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Tuesday's Election Was Very Quiet—Republicans Won Thruout County

Tuesday's election was certainly a quiet affair because there was practically no opposition in so many places. This accounted for the light vote cast.

Sixteen Republicans and two Democrats were elected burgesses in the eighteen county boros. Marietta elected its second Democratic burgess in 80 years.

At Marietta, by the sticker method, a woman Mamie C. Sell, Rep., defeated the two men whose names appeared on the ticket for tax collector. Our former townsmen, William G. Shickley, Republican, was one of them.

At Lancaster, where politicians were trying to stir up quite a "stink" thru recent trolley strikes by outside influence, the GOP slate won its entirety and Mayor Carey, like the late Franklin D., gets a third term thereby giving labor Keeler a good stiff smack in the face.

The vote polled follows:

MOUNT JOY BORO

Chief Burgess

East Ward Tl. Ward West

Brown, R. 142 123 265

Sheaffer, D. 1 . . . 1

School Directors

Seiler, R. 144 127 271

Zeller, R. 144 126 270

Tax Collector

Fellenbaum, R. 143 124 267

Herr Jr. R. 142 125 267

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MRS. LINDEMUTH HOSTESS TO THE KING'S DAUGHTERS

Mrs. Ellen Lindemuth was hostess to the Kings Daughters Bible Class of the church of God on Tuesday evening. The following were present: Mrs. Garth Snyder, Mrs. C. R. Charles, Mrs. John Sprout, Mrs. Eli Smeltzer, Miss Mae Shreiner, Mrs. John Barnhart, Mrs. Dorothy Derr, Mrs. Blanche Parson, Mrs. Mary Walker, Miss Wilma Eaton, Mrs. Elsie Grove, Miss Anna Hoffer, and the hostess, Mrs. Lindemuth. Refreshments were served. It was decided to hold the Christmas party at the home of Mrs. C. R. Charles on Dec. 18th. A covered dish supper will be a feature.

SNYDER GARAGE BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE TODAY

The garage of Mrs. Nan Snyder, corner of Walnut Street and Sassafras alley, caught fire at 11:40 a. m. today. The firemen responded and quickly extinguished the flames which were about fifteen feet higher than the roof of the frame building. The car was out at the time but a number of chickens were destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown.

BANKS CLOSED NOV. 12

Monday, November 12th, The First National Bank & Trust Co., and the Union National Mt. Joy Bank will be closed, in celebration of Armistice Day, a legal holiday.

J. Roy Eshleman Will Head Friendship Fire Company

The regular fire company meeting for the month of November was held Thursday with First Vice President, Levi Dillinger, in the chair.

The Chief reported the following: four calls during the month: Oct. 4, house owned by I. D. Stehman on South Market Street, damage about \$100.00. Oct. 7, pumping station owned by Florin Water Company, damage \$1050.00. Oct. 10th, chimney fire at the home of J. Willis Freed, no damage. Oct. 17, a barn on the Dr. Kendig farm, south of Seigrists Mill, damage about \$12,800.00. Also the pump on the Dodge repaired during the month.

Roscoe Hassinger, reporting for the Entertainment Committee, reported a net profit for the month of October of \$4.64.

Jacob Arndt, chief chemical man, reported the booster hose repaired during the month.

The secretary reported the following: (Turn to page eight)

DEEDS RECORDED

Elizabeth May Hassinger and Roscoe Hassinger, husband and wife; Mary Hannah Sweigart and Paris Sweigart, her husband; George Robert Shatto and Mary Shatto, his wife, all of Mt. Joy, and Clara Ellen Myers, and J. Guy, her husband, Mt. Joy Twp., to Paul R. Strickler and Elsie M. Strickler, his wife, Mt. Joy, property in Mount Joy, \$4,500.

Alabama Unit Is Moved To Marietta -- Army Depot Is Permanent

The Marietta Holding and Reconsignment Point, which handled military railroad equipment during the war, has been consolidated with the Montgomery (Ala.) Holding and Reconsignment Point and will operate on a permanent peacetime status. The name has been changed to the Marietta Transportation Corps Depot.

