Gets 2-4 Yrs. In Pen

seven, of town, pleaded guilty to six counts of burglary and larceny and was sentenced to 2 to 4 years the Eastern Penitentiary by Judge Wissler in court Friday morning. A fine of \$100 and costs also was imposed.

Pvt. J. J. Haggerty, of the State Police, testified that Schneider entered the summer home of Earl C. Stauffer at Blossom Hill on four different occasions between July 5 and September, stealing a coin collection valued at \$800. He said Schneider also admitted entering (Turn to Page 2)

FORMER LANDISVILLE LADY IS ENGAGED TO WED

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison B. Long, 915 S. 17th Ave., Hollywood. Florida, formerly of Landisville, announce the engagement of their

Geo. Schneider Pleads Lititz-Manheim Team **Guilty To 6 Charges; Wins 1-Act Play Contest** From Nine Contestants

resenting the Lititz-Manheim 4-H Community Club, won first prize of \$10 in the one-act play contest sponsored by the Boys' and Girls' 4-H County Councils. Nine teams competed and officials estimated total attendance of 800 persons. Four of the plays were presented in the Paradise High School Friday evening, and five were given in the Manheim Borough High School Saturday.

The committee which judged all the plays both evenings consisted of Miss Ester Lenhardt, dramatics instructor, of Millersville State Teachers' College; Caleb Bucher, (Turn to page 2)

Ten county soldiers were discharged from the Army last week. Jcy; Sara Esbenshade, 74, Among them was T-5 Roy Y. Fordaughter, Mary Jane, to Daniel H. ney, of Florin, from Ft. Dix, N.J. Kingsbury, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoffmaster, S-Sgt. Robert Harold W. Kingsbury, 36 Carlisle Tyndall, and Pfc. Jno. Fitzkee, all

AN EDITORIAL

In his recommendation to Council, contained in a letter published in these columns last week, Engineer John H. Wickersham, gave us the solution to more water, better pressure and adequate water provision for the future growth of our boro. By his method the change could be made without disturbing one foot of our present water pipe network thruout the boro and last but by no means least, the disadvantages of open ditches, torn up streets and alleys plus the inconvenience of Mr. and Mrs Public while the changes are in progress.

He has completed the mission for which he was engaged, it and when the boro decides to turn on the "go" signal.

Our readers will remember that at the last regular meeting of Council that body decided to lay a 12-inch water main at a cost of \$82,000.00. A motion to that effect was made and carried. In this we think Council erred.

We have a good Council personnel and we know there isn't one member who would make a personal expenditure without first knowing whether he had the finances.

BUT, Council decided on an expenditure of \$82,000, because the engineer recommended it, not even considering when, where or how the debt was to be paid.

They must not forget that when our Water Works was built the promoters created a debt of \$40,000. To be exact the bonds at the Bulletin Office, the real ewere ordered issued by an ordinance passed December 2nd, 1873 as follows: 30 at \$500 each, and 250 at \$100 each. Also Donegal street, this boro, with a Neiss of this place, were married that "they shall be payable to the bearer forty years after their 1 1-2 story frame dwelling and a date, but may be sooner paid, at the option of the Boro.

It naturally required some time until the water works was built and ready for operation. According to the copy of an ordinance in the writer's possession, passed by Boro Council Aug. 1, 1892, Henry L. Stager, Burgess, regulations relative to the use of water were formulated.

As near as we can remember the last of these water bonds were paid off about four years ago, fifty years after they were issued, even though they were to be retired ten years earlier.

We feel confident that our Water Works needs improving, but there are many, many tax payers who heartily agree that RIGHT NOW is by no means the time to do it. Material and labor are sky-high today. The Boro of Lititz has abandoned the idea of sewage and improvements to its water system due to today's excessive and costly prices and we voice the sentiments of a majority of our citizens when we say that the laying of this 12-inch water main should be postponed.

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Engineer Wickersham says it would increase our pressure and improve our fire protection. We have every reason to believe this is true but feel confident we could "shift along," patiently awaiting a break in cost.

We understand from some of the expressions at the recent special meeting, that Council may reconsider its recent order to spend \$82,000. It would be well.

