Meeting**

Friendship Fire Company No. 1 held a turkey banquet in the Fire monthy meeting, Thursday, January 4th. One hundred ninety-five Ralph Eshleman. members attended.

After the banquet the members adjourned to the meeting room where President George Groff presided. Chaplain Rev. Ranck Barr and Christ Herr. Ray H. Keller, Alvin J. Reist and opened the session with a prayer followed by the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read.

Chief Ray Myers reported the apparatus in working order and ready for service. Four calls were an swered during the month. Myers also reported that the air raid sirens A. H. Engle, Dr. G. A. Harter, were donated to the boro by the Defense Council and that \$11.00 was received for pumping water last

The Chief made an urgent appeal return the apparatus in proper condition to the fire house after fire. Fifteen members volunteered their

ed ten deaths during the year and nated for the young folk. funeral sprays, a total of \$74.50. The Smoker committee reported will go back for more.

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neeting, Dr. Tingley was reelected coresident; George R. Miller, vice-Plans Future Assemb's

the East Donegal Township School Board will be held Friday evening, January 12 in the High School at Maytown.

Rev. Donald Waser of Reich's Evangelical Church spoke during the assembly period last Friday, Jan. 3, Future assemblies were announced as follows:

Jan. 12, Chalk talk by Rev. H. A. Minnich, Mt. Joy. Jan. 19, Movies-"Alexander Gra-

ham Bell" (2 P. M.) Jan. 26. Student Council Program Feb 1, Movies "The Great Victor Herbert" and March of Time-"New

England." Feb. 2, Jr. High Basketball game with East Hempfield.

Feb. 9, National Honor Society Induction. Feb. 15, Malik Verda "North of

Bagdad". Feb. 23, Washington's B'irthday Program-Public Speaking Class. The Junior High basketball tean has completed the first half of its league schedule without a defeat Scores of past games were as fol lows: Manheim, 27-15; Mount Joy

33-19; E'town, 48-17; E. Hempfield,

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The Senior Girl Scout Troup of Mount Joy will hold a food sale in Booth's store on Saturday, January 13. from 10:00 to 12:00 in the morn-

A brooder house on the farm of

Chamber of Commerce Holds Annual Banquet

nerce held its sixth annual banuet and meeting at Hostetter' Banquet Hall here Tuesday evening January 9. Fifty-seven members and guests were present.

During the business meeting Christ Walters, Clyde Gerberich, Charles Bennett, Simon Nissly and Maurice Bailey were elected as di-

Robert Schroll and Harry Walters. Mr. E. C. Ramsey, world traveler and news correspondent gave an extremely interesting talk on the Outlook in Europe with particular stress on Russia. Mr. Ramsev seeured his information first hand having just recently returned from oreign duty. Mr. Ramsey also wered many questions asked ne members of his audience.

The meeting opened with th nging of the national anthem and vocation by H N Nissly New members admitted to the organization were Arthur Sprecher J. R. Greider, Samuel Dock, and

The treasurer reported a balance of \$290 as of January 9th. Guests at the banquet included D B. Brubaker, Harry Crouse, Solon

The meeting closed with group singing of America.

The Affairs At Florin For Past Week

"Hang-Out" News Over twenty young folk, enjoyed Saturday eevning at the "Hangfor more help to fight and to help Out", at Florin Hall, spending the evening in playing games and ber of Commerce banquet in the

This week a new feature in the way of entertainment will be added The Memorial committee report- as a Ping Pong table has been do-

twenty-five bouquets sent to sick On the refreshment list is the denembers during the year. The licious hamburger sandwiches committee spent, for bouquets and which will be served and sold to the public at the door. Try them, you

a profit of \$289.48 from the smoker | Ladies Aid Society of the Florin United Brethren Church met at the home of Mrs. Augustus Shetter on Tuesday evening.

A meeting of the Shining Star ne home of Mrs. Lloyd Vogle. (From Page 3)

TWO COUNTY BOROUGHS GET SEWAGE ORDERS

The State has cited two Lancaster boroughs to prepare Post-War sewage treatment facilities. Columbia dumps its sewage into the Susquehanna river and Christiana runs its ewage into a nearby creek.

