

Don't Fail to Express Your Opinion On The Sewage Question at The Polls Next Tuesday

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

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E. Donegal Board Adopts Its Budget

At the May meeting of the East Donegal Township School Board, held last Friday, the 1946-47 budget was unanimously adopted. The budget calls for expenditures of \$99,596.00 with estimated income of \$99,822.00. Tax rates remain at \$5 per capita and fifteen mills on real estate.

Activities Approved

The Board approved the following activities—Sacred concerts by the school glee clubs; May 12, First Methodist church, Lancaster; May 19, Donegal Presbyterian church; May 26, Marietta Methodist church.

Band Engagements

May 26, Marietta Spanish American War Veterans Memorial Service; May 30, Elizabethtown Memorial Parade (a. m.); May 30, Maytown Memorial Day Services (p. m.); June 1, Columbia Firemen's Parade.

Commencement Activities

June 2, Baccalaureate Services. Sermon by Dr. V. W. Dippel, Maytown Reformed Church; June 3, Ninth Grade Promotion Exercises; June 4, The 51st Commencement. Address by Dean S. P. McComsey, of Millersville State Teachers College. Mr. John H. Epler '96, a member of the first graduating class, will present the diplomas.

The board awarded a roof repair contract to the Garland Company, Cleveland, Ohio, for the sum of \$1,000. They also agreed to purchase eight Underwood typewriters for the commercial department. Mr. Duffey was accepted with regret. Mr. Duffey leaves to accept a position at Millersville State Teachers College.

The board also approved the installation of ultraviolet germicidal light units in the grade schools of the township. The lights will be installed by the Dauphin Electrical Supplies Co. of Harrisburg. The purpose of these lights is to reduce infection communicable by airborne bacteria. Although not as yet installed in many schools, they have given very satisfactory results wherever experimentally installed.

The Affairs At Florin For Past Week

The Girl Scout Troop held the investiture service for Shirley Golden on Tuesday evening. The scouts used the candle light service, there were two readings by Fredine Gehman and Loretta Kline.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller and children of York were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buller.

Mrs. Celia Young and son, of Harrisburg spent Sunday with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nissly.

Messrs Clyde Cassel and Ralph Williams, of Manheim called on Mr. and Mrs. Al Fike on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Lippenoot, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Berlen and Messrs. Joseph and Emery Wyre, of North East, Md., recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ginder entertained at a dinner on Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hostetter of Mt. Joy, who were recently married. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hawthorne and family, of Marietta, Mr. and Mrs. (Turn to Page 2)

ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kain, Mount Joy R2, announce the engagement of their daughter, Georgine Elizabeth, and Elmer D. Grube, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Grube, Lititz R3.

No date has been set for the wedding.

RESULT OF COAL STRIKE

The Gladfelter Paper plant at Spring Grove, York County, closed last week for an indefinite period—NO COAL. Five hundred employees are out of work. This is the first time in eighty-two years that the plant was forced to cease operations.

MRS. MARY B. MYERS SPEAKS TO ERGATAN CLASS

Mrs. Mary B. Myers, dean of girls at McCaskey high school, spoke to the Ergatan Class of The Church of God, at their annual Mother and Daughter banquet, which was held at Hostetter's, Tuesday evening. There were 50 members and guests present.

Mrs. Stanley Wiker lead in prayer. Mrs. Clyde Mumper gave a vocal solo, accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Broske. Mrs. R. Graybill and Mrs. Geo. Broske each gave a reading. Mrs. Harvey Hawthorne and Mrs. Sam Dock gave a piano duet. Mrs. Milton Mowrer and Mrs. Helen MacElhenney sang a duet, accompanied by Mrs. Sam Dock. Group singing also was enjoyed.

Mrs. Jay Barnhart, the president, served as toastmistress. Table decorations were arranged by Mrs. Guy Myers, Mrs. John Zeller and Mrs. Flory Newcomer.