OUR SUGGESTION

If and when Council decides to spend \$82,000 for better water facilities it might be well to consider:

Providing larger storage basins in order to save some of the water going seaward. This supply could be used to great advantage during a drought or a week's rain.

Concrete our present boro reservoir, thereby preventing considerable loss of water by the present seepage.

Put a concrete collar on our reservoir, thereby increasing storage there and in the standpipe, at the same time stepping up our water pressure a trifle.

Tie in some of the water mains on the south side of the boro. thereby eliminating many dead ends. This too, would slightly increase pressure and improve water service to consumers and

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\$1.50 a Year in Advance

Breneman Show Big

The Tom Breneman Show sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of Friendship Fire Co., held in the high school auditorium last Thursday evening was a grand success.

Mr. John Newcomer, the Tom Breneman of the show, presented orchids and gifts throughout the show as follows:

Orchids were presented to the oldest ladies present: Mrs. Mattie LOCAL SOLDIERS DISCHARGED Breneman, 81, Creswell, Manor Twp.; Mrs. Arthur Brown, 75, Mt

> Other gifts were cigarettes to eleven servicemen, Nylon hose, Johnnie Zeager; hats, Mrs. Caslow; Wishing Ring, Blondena Royer Youngest Mother, Mrs Florin: Richard Heisey, R8, Lancaster; Slip, Miss Shoop, Door prize, F. H. Musser, candy dish, Mary Shearer, Towels, Mr. Flam Stauffer, Makeup kit. Mrs. Ray Myers.

Largest family, Mrs. Harold Buller; Oldest married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hershey; Good Neighbor, first, Mrs.Breckline; second, Mrs. Lillian Hamilton, Florin: youngest grandmother, Mrs. Gelt-

The good neighbor letters were judged by Messrs. John Newcomer and Jay Eicherly.

Realty Sales **Around Here** During Week

Elstonville Home Sold Miles H. Marks, Lancaster, purchased at public sale Saturday from Barbara T. Lausch, Manheim, property on Route 72, near Elstonville, containing a four-room frame cottage with garage and some acreage, for \$3,570.

E. V. Spahr was the auctioneer

Chas. S. Frank sold at public sale Weddings state of the late Frank S. Peffer It consisted of lot No. 47 on West rame stable. It was purchased by Ralph C. and Fern S. Alleman, for \$2,925.00. The Allemans at present reside at 345 West Donegal street. The property they purchased is now

ession will be given April 1st. The real estate was sold by H. ecutors of the will of Frank S. Peffer. Wm. C. Rehm was the attorney.

Donegal Airport Open For Business Donegal Airport, one mile west

of Donegal Springs, on the farm ation. Phares H. Landis, the oper- by H. S. Newcomer and Son, since ator is the authorized agent for his discharge from the army. Piper Cub airplanes. Henry S Weber, flight instructor is age for Taylorcraft airplanes.

This airfield is now open to th flying public, airplanes will be sold and rented, "you fly it" or if you are not a pilot, one will be furnished. Flight instruction will be offer- Leroy S. Snyder, R2, Elizabethed and also passenger rides.

Flying is a magnificent sport one pleasant recreation. Business and this true. Flying is not only fun but it is also a time saving and economical way to travel.

Longer distances can be traveled quickly by air, and certainly with ess effort than driving a car on the

TRUCK STRIKES POLE AND

CAUSES SECOND TO CRASH Traffic on the Harrisburg Pike near the Yellow Goose was partially blocked late Saturday evening reset two poles broken off when hearings later. they were hit by a truck about 1 p.m. Saturday. State police said the HALLOWE'EN POLICEMEN truck owned by Cafferty Bros., N. Y., ran off the road and collided another as it fell.

Girl Scout Troop 108 Success, Prizes Given Elected Patrol Leaders

Redwood Patrol: Peggy Zerphey, Patrol Leader: Beverly Myers, A asistant Patrol Leader; Jackie Zeller. Secretary.

Clover Patrol: Mary Jane Star, Patrol Leader; Beverly Brown, Assistant Patrol Leader; Peggy Fackler, Secretary.