At a session of the State Sanitary Water Board Jan. 17 additional municipalities will be considered. The campaign includes plans to compel industry to cease polluting stream

VISITED BY THE STORK

Pvt. and Mrs. James Hockenber ry, this boro, a son at the Lancaste Osteopathic Hospital last Wednes-

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bixler, Mt. Joy R1, a son at 11:47 a. m. Wed- with her parents. nesday, at the Lancaster Osteopathie Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Myer of Strasburg, a daughter at the Osteopathic Hospital, Lancaster, January 2nd. Mrs. Myer was June Risser.

MRS. KODER TO PRESIDE AT EXECUTIVE MEETING

Mrs. Lester Koder will preside at 47-17; Rothsville, 33-19; Marietta, an executive meeting of the Women's Missionary Societies of the Lancaster Conference, Lutheran Ministerium of Penna, at Trinity Chapel, Lancaster with morning and afternoon sessions.

Department secretaries and representatives of fifty-one socities from forty-four lcongregations will hear reports and transact business.

town for \$3,000.

MISS VERA EBY ENTERTAINS AT SHOWER FOR MRS. J. L. RICE Miss Vera Eby entertained at ower at her home Monday evening, in honor of Mrs. John Lee Rice

nee Patsy Groff, who was recently The color scheme for table decorations was green and pink. This was carried out in a parasol, with streamers running down to the table, under which the shower gifts

> were arranged. Miniature parasols f pink and green were favors. After the luncheon marshmallows vere toasted, apples roasted and orn popped at the living room fire-

Those present were: Mrs. Rice, Betty Jane Gemberling, Patricia Horlocker, Sally Fellenbaum, Mary Lou Ellis, Christine Weidman, Fay Rice, Louise Baker, Shirley Eby and

E. C. Ramsey Spoke **Before 3 Audiences** Here On Tuesday

The Tuesday meeting of the Rotathere were forty-three Rotarians twenty-three Rotary Anns, and six visiting Rotarians present, namely: Richard Frank and Dr. T. M. Thompson, of the Elizabethtown club; Lew Edwards, Elmer Beck, W. S. Poetker and G. B. Bitzer, of the Lancaster club; also four guests, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Kraybill, guests of Harry Crouse; John Newcomer,

sey, noted war correspondent, news the year. analist and world traveler. Mr. Ramsey spoke to the high school in the forenoon, and also at the Cham-

Mr. Ramsey's address was not one of a definite subject, but rather on the different phases of the war, the moral of the soldier, the part Russia is playing, and what part (Turn to page 2)

Insurance Co. Enters Local Affairs

At the annual meeting of the Mt. ass was held Monday evening at Joy Mutual Insurance Company held on Monday, in the office of the Henry J. Weidman moved from company in Elizabethtown, the folowing directors were reelected: Magill, of Leola, was flown to Bost-I. E. Coble, S. K. Behm, John M. on for an operation. Bomberger, H. W. Hess, D. L. A Dutch cupboard sold for \$130, Landis, and John A. Myer. Henry G. Carpenter was elected to fill the press \$41 at a public sale at Halfvacancy caused by the death of ville.

Amos N. Musser. past thirty-five years.

J. E. Coble was re-elected President, Simon K. Behm, Vice-Presi- \$110 PER ACRE FOR dent, D. L. Landis, Secretary and 125-ACRE FARM (Turn to page 6)

Our Card **Basket For** The Week

Mrs. Ralph Lutz spent Monday

Jay Risser spent the week end HEARD IN JUVENILE COURT with Ralph Lutz at Parkesburg. hospital, on Saturday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

and Lee Clark Stetson, Hope Ranch, Santa Barbara, Calif. Melvin S. Heffley, Manheim R2. and Lorrayne C. Mumma, Mt. Joy

KILLED AT MARIETTA DEPOT Jacob Wertz Jr., forty-one, Lan- zer. easter, father of six children, was crushed to death between a pile of WEDDED FIFTY YEARS Marietta Depot Thursday.

er of war in Germany.

\$1.50 a Year in Advance Reich's Evangelical

Church Elects Officers At the congregational meeting held at Reich's Evangelical Congregational Church Sunday night the following officers were elected to

Sunday School officers: J. D. Roland, superindent; Sylvester Shuman, assistant superintendent; secretary, Lester Roland; assistant secretary. Helen Tressler: treasurer Lau Tressler; pianist, Martha Roland; assistant, Dorothy Roland; librarians, Nancy Woods, James Horst; assistants, Kenneth McMillian, Shirley Rice; Home Department. Superintendent. Minnie R Demmy; Cradle Roll, superintendent, Mrs. Edward Charles.