The depot's peacetime function will be storage, repair, and issuance of both railroad equipment and Marine supplies, the latter brought here from the Alabama depot, according to Major William G. Foersch, post public relations officer who made the announcement.

22 New Officers

Addition of the Montgomery depot facilities will mean the transfer of approximately 22 new officers to Marietta, Major Foersch said.

Civilian employment remains at a level of approximately 1,100 persons, representing a cutback of about 100 since the end of the war, the public relations head stated.

The depot is continuing to take part in shipment of railroad supplies overseas to aid in the development of other nations. A property disposal branch has also been established at Marietta.

604 Pupils Enrolled

The November meeting of the local School Board was held Nov. 5th with all directors present.

Supervising Principal Brandt presented his report for October and same was accepted and ordered filed. The report showed an enrollment of 604 pupils with an attendance of 94 percent.

Tax collector turned over \$362.27 as collections since the last meeting.

Finance committee reported a balance on Nov. 1st of \$34,888.96. Bills for supplies, books and repairs, amounting to \$5,104.17 were read and payment approved.

CITED FOR VIOLATIONS

Six Lancaster County concerns have been cited by the OPA for violating ration regulations. Among them are Malschnee General Store, Penryn; Wm. Leister, Manheim and H. W. Hess, Manheim R2, for sugar ration violations.

FORMER E-TOWN MAN NOW LIVING HERE, ARRESTED

Russell Lawrence, 25, was arrested by Chief of Police Clyde Coble of Elizabethtown and Pvt. J. J. Haggerty of the State Police and charged with burglarizing two Elizabethtown produce stores, obtaining loot estimated at \$118.

Appearing in court Friday, Lawrence waived a hearing before Justice of the Peace Lester Weidman, Elizabethtown RD, and posted \$1,000 bail for his appearance at the December term of Criminal Court.

Police said that Lawrence, a former resident of E-town, was linked with burglaries at the produce store of Arthur K Greiner and the Wagner Produce Co.

The Greiner produce store was broken into during the latter part of August and goods valued at \$80 stolen. The Wagner Produce Co. office was entered on Sept. 1 and the loot was estimated at \$38.

ROWENNA COUPLE CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel A. Fackler, Rowenna, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, October 29th at their home. Guests were present from Philadelphia, Columbia, York, New Cumberland and Rowenna. Their nieces and nephews presented them with fifty silver dollars, in a container that represented a pot of gold. Twenty guests were present.

Fifty years ago, Miss Ella Albright became the bride of Daniel A. Fackler, in the Albright home at Rowenna. The Rev. Mr. Harding, Lutheran minister at Maytown, officiated.

SEW SO CLUB PARTY

A Halloween party on October 31st at the home of Mrs. Ralph W. Rice. Those attending were: Ronald and Dave Ramsey, David and Dicky Raudabaugh, John, Lorraine and Sandra Darrenkamp, Gerald Grove, Michael and John Bleyer, Joanne Darrenkamp, Ralph Rice Jr., Mrs. Lewis Ramsey, Mrs. John Darrenkamp, Mrs. Gerald Grove, Mrs. William Raudabaugh, Mrs. Harry Darrenkamp and Mrs. Ralph Rice. Refreshments were served and a good time was had by all.

CATTLE FIRM ACQUIRES LAND FOR EXPANSION

Messrs. J. B. Keller and Bro. recently purchased from the owner Jos. T. M. Breneman, twenty-one acres of land opposite their stock yards here. The land fronts on Manheim road and extends from the road intersecting at the Farmers' Inn east to the Little Chickies Creek.

The sale also includes a large bank barn and dwelling thereon near the Manheim road bridge. The terms of the sale were private and we were informed that it was purchased for expansion purposes.

Could it be possible that the members of this firm have gone air-minded and will convert a portion of said plot into a private landing field. It would be ideal for that purpose.

We know Mr. Ray Keller frequently flies to and from Canada where he purchases quite a lot of cattle for the farms trade here. Time will tell.