Mrs. Sam Dock and Mrs. Harvey Hawthorne planned the program. The next class meeting will be held May 21, at the home of Mrs. Milton Mowrer.

The Eldership Wives Attend a Luncheon

The Churches of God of Lancaster, Mount Joy, Rohrerstown and Landisville entertained the Ministers' Wives Association of the East Penna. Eldership at a luncheon served by the Ladies' Aid of the Landisville Church Tuesday, May 14th. The function was held in the Landisville Fire Hall social rooms, and the meal was served to about 60 members and their guests.

A program was rendered following the meal, and was in charge of Mrs. E. F. Sipe of Enahut, Pa. Mrs. J. D. Urban of Refton, conducted devotions, and musical selections were rendered by Mrs. Martin Strickler, of Rohrerstown and Miss Madeline Stanley and Mrs. Russell Rohrer, of Landisville. Readings were given by Master Mark Miller, of Rohrerstown, and Mrs. Graybill of Mount Joy. A short business meeting was held following this program.

Immediately after the luncheon the ministers' went to the Landisville Church of God for their regular meeting which was in charge of the president of the Ministerium, Rev. K. E. Boldosser, of Harrisburg. Prayer was offered by the Rev. H. R. Lobb, of Mechanicsburg.

At this meeting the book by E. Stanley Jones, "The Christ of the American Road," was reviewed by the Rev. H. E. Wagner, Jr., of Newville, Pa.

The hostesses at the luncheon were Mrs. C. H. Lefever, of Lancaster; Mrs. H. M. Mumper, of Mount Joy; Mrs. H. S. Hershey, and Mrs. R. H. Dahl of Landisville.

SLIGHT FIRE SUNDAY IN DR. R. M. THOME'S GARAGE

Our firemen were called out at 5:15 p. m. Sunday, to extinguish a blaze of undetermined origin in the loft of a newly-built garage in the rear of the home and office of Dr. R. M. Thome, 61 Marietta Ave.

The fire was confined to a box of magazines stored with a mattress in the loft.

Several boards on the loft floor were scorched and slight damage done to the mattress.

HELPED HIM GET HOME FOR MOTHER'S DAY

If a wandering western Pennsylvania youth didn't get home in time for Mother's Day it wasn't the fault of Burgess Thomas J. B. Brown.

The youth, Charles Hedding, sixteen, gave himself up to Police Chief Elmer Zerphey, his wanderlust gone. Burgess Brown bought him a bus ticket Friday and he left for his home in Apollo, near Pittsburgh.

CHARGE AGAINST MOTORIST

Charged with failing to leave his name at the scene of an accident, Martin Redcay, Manheim R2 was prosecuted by Manheim Police Chief DeWey Obetz before Justice of Peace L. W. Musser Saturday.

DRAFT EXTENDED TO JULY

The Senate Tuesday extended the draft until July 1 with youths under twenty exempted.

A Former Convict Rapes School Girl

A 46-year-old former Eastern Penitentiary convict has signed a confession, that he committed rape on a 12-year old Conewago Township girl and annoyed other pupils of the school.

The accused man, Myrl Dorwart, who lives alone in a house near the school was arrested by Dauphin Co. Detectives in the basement of the Bachman Chocolate Company, here, where he was employed. Held without bail of charges of rape and molesting school girls, Dorwart was committed to the Dauphin County prison to await arrangement before Justice of the Peace Wilmer Brubaker, Conewago Township.

The girl Dorwart is accused of ravishing identified him as her assailant.

Dorwart was sentenced in 1934 by the Dauphin County Court to serve a five-to-ten-year sentence in the Eastern Penitentiary on a sodomy charge involving young girls.

YORK CHORUS PLEASERS LOCAL AUDIENCE

Despite a very rainy evening a fine crowd of music lovers from Mt. Joy and vicinity heard the York Chorus render a very fine and understandable program of music which pleased. The group of sacred numbers, some arranged by Prof. Schroeder, the Director himself were excellent and were appreciated and enjoyed by all. The soloists were very excellent and their numbers were very well received. The last group, with The Battle Hymn of the Republic as a finale capped the climax and the audience was pleased.