Church officers: Trustees. Burris, C. S. Brandt, Sylvester Shuman, John D. Roland, Edward Charles; ushers, Lester Roland, Roy Bixler, Roy Bernheisel, Brady, Johns: assistant ushers. Lau Tressler, Ray Burns, George McMillian; pianists, Martha Roland, Dorothy Roland. The present class leader and assistant were chosen in 1944 to cy Club was quite a gala affair as ald Waser, Manheim, is the present pastor of the church.

Lancaster Auto Club Has 16,377 Members

The year 1944 was a banner on for the Lancaster Automobile Club. M. Stauffer, guest of Jos. Sheaffer, and a big decrease in the number of and one member of the armed for- cars in operation in Lancaster counces, Charles F. Snyder Ph. M 1-6, ty the Club reached an all-time recently returned from the South high in membership. The total paid up membership as of January 1st. The speaker was Mr. E. C. Ram- 1945, was 16,377, a gain of 1,652 for

In December 482 new members were admitted, the largest number in any month since the Club was organized forty years ago. During the year 2.304 new members were admitted and the renewal rate was

In reporting these figures to the board of directors at their January meeting S. Edward Gable, president said "this membership growth

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90th Year of Service In General

Briefly Told

a studio couch \$71 and a tobacco Dorothy Weisser, 27, Columbia, Norman J. Smith

rear of a bus at Marietta.

\$110.25 an acre for a farm of 125 day Dec. 31, in St. John's Lutheran 224 N. Barbara St., Mount Joy, died acres of land, partly located in Leb- Church, Maytown. anon county along the macadam The Rev. Kirby M. Yiengst offiroad leading from Mastersonville to ciated. A banquet for 55 guests was East Donegal Township, his parents Lawn, at public sale by B. S. Stauf- held at Hostetter's banquet hall were the late Christian and Fannie fer on Tuesday afternoon.. Thirty here. acres are pasture and woodland F B. Aldinger called the sale.

TWO HARRISBURG YOUTHS

Joseph Smith, seventeen, and Mrs. David Shonk, Mrs. Martin Jack Coyle, seventeen, both of Har-Frey and Mrs. Paul Risser, visited risburg, alleged members of the Mrs. Mary Myer at the Osteopathic "Black Diamond Gang" arrested in the holdup at Ira K. Newcomer's service station, at Elizabethtown, on sign violation; Kurtz Burkett, N. November 30, were severely repri-Barbara street, Mt. Joy, prosecuted practice at the High School Monday Janet Reist Nissley, Mount Joy manded and placed on probation.

TRAPPED SIXTEEN RABBITS

Mt. Joy Sportsmen's Association trapped 16 rabbits and released NAMED ASSESSOR Charles Vogel and Newpher Smelt- Henry as assessor of W. Donegal

iron pipe and a load of steel at the Mr. and Mrs. Amos S. Earhart, Mount Joy R, D. celebrated their RATE INCREASE DENIED Roy E. Shelley, Milton Grove.

AN EDITORIAL

WILL FREEDOM SURVIVE VICTORY?

Another year of war has drawn to a close. Volumes of rhetcric will be written about the awful destruction of the past twelve months. Puny efforts will be made to describe the suffering of the men of the armed forces, who face death day after day, year after year, far from home and loved ones. Actually, there are no words that can adequately sum up 1944, the most

critical year in American history. The astounding thing about the home front is the fact that except for the families of service men, it lives normally and has no conception of the horrors of war. Communiques from Washington on the price of toilet paper or some other trivial item fill countless columns in the press. Social security planning, "full" employment and dizzy talk of a contented postwar world, with all the worries assumed by a benevolent government, arise from the American scene like a haze from a swamp. Clear, unqualified thought on the subject of personal freedom, is almost totally lacking.