A CHANGE IN HOTEL PROPRIETORS HERE

Mr. George Neule, who has conducted the Farmers' Inn here for approximately two years, has sold to Mr. Henry Hursch, of Harrisburg. Mr. Hursch conducted a Hotel at Harrisburg until it was sold recently. He took charge last Friday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lehman A. Smith, Mt. Joy R D, and Ruth Brill, E-town RD. Benjamin Newcomer, Mount Joy R1 and Reba E. Myer, Bird-in-Hand R1.

VISITED BY THE STORK

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Leiberherr, 237 Marietta St., a daughter, at 5:46 p.m. Friday, at Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital.

LETTERS GRANTED

Nora L. Derr, executrix of Daniel H. S. Derr, late of this boro.

Local Affairs In General Briefly Told

A 147 year old deed was put on record in the Recorders office last week.

In a freight wreck in the Penna. R. R. yards at Columbia, two steers and a hog were killed.

The Columbia Trust Co. has settled a treble damage case growing out of over-ceiling charges for rent.

The Scharzenbach Huber Co. Mill at Columbia is having a wildcat strike of its seventy employees.

Robert Hamaker, 40, of Manheim, was shot in both legs while hunting Tuesday. The shot were removed at the hospital.

Martin M. Bard, 73, East Petersburg, was shot in the legs on the opening day of the hunting season by his companion David S. Walter.

\$71,043 Damage Suit In Auto-Truck Crash

Damages totalling \$71,043.79 are asked in a suit filed Thursday by Florence B. Santaniello, 632 E. Frederick St., Lancaster against the Landis Stone Meal Co., Rheems and the estate of Charles W. Shirk, late of Ephrata Twp., as a result of the auto-truck crash last Nov. 24 on Route 230 at Rheems.

Suits were previously filed by the estates of the three persons who were riding in the Shirk car and were killed as a result of the crash in which Shirk also lost his life.

In her statement of claim, Miss Santaniello states she suffered a brain concussion, broken nose, injuries to her knees, legs and head, that she received disfiguring scars and injuries to her nervous system. She is suing for \$50,000 for pain and suffering, \$305 for medical and hospital expenses, \$67 for clothes ruined, \$30 for the loss of her purse, wallet and money, \$641.79 for wages lost when she was unable to work at the Middletown Air Depot from Nov. 24 to April 1, and a total of \$20,000 for permanent injuries sustained.

FORMER RESIDENTS HERE NOW RESIDE IN PITTSBURGH

The Dormant Wallpaper & Paint Co., of Dormant, Pittsburgh, Pa., wishes to thank the Tyndall Cut Rate Store for the beautiful bouquet sent to them on their formal opening, Saturday Nov. 3, 1945.

Mr. Asher Millard is the manager of the store, was born in Mt. Joy, and reared by Mrs. Tyndall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Loraw. If any of their friends come to Pittsburgh they are cordially invited to pay this store a visit.

Asher Millard is the only son of the late "Blondy" Millard, a former barber of our boro. He resided in the present Lane property opposite the Bulletin Office. His mother is Anna M. Hulseman, nee Anna M. Hendrix, this boro.

ADULT SEWING CLASS OPENS

The public is invited to attend the adult sewing class which will have its first meeting on Monday evening November 12 at 7:00 p. m. in Room 12 in Mt. Joy High School. The classes are free and all out of school people are invited to attend. Persons with special sewing problems as well as beginners are very welcome. The class is under the direction of Miss Ellen K. Garber.

OPA SEES CHANCE OF TIRE RATIONING ENDED JAN. 1

The OPA has predicted that there is a possibility of tire rationing ending by January 1, 1946.

The officials claim that barring strikes the output should be 4,000,000 soon and that would eliminate the backlog of applications.

TWO CARS COLLIDE

Officer Zerphey, reported an accident on Main Street, when Francis Brian, of Mt. Joy was about to make a left hand turn from Main Street to Comfort Alley and a car driven by Albert Beese, Camden, N. J., proceeding west on Main St., collided.

Headlights on both cars were broken, no one injured.

Brief News Of The Day From Local Dailies

500 truck drivers went out on a strike at Reading.

Labor disputes have 261,000 workers from their jobs.

266,000 men and women are on strike in the United States Nov. 1.

A jet propelled plane made a record of 606 miles per hour in England.