The Rotary Club wishes to thank all who in any way helped make this Concert the success it was and promises to the people of Mt. Joy more music of a like nature. Thank you for helping.

COMMUNITY EXHIBIT OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS MEETING

The directors and officers of the Mount Joy Community Exhibit will meet in the fire house on Tuesday evening, May 21st at 8 o'clock, to make extensive plans for the annual farm show on October 10-11-12.

This being the 25th anniversary of the local exhibit, representative committees from local organizations have been invited to attend to make suggestions and cooperate in making this show an outstanding event. Anyone interested in the exhibit is invited to attend.

LANCASTER MAN'S CAR IN COLLISION WITH FLORIN AUTO

Warren V. Lefever, twenty-two, 353 E. Ross St., Lancaster, charged with failure to stop and leave identity at the scene of an accident was prosecuted by State Police after he allegedly collided with an auto driven by William P. Baltzger, eighteen, Church St., Florin, on the Marietta pike, near Marietta. He posted bail for a hearing before Justice of the Peace Bertram, Manor Twp.

TWO EXTRA POLICEMEN ON DUTY OVER THE WEEKEND

Mount Joy's two extra policemen went on duty over the weekend for the first time. They are John L. Schroll and Jacob Carol. They will assist Chief of Police Elmer Zerphey and will be on duty Fridays, Saturday and Sundays and other times as needed, as Burgess J. B. Brown decides.

Singular as it may seem, John L. Schroll was a policeman here exactly twenty years ago to the week.

JET-PROPELLED PLANE GAVE FOLKS A THRILL

A jet-propelled plane gave folks in this locality quite a thrill one day last week. It "zoomed" downward at a great rate of speed, leaving a trail of dark smoke and about the time one thought it was coming thru the roof, headed skyward and disappeared very rapidly.

HAD QUITE A SALE

The Lions Club held its second community sale at Newcomer's Service Station Friday evening. Over five hundred articles were disposed of, Walter Dupes called the sale.

LBC MET MONDAY NIGHT

The Ladies Bible Class of Trinity Lutheran Sunday School met in the parish house Monday evening at 7:30 p. m.

GEO. BROWN SONS, INC. GIVE AMERICAN LEGION \$1,000

A contribution of \$1,000 was received by the Walter S. Ebersole Post, No. 185, American Legion, here, from George Brown Sons, Inc., as a gift toward the Legion's building project, it was announced at a meeting of the post held Thursday evening.

The post will sponsor a Memorial Day observance. They will have an Honor Guard, firing squad and will decorate the graves in Florin, Mount Joy and Eberle's cemeteries. Arthur Schneider is chairman of the Firing Squad.

Eugene Creider gave a report on the Junior League Handball Team, which the Legion is sponsoring. 10 rifles have been received from the government.

George Brown II, will represent the post at the Junior High School graduation and make the Legion award. Services in St. Mark's U. B. Church on Sunday morning, May 26, will be attended in a body, by the Legionnaires.

Mrs. James Riedel Seriously Injured

An "unloaded" firearm was blamed Sunday for the wounding of a nineteen-year-old Salunga woman, who is in a serious condition at St. Joseph's Hospital with a wound in her right chest.

The woman is Mrs. Martha Jane Riedel, Salunga, who was wounded at 11:45 a. m. by a gun discharged by her husband, James, twenty-one, according to Cpl. William Templeton, of the State Police.

According to Cpl. Templeton, Riedel told him he had taken eight bullets from his 22 calibre rifle and was ascending the stairs to the second floor, believing the weapon unloaded. As he walked up the steps, he told the officer, he pulled the trigger. A shot rang out and his wife, on the second floor of their home, cried out that she was shot.