Cardinal Patrol: Shirley Hawthorne, Patrol Leader; Georgianne Shatto, Assistant Patrol Leader Jean Darrenkamp, Secretary. They also elected Beverly Rut

ter as Troop Scribe. The Troop is having a hay rid for the the Boy Scouts. We also make receiving blankets

for the Needlework Guild. THE DEADLINE EXTENDED

ON SUGAR FOR CANNING Canning sugar stamps, Spare No and No. 10, in War Ration Book Four will continue valid through Nov. 30, instead of expiring at the end of this month, the OPA has announced.

Each of the stamps is good for five pounds of sugar.

The OPA's action was taken to offset regional sugar shortages re sulting from the maritime strike The regular table sugar stamp Spare No. 51, remains good for five pounds of sugar until the end of the year.

EVANGELICAL AND UNITED BRETHREN CHURCHES UNITE Many churches will assume new name when the national bodie of the Evangelical Church and the Church of the United Brethren in Christ merge formally at a gener al conference Nov. 16 at Johnstown. The merged church will be known as the Evangelical United Brethren Church, Its national mem bership will be 714,000

This Section's Numerous

Neiss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Park in their newly furnished home on noon at 2 o'clock. Rev. E. H. Ranck performed the double ring ceremony. The bride given in marriage by her brother, Frank Shank of occupied by "Jim" Pennell. Poss- Flizabethtown, wore a dark suit and a corsage of white rosebuds and bouvardia. She was attended A. Minnich and Katey Hershey, ex- by her sister, Mrs. Charles Moore of Palmyra, who wore a suit and a corsage of yellow pom poms. The pest man was Frank Schneider of this place, cousin of the bridegroom A reception for forty guests was held at the home immediately after the ceremony, After a trip to Rome New York, the couple will reside n East Donegal street. Mrs. Neiss s employed by Geo. Brown Sons of Harold Endslow is now in oper- and Mr. Neiss has been employed

Activities of Our

Chief Elmer Zerphey, prosecuted town, and Clarence Keener R1, Manheim for stop sign violations. Officer Jino. L. Schroll, proseprofessional people especially find cuted H. W. Breaw. Pottstown. with improper passing.

They will be summoned for hearing before Justice of the Peace James Hockenberry.

Chief of Police Elmer Zerphey, prosecuted the following for motor code violations Wednesday: Roland Harper, Lewistown, Pa., for improper passing and Frank Caruso, Sr., Rochester, N. Y., for reckless driving. Both men were driving large trucks. They were prosecuted before Justice of the Peace James as construction crews of the PRR Hockenberry and will be called for

The Fire Police have been authorized as special policemen during ad on another page of this issue. Heisey, late of Florin.

SEEK MISSING DAUGHTER WHOSE CHILD IS SICK

Mr. and Mrs. Foster A. Conner, Manheim R2, are trying to locate their daughter June Fay Conner At Florin For their daughter, June Fay Conner, seventeen, whose four month old son Robert is ill at home.

Mr. Conner said his daughter left home Friday, Oct. 18 and may ter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. be in either Lancaster or Phila- Harold Buller. delphia. The girl is described as having brown hair and eyes, weight 120 pounds, height five feet five Schock's at Manor on Sunday.

When last seen she was wearing black dress, grey spring coat, and black shoes. Mr. Conner said Saturday night that he had informed the State Police of the absence of his daughter and asked their aid in locating her.

Mortuary Record In This Section

Rhobie Billett, twenty-one, died friends. at Marietta.

Benjamin Franklin Mann, 88. died at Columbia.

Miss Myrtle Raymond, 24, Columbia, died Friday. Joshna H. Hoffer, 72, died at Elizabethtown vesterday.

Charles D. Landis, 74, of Columbia, died at the Coatesville Hosp-John Henry Fasig, 85, of Man-

al Monday. William C. Mullikin, 66, died at Columbia Monday. His wife was buried the day before. Harry M. Billett

Harry M. Billett, sixty-one, died Tuesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Conrad. Floringl. (Turn to page 3)

EAST DONEGAL GIVES BALANCE TO LEGION

The East Donegal Honor Roll as-\$2,064 to Donegal American Legion Post No. 809.

Meeting in Maytown, 75 residents of the area turned over the money to the American Legion post, which plans to erect a permanent honor roll memorial. H. S. Newcomer headed the association which was formed in 1944 for the purpose of raising funds to erect memorial honor roll for local

MOUNT JOY HIGH YEAR BOOK WON AN AWARD

"The Voyager"," the yearbook published by students of Mount Joy High School, was named winner in its division in the twelfth annual vearbook contest of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association in New York, it was announced.