As the war moves on, country after country sees the spectre of oppression and government by small cliques loom larger and darker over the world. The United States is no exception to this trend. Much of our postwar planning is a crazy mixture of individual initiative and bureaucratic paternalism. The conflict between those who believe in state socialism and would have the government take over basic industries, and those who believe in the superiority of privately owned enterprise, has led to rash promises. Many on both sides apparently believe that the crux of the issue is a full stomach, with the result that a material value has been put on freedom. Each side has striven to outpromise the other until it has become rank heresy to suggest

that there may at times be lean going in the future. Millions expect government to furnish them jobs, to quarantee peace time prices, to protect them from the insecurity of competition. They should remember that the more they ask of government, the less freedom they will have. If government ends by owning most of industry and employing most of the people as well as regulating the lives of the remainder, freedom will become a mockery. As Robert S. Henry, eminent writer and historian, observes:

"The right of nonconformity is ultimately the most important of human rights, but I doubt if it can long exist independently of the right of private property. After all, the man who owns nothing, and has no hope of owning anything for himself, is unguest of Harry Nissley; and Mrs. H. Despite rigid motoring restrictions der a terrible handicap in expressing untrammeled individuality. He is without a place for his foot to stand upon, in opposi-

tion to the conforming forces of the collectivist state." Our people could lose everything of material value as the price of victory in this war and still have a bright future. However, let too much government destroy the freedom and hope of the individual to build again and there is no future. The right of ownership is more important than ownership itself.

This Section's Mortuary Numerous Weddings

Jeanette Heisev

John Stell Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heisey of town. Union St., Lancaster, Pa. were General Hospital.

using the ring ceremony. dine M. Barr sister of the bride, property about 10 a. m. Sunday.

and Miss Kathryn Jane Gantz.

Anna R. Haverstick

Lee H. Haverstick, Maytown, and Mrs. Sidney Sumner. Norman J. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel G. Smith, Mt. Joy R1, Jacob S. Snyder John A. Shell, Columbia RD, paid which took place at 2 p. m. Sun- Jacob S. Snyder, eighty-eight.

Musser Leghorn Farms, Mount Joy, member of the Mennonite Church.

TWO PROSECUTIONS

Chief of Police Elmer Zerphey, afternoon with burial in Kraybill's reports two prosecutions the past week, both before Squire Hocken-

berry. Mary Witmer, R1, Columbia, stop for parking car in center of street evening at 8:00 P. M. this is an imall night on Nortth Barbara St. off portant practice and all members East Main street.

them in Rapho, Mt. Joy and East Harry L. Heisey, Elizabethtown Donegal townships. The agents are R2, was named to replace John B. ed until after the first concert. Township. Henry resigned last Sep- MAN AND WOMAN FOUND tember 9th when he was appointed DEAD IN MANHEIM GARAGE postmaster of Rheems.

\$2 to \$3 per quarter.

Record In

This Section Harry W. Righter, 59, died at his

nome in Columbia, Sunday. Claud K. Musser, sixty-five, died Miss Jeanette Heisey, daughter of suddenly at his home at Elizabeth-

Mrs. Cora Fink, seventy, Elizaof Mr. and Mrs. John Stoll of 671 bethtown, died at the Lancaster

married Wednesday afternoon Jan. Charles E. Garman, fifty-nine, 3 at the residence of Rev. Roy S. Superintendent of the Elizabeth-A child of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Forney. Rev. Forney officiating, town Water Co. and a former chief burgess of the borough, died while The attendants were Mrs. Geral- shoveling snow on the company's

Maggie Lee Sumner, Elizabethtown RD, died last Thursday fore-Mr. Musser was a director and was injured when a car in which Announcement has been made of noon after a brief illness. Death Treasurer of the company for the she was riding crashed into the the marriage of Miss Anna R. Hav- was caused by pneumonia. She is erstick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. survived by her parents, Mr. and

at 1 u. m. Monday at his home after several weeks' illness. Born in Mr. Smith is employed at the farmer in former years and was a Stauffer Snyder. He had been a and Mrs. Smith at Mac-It Parts Co., His wife, who before marriage was Lizzie Forrey, survives. He was

the last of his fmailyy. Funeral services were held this (Turn to page 3)

The Community Chorus will are urged to attend. The chorus plans to give a concert in March. This will be the last practice at which new members will be accept-

Walter Guy Rohrer, 40, Manheim. and Mary Elizabeth Ellinger, 33. Lancaster Junction, were found 50th wedding anniversary on New The PUC at Harrisburg Thursday dead in the rear seat of a car in a Pfc. Charles W. Millhouse, of Year's Day. They were entertained denied the Elizabethtown Water Co. garage at Manheim. They left the were asphyxiated by the fumes.