Mrs. Riedel was treated by Dr. J. S. Kendig, Salunga, and Dr. J. Trout Herr, Landisville, who were summoned to the scene. She was ordered removed to St. Joseph's Hospital where she was given a blood transfusion and the bullet was removed.

OCCUPANTS ESCAPE INJURY IN A COLLISION HERE

Monday morning Officer Zerphey investigated an accident at the intersection of Main and Market sts. Mildred Jones, of town, driving south on Market Street, and Harold O. Yoder, Mechanicsburg, R2, Pa., was driving East on Main street and the cars collided.

The occupants were uninjured and both cars were damaged and taken to Eli Ament's garage.

Visited By The Stork

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Nolt, Mt. Joy, a daughter Saturday at the Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Balmer, of Manheim R2, a daughter at 2:40 p. m. Monday at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Matheny, of Bainbridge R1, a son, on Saturday, at the Columbia Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Snyder, Mt. Joy R2, a son at 7 p. m. Sunday, at the Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital.

CHILD FELL FROM CRIB

Harold Hauer, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hauer, 531 West King street, Lancaster, was treated at St. Joseph's Hospital for an injured back of his head sustained when he fell from a crib. Merlin Hauer is a son of our former merchant H. E. Hauer and is well known here.

41 ATTENDED BANQUET

Forty-one members and guests attended the Mother-Daughter banquet held at the Accomac Inn by the Young Ladies' Bible Class of the Reich's Evangelical Congregation Church. Miss Florence Trone, class president, was the toastmistress. Mrs. Charles Workman, Lancaster, was speaker.

ANOTHER SOLDIER DISCHARGED AT FT. DIX

T-4 Robert J. Bishop, of Salunga, was discharged from the service at Ft. Dix, N. J. last week, as was also Pfc. Jacob K. Gantz, of Manheim.

Alumni Associat' n Is Fifty In June

On June 6th the Alumni Association will celebrate its Fiftieth Anniversary in the high school auditorium. Unlike the past years, the banquet was one of the main features, but because of the shortages, and difficult times when it comes to getting food, there will be a buffet luncheon served instead. The association had a big year under President Arthur Sprecher, and it is hoped that when the letters go forward, all the members who possibly can will return their card, indicating that they will be present.

It is hoped that a big crowd will be out, for this is the opportunity to meet old classmates and friends.

The spirit of the Alumni Association must be kept alive, and this can only be done by each member attending the annual meeting. The cost this year will be 75c, for the luncheon, and every effort will be made to make the evening an enjoyable one. Original plans were to have a big time since this marks fifty years for the association, but because of circumstances beyond the control of the association, the original plans had to be discarded, and plans suitable to the time used. It is hoped that it will be the desire of each member to come out June 6th, and each add our little bit to make this year just as successful as the years were that are past.

E. HEMPFIELD BAND ASSOCIATION REORGANIZES

George Shenck was reelected president, and Norman Bowers, vice president, of the Parent Band Association of East Hempfield Township at a "Get-Together" meeting Thursday night in the high school.

Others elected were: John Herr, secretary; Chester W. Schonberger. The association has approximately 60 active members, whose purpose is to help the band progress in a financial way, and to provide transportation when they play away from home.

Donald Mease, supervisor of instrumental music, who has returned from the service, is again band leader and already has 45 members in the Senior Band and 30 in the Junior Band.

CHERRY LEAF TABLE SELLS FOR \$33 AT PUBLIC SALE

A cherry leaf table was sold for \$33 at a public sale in Rapho Twp. Saturday afternoon. The personal property was offered for sale by Moses W. Wenger.

Bringing high prices were the following: coal oil lights, \$4 to \$8; chair \$3; goblets \$1.50 each; chest \$20; and a utility cabinet \$18.

CITY POLICE CRACK DOWN ON RECKLESS AUTOISTS

Lancaster city police are certainly on the job where careless motorists are concerned. Of the many arrested over the weekend were Aaron W. Wood, Marietta R1, driving too fast for conditions and Samuel Nolt Jr., Mount Joy R1, reckless driving.

TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATIONS

Chief Officer Zerphey prosecuted S. W. Bornman, Duncannon on a reckless driving charge on Sunday evening and Robert Sheets, Harrisburg on a speed law violation. Both before Justice of the Peace Hockenberry.

STAUFFER QUARRY SALE

According to deeds recorded at Lancaster within the past week was that of Samuel N. Stauffer and wife to L. J. Smith and R. S. Maust for Stauffer's Quarries near town. According to the deed the sale price was \$35,000.00.

MYLIN'S NEW ASSISTANT

F. F. Bailey, supervising principal of the Warwick Township schools since 1927, was elected assistant county superintendent of schools by the county board of school directors at a meeting Monday afternoon.

FRACTURED LEFT WRIST

Elsie Henderson, 76, Maytown, suffered a fracture of the left wrist in a fall down steps at her home and was treated at St. Joseph's Hospital, according to attendants.

Local Affairs In General Briefly Told

Fire destroyed a five-room house at Ephrata on Sunday.

Samuel Lockard, Columbia, was refused a license for his new place in Manor township.

Farmers will get \$2.50 per bushel for their wheat for relief, the Government has announced.

There were thunder showers, hail and humidity thruout the county Sunday—a taste of July weather.

Allen Long, of Elizabethtown, has been named as the driver who killed a woman and hurt two others at Hershey.

It cost two auctioneers \$50 apiece and costs for selling butter at \$1.65 per pound at an Ephrata auction sale.

Jonas G. Hess, Columbia R2, was arrested Saturday for driving while intoxicated. He posted bail for a hearing.

When a 12-ton tractor-trailer upset on Route 30 at Columbia, 152,640 eggs were dumped into one big omelet valued at \$2,000.

Over half the flour mills in Lancaster county (and we have many) have already been closed for lack of wheat.

At 3:30 a. m. Saturday a car driven by George Garcia, 17, struck a pole, careened into a field and then upset. He paid a fine and costs for reckless driving in West Hempfield township.

WHAT A NECKTIE PARTY

At Dachau, Germany, fifty-eight of the sixty-one Germans convicted of complicity in the murder of one and a-half million persons in the notorious Mauthausen prison camp were sentenced to be hanged by an American military tribunal. The 3 others get life imprisonment.

THE MEMORIAL SERMON

The American Legion Walter S. Ebersole Post No. 185 will attend Memorial Services in the United Brethren Church, on Sunday morning May 26th., at 10:45 a. m.

All comrades will assemble at the Fire House at 9:45 a. m.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ronald H. Maple and Arlene H. Miller, both of Landisville.

Claire Lewis Foreman, Hummelstown R1, and Pauline Alma Weiser, Florin.

Clarence M. Becker, Manheim R1, and Beatrice B. Nolt, Mt. Joy R1.

Deeds Recorded

Dr. J. Trout Herr and Katharine K. Herr, Landisville, to J. Urban Baker and Marguerite B. Baker, of Landisville, a lot of ground in Landisville.

John B. Hays, Manheim Township, to Irvin Koser and Anna S. Koser, Rapho Township, a tract of land in Rapho Township.

John S. Habecker and A. Mary H. Habecker, East Hempfield Township, to William P. Shelton and Mary L. Shelton, East Hempfield Township, a lot of ground in East Hempfield Township.

Elias Z. Musser and Ruth D. Musser, East Donegal Township, to Arthur Braun and Velma G. Braun, of Florin, a lot of ground in East Donegal Township.

Elias Z. Musser and Ruth D. Musser, East Donegal Township, to Nelson S. Sentz and Miriam H. Sentz, East Donegal Township, a lot of ground in East Donegal Twp.

Elias Z. Musser and Ruth D. Musser, East Donegal Township, to Jno. B. Heisey and Margaret I. Heisey, Rapho Township, a lot of ground in East Donegal Township.