"The Voyager" took third place among yearbooks of senior high schools with less than 300 students.

Four youths were arrested at Bainbridge as a result of damaging a building.

A Mount Joy boy, Larry Laighnan, six, 111 Lumber St., fractured both bones in his right forearm when he tripped and fell on a skirt e was wearing.

INJURED IN FALL OFF BIKE

Melvin Miller, five, Elizabethown R2, was admitted to the General Hospital last night with injuries to his head and right arm suffered when he fell off his bicycle vesterday.

ENLISTED IN U. S. NAVY

Norman Harold Kolp, of this place, enlisted in the U. S. Navy, was accepted at the Harrisburg Station and is now at Fort George E. Meade, Maryland, awaiting assignment.

STEER BRINGS \$35.50 A LB.

The Grand Champion Hereford steer, exhibited by a 15-year-old boy at Kansas City, was sold for \$35.50 per pound. The animal brought \$44,375.

LETTERS GRANTED

Ruth E. Sweigart, of Mount Joy

The Affairs Past Week

Mrs. John Kissinger, of Lancas

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Melhorn were Sunday guests at John Sunday callers at the Harry Lee

dom residence were Mr. Earl Lee-

dom and family. Della Brenemar

and Elizabeth Hess

Mrs. Emma Peifer is spending the week at Maytown visiting her sister. Mrs. Hoffman.

Mr. Christ Zeiters, of Middletown nurchased the William Dver proper ty offered at public sale for \$1,550. Mr. Harry Derr mvoed to Naumanstown on Monday to reside with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Myers and fam-

Mr. Donald Eichler Jr., spent the week end at Philadelphia visiting

Mr. Clarence Frye of Bridgeport (Turn to Page 3)

MISS NOLT, LANDISVILLE WILL WED ON SATURDAY

The marriage of Miss Marian Elizabeth Nolt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Nolt. Landisville, t Richard B. Lefever, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lefever, Millersville, will be solemnized at 4 p.m. Saturday heim, died at St. Joseph's Hospit- Nov. 2 in the Church of God, Landisville. The Rev. R. H. Daihl, pastor of the church, will officiate,

The bride who will be given in marriage by her father, will be attended by her sister, Miss Hazel E. Nolt, as maid of honor, and by Miss E. Jem Nolt, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Paul H. Kauffman, sister of the bridegroom, as brides maids. Mary Allegra Nolt, sister of the bride, will be flower girl.

Herbert M. Royer, will serve est man. The ushers will be Paul sociation formally disbanded and H. Kauffiman, brother-in-law of the turned over its special fund of bridegroom, and Frank S. Nolt, brother of the bride. P. Glenn Kauffman, nephew of the bridegroom, will be ring bearer.

VOLTH FATALLY INJURED IN MOTORCYCLE MISHAP

John C. Leonard, twenty-two Elizabethtown R2, was injured fatally when his motorcycle and ar hile collided at the Cole brook and Roundtop roads in Londonderry Twp., Dauphin county,

He died in a Harrisburg Hospital vesterday.

Brief News Of The Day From **Local Dailies**

bushel on the Chicago markets. In order to inspire building, lum- drive workers Wednesday night at ber can now be imported duty the Hotel Brunswick.

Federal restrictions on the size and weight of bread loaves have been removed.

THERE ARE TOO MANY

CATTLE -SHIPMENTS BANNED A temporary ban on unlimited Nov. 10. shipments of grass-fed cattle from out of state origin, which have been congesting the local market, was imposed at the Union Stock Yards at Lancaster, Monday.

were before the price lid was lifted. SHOOTING MATCH, NOV. 3RD

This proves how scarce cattle

Mt. Joy Sportsmen will hold shooting match for Turkeys and IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE Geese at their Trap Field on Sunday, Nov. 3rd. In case of rain the shoot will

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

be held the following Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stehman Landis Elizabethtown, announce the en- ON VACATION gagement of their daughter, Geraldine Ruth, to L. Eugene Snyder son of Mr. and Mds. Abram Snyder, Elizabethtown R2.