All trolley men in Washington, D. C. are on strike. The taxi drivers may join them.

1000 pairs of nylon hose were put on sale by a Phila. specialty shop and sold within two hours.

The Armstrong Co. at Lancaster purchased a tract of land at Macon, Ga. where they will erect a plant.

A New York restaurateur proprietor has been sued for charging too much for ham and cabbage dinners, \$2.50 per plate.

Randall M. Hanes, York, an honor graduate in this year's class at F. & M., was immediately engaged as a member of the faculty.

The OPA is considering boosting the price of newsprint \$5 per ton. That will mean an increase of \$16,000,000 a year to consumers.

Four B-29's made a non-stop flight from Japan to Washington, a distance of 6,544 in 27 hours and 29 minutes. They had 43 men aboard.

Two hunters were killed, another died of a heart attack in Penna. on Nov. 1. In the county ten were shot, two hospitalized and six others injured.

\$50,000 worth of nylon, enough to make 300,000 pairs of hose valued at \$600,000, was stolen from a Phila. warehouse.

Dr. George Thomas Pack, 59 East 93rd St., New York City, authority on cancer and radiology, has purchased the Laumont Farms, south of Wrightsville.

East Donegal School News For The Week

The following scholarship rolls for the first report period ending October 16, 1945 was announced. Those having A grades in all major subjects—Grade 7: Joyce Eshleman, Rosene Musser and Clara Weaver. Grade 8: Marian Ney. Grade 10: Bryson Craine, Janet Eater, Patsy Waller and June Snyder. Grade 11: Pearl Dohner and Shirley Heisey.

Those having A or B grades in all major subjects—Grade 7: John Wilfemmyer, Joseph Brandt, Wilbur Ebersole, Mary Grace Bucher, Lois Hess, Peggy Hicks, Pauline Miller, Jean Shirk, Donald Sweitzer. Grade 8: Hazel Crankshaw, Irwin Heisey.

CELEBRATE 60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry N. Hostetter of near town celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary at a gathering of their family and a few friends on November 4, at their home. About 30 were present. The couple were married Nov. 5, 1885 by Rev. M. J. Mumma at the Reist homestead "Elm Sale" near Florin.

Their family are the following: C. R. Hostetter, Palmerton, Pa.; Mrs. Jonas B. Brubaker, Mt. Joy; Mrs. Harry C. Swarr, Lanc. R1; Ella R. Hostetter. They have two grandchildren and one great granddaughter.

MEETING NEXT WEDNESDAY

The Agricultural Extension Service will hold an interesting meeting in the Farm Bureau auditorium at Lancaster next Wednesday afternoon and evening.

WILL PROCURE ENGINEER'S APPROXIMATE COST AND THEN DECIDE ISSUE AT A SPECIAL MEETING

All the members, both secretaries and the supervisor were present at the regular November meeting of Boro Council on Monday evening. The Burgess was given an absent mark.

Justice of the Peace Hockenberry reported the receipt of \$50 representing fines, etc. for October.

Tax Collector Metzler reported these taxes outstanding: \$2165.28 for 1945 and \$115.17 for 1944.

About a month ago the American Legion made a verbal proposition to council, namely, that Walter S. Ebersole Post will donate the plot of ground upon which the Post's home is located, as a location for a war memorial, and that they will remove the frame dwelling. By a communication the Leg'on gave the Boro both the home and the plot of ground. Council decided to return the communication for correction as council only accepted the ground and not the building.

The Chamber of Commerce, by letter, said they were desirous of (Turn to page 7)

27 Were Present At Lions Club Meeting

The Mount Joy Lions Club held their regular meeting at Hostetter's Banquet Hall, Tuesday, November 6, 1945, with twenty-seven members present and the following guests: District Deputy Ben Weaver of the Lancaster Club, Ralph Eshelman and Simon Fickinger of the Mount Joy Rotary Club, Captain James Phillips, guest of St Phillips, and Mrs. Richard Divet, who assisted at the piano.

Mr. Fickinger represented the Minstrel Show Committee from the Rotary Club to arrange for a joint presentation by the clubs of a Minstrel Show, to be held in Mount Joy in the near future.