Elias Z. Musser and Ruth D. Musser, East Donegal Township, to Mary V. Drescher, East Donegal Township a lot of ground in East Donegal Township.

Florin Foundry and Manufacturing Co., Florin, to Lester W. Long, Florin, a tract of land in East Donegal Township.

Christian Herr and Bessie A. Herr, Mount Joy Township, to Herbert L. Hoffman and Edith R. Hoffman, Middletown R1, a tract of land in Mount Joy Township.

ATTENDING A FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. William Berrier, Longenecker road, left Monday evening for Akron, Ohio to attend the funeral of Mrs. Berrier's brother, who died suddenly.

Mortuary Record In This Section

Mrs. G. P. Taylor, 54, died at Columbia.

Mrs. Anna Evans, 80, died at her home in Manheim.

Mrs. Calvin H. Herneisen, 54, of Manheim R3, died Thursday.

John F. Stoll, 84, died at Columbia. He was born at Schock's Mills.

Mrs. Alice Gramm, eighty, Columbia R1, died at the Columbia Hospital.

Michael F. Weidman, 85, died at Manheim Saturday. Charles H., of Manheim R2 is a son.

Charles S. Yeager, 46, publisher of the Ephrata Review since the death of his father, died in Florida of influenza. He was ill since last November.

Suggestions by Men-Women of Tomorrow

The Bulletin is in receipt of the appended communication and we think it a very worthy question that should be given every consideration.

Lancaster City is at present considering the same problem as many of you know, by the publication of many suggestions from the younger folks on this same subject.

Right here in Mount Joy is a golden opportunity for local organizations, service clubs, business men and parents to do that particular something that will give us better business men and women for the future.

Read the following. We welcome other suggestions but will the contributors please sign their names to their communications.

10 May, 1946

The Editor Mt. Joy Bulletin:

Mount Joy, Penna.

We of the younger generation would appreciate your printing this (Turn to page 2)

EVANGELICAL BUSY WORKERS' MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Busy Workers Class of Trinity Evangelical Congregational Sunday School held a Mother-Daughter banquet at Hostetter's Banquet Hall Monday evening. All mothers and daughters of the Sunday School were guests. A special program arranged by the class was presented.

Gifts were presented to Mrs. Sara Espenshade, the oldest mother present; Mrs. Earl White, the youngest mother and Mrs. Paul Hostetter, the newest mother present.

Group singing, a reading and a discussion of interesting happenings in the lives of the various mothers was enjoyed by all. Games were played for which prizes were given. Fifty persons attended.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY CARD PARTY, MON. MAY 27TH

The American Legion Auxiliary will sponsor a Card Party to be held at the Fire House on Monday evening, May 27th, at eight o'clock.

Pinochle, 500 and Bridge will be played.

Door prizes will be Flour and 5 pounds of Sugar, and there will be two prize \$ to each table.

Read the ad on another page of this issue.

PATIENT AT A. H. OF P. HOSPITAL

Mrs. S. A. Horton, 313 Donegal Springs Road, is a surgical patient in the University of Pennsylvania Hospital at Philadelphia. We are pleased to report her condition is improving at this writing.

DIVORCE SUIT DISCONTINUED

The divorce suit of W. Eichler, Florin against Verna G. Eichler, of this borough, was discontinued with the county court's approval.

LOCAL PROPERTY IS SOLD

A property at 110-112 West Main street, this borough, was sold at private sale and on private terms to Harold Frey for Paul Weiser. The sale was made by Ammon S. Graybill.

EXPENSIVE TO GET SICK

The doctors at Manheim have raised their prices to office calls \$2; town calls \$3.00; rural calls, \$3.00 plus 25 cents per mile.

ANOTHER DISCHARGED

Cpl. Samuel H. Nissley, Mount Joy, was discharged from the service at Fort Dix, N. J. this week.