DEEDS RECORDED

Ada G. Herr, Mount Joy, to John R. and Anna H. Getz, Manor township.

Sylvester Walters, E'town R1, Wins County Corn Hushing Cham'shp.

ter Walters, of Elizabethtown R1, the 1946 champion, broke all pre vious records at the 12th annua Lancaster county corn husking contest which was held here on Saturday.

Walters, one of twelve who qualfied for the final contest, was credited with a net score of 32.74 oushels of corn husked during the 80-minute period, establishing a new county record. The best mark in former years was around 28

bushels Officials estimated a crowd of about 1,000 spectators lined the field of corn on the farm of J. L Melhorn, on the edge of the borough, as the finals got under way at 1 p.m. The meet originally planned for Oct. 11 during the farm show was postponed due to immaturity

of the crop at that time. Twenty-seven men reported at the field for the eight-minute elimnation trials which were held in he morning. The field of contestants was narrowed down to the twelve with the best scores and hese were eligible for the afternoon finals.

John Wagner, of Mount Joy R1. the reserve husking champion of the year, his record being 32.10

oushels Joe Hess, of Mount Joy R1, the 1945 champion, came in third, with net score of 30.41 bushels of corn. In fourth place was George Van Cleve, of Willow Street R1, a county champion several years ago.

His score was 29.61 bushels. Other finalists made records as

5. Reuben Mourer, Columbia 29.47 bus.; 6. Earl Weidler, Lititz R3, 27.97 bus.; 7. Curtis May, Mt. Joy R1, 27.59 bus.; 8. Roy Bixler, Florin, 26.29 bus.; 9. Lewis Bixler,

(Turn to page 2) GIRL SCOUT SUNDAY

Sunday, November 3rd, is Girl Scout Sunday. It is observed every ear on the Sunday before th Scouts in Mt. Joy have been in vited to attend a special service of recognition at the First Presbyerian Church at 7:30 p.m. The Community is justly proud of our Girl Scout troops and the fine work the famous Allentown Band which

DRIVE WENT OVER THE TOP

Lancaster county rang up a vic ory for its Community Chest campaign with contributions totaling \$346,291.96, over the top by \$36,409. 96, when the figures were summed up at the final report meeting of

ARMISTICE DAY PARADE

Sixty organizations and band have thus far signified their in tentions to march in the American Legion sponsored Armistice Day parade at Lancaster on Sunday

VISITED BY THE STORK Mr. and Mrs. Edward May, o

own, a daughter at St. Joseph's Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hard, Col-

umbia R1, twins, a son and a daughter at the Columbia Hospit-

Many State Highway employes

are busy erecting snow fences thruout this locality, even though the thermoneter is up to 80 degrees and men are working afield without

Mr. Reuben Fellenbaum, cashier of the First National Bank and Trust Company, is enjoying a week's

BANKS CLOSED NOV. 5TH November fifth being a legal

holiday, Flection Day, both the Mt.

Local Affairs In General **Briefly Told**

At a public sale at Oxford a cherry table was sold for \$117.00. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Derr moved to 126 West Donegal Street, Mount

Terre Hill and Quarryville vote on Sunday sports at the November

At a public sale at Nine Points Eaturday, sucking pigs were sold for \$20.40 apiece. 550 chickens were destroyed when

Robert Garman's poultry house at

Penryn was destroyed by fire. Several boys were arrested for throwing brick-bats and onions thru John Witmer's greenhouses at Lampeter. Two of Lititz's industries took

vote last week on whether or not they want to be unionized. One decided yes, the other no. Mr. and Mrs. George Halbleib, of Camp Hill, called in town Friday, while here attended the fun-



Mr. Albertus Meyers, Director of will present a concert in the Mt. Joy High School auditorium Thursday, November 7, at 8:15 p.m., sponsored by the Mt. Joy Lions. Mr. Mevers is one of the country's outstanding directors and has directed this organization for a number of years. Don't miss this event. Tickets priced at \$1.00, tax included, may be purchased from any member of the Lions Club.

DEAN SHOBER BARR SPOKE

AT ROTARY LUNCHEON Football took the spotlight at this week's Rotary meeting. The speakr-Dean Shober Barr of Franklin and Marshall College

Dean Barr came well equipped with