After lunch was served, Rotarian Eshelman entertained the club with a number of colored chalk drawings.

The next regular meeting will be held November 20th at Hostetter's at 6:15 p. m.

Boro Council Reconsiders Citizens' Petition on Sewage System and a Disposal Plant

Realty Sales Throughout This Section

A farm of 166 acres on the road leading from Elizabethtown to Mt. Gretna, a mile west of Lawn, Londonderry township, was purchased for \$8,964 by M. N. Heisey, Elizabethtown borough, when offered at public sale Wednesday afternoon by J. Earl Heisey.

Greider Farm Brings \$429 An Acre

The 70-acre farm of the late C. C. Greider, in West Hempfield twp., was purchased at \$429 an acre by Rudolph M. Forry, of Manheim R2, when offered at public sale Wednesday afternoon by Christian S. and Benjamin L. Greider, administrators of the estate. Walter Dupes was the auctioneer. A new barn was built on the farm this year, following a fire in the Spring.

Located about two miles north of Silver Spring, the farm contains a 2 1/2 story brick dwelling of 13 rooms with all modern improvements, frame dairy barn with quarters for 16 cows, silo, tobacco shed to hang 16 acres of leaf, smoke house, hog sties, large fish pond and swimming pool, and three wells.

Rapho Farm Sold

Martin Shelley purchased from his father, John S. Shelley, a 23-acre Rapho Twp. farm at public sale. The price was \$6,250. The farm is located on the road from Union Square to Mastersonville.

Local Property Sold

Last Wednesday evening at the Bulletin Office, Asher F. Snyder estate, H. E. Hauer and R. Fellenbaum, as their interests may appear, sold a lot of ground on Marietta St., this boro. The improvements on said lot are a 2-1-2 story frame dwelling with all conveniences. Also a frame garage. The property is now tenanted by John Bowman. After spirited bidding it was purchased by Mr. Charles Derr, who now resides on West Main St., for \$6,900.00. C. S. Frank called the sale and Louis S. May was the attorney.

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Rotarians Listen to Dr. Neuman Who Heard Adolph Hitler Speak

A beautiful clear day, a good crowd, a few visitors, one service man, and a good speaker, a perfect combination for a good Rotary meeting was what we had Tuesday noon at Hostetter's.

The visitors were F. S. Miller, T. M. Tompkins and L. W. Fetter, all from the Elizabethtown club, F. S. Bucher from the Lancaster Club, and one service man, Jim Heilig TM 1/c, recently returned from 2 years in the Pacific. Jim is the son of Rotarian Dr. Heilig.

The speaker for the day was a newcomer to the club as well as a newcomer to this part of the country. He was Dr. Frederick C. Neuman, Professor of Languages at the Elizabethtown College. Dr. Neuman has been in this country but five years, speaks six languages, has done considerable writing, and has taught in Universities and Colleges on the continent, England and in this country. Dr. Neuman holds a PH.D. degree in Languages from the University of Vienna, and hold a second PHD degree from the same University in Political Science.

In 1938 Dr. Neuman left Austria after spending one year under the dictatorship of Hitler. Dr. Neuman (Turn to page 4)

MAN'S HAND INJURED IN A CORN PICKER

Paul Miller, 31, Bainbridge, had his left hand badly mangled when caught in a corn picker while working on the farm of Abram Gish, near E-town. He was admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital following an emergency operation.

The Affairs At Florin For Past Week

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Gladfelter of Reading, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Felty and Mrs. James Wagner and daughter, Callie, of Lancaster, Mr. Paul Shank, of Hanover were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kauffman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sweikert spent the past week at Baltimore, Md., visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mumper moved into their home they recently purchased at Neffsville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bender of Milton Grove entertained, Mrs. George Mumper Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frye and son Kenneth to dinner on Sunday.

Mrs. John Zink, of Columbia and Mrs. George Wagenbach of Silver Spring, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dyer on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schlegelmilch entertained the following to a birthday dinner on November 4 in honor of Mr. Edward Henderson, Mr. Jacob Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wickenheiser, of Harrisburg; Mr. James Henderson, of Lancaster, Mr. Rodney Naylor, W. (Turn to page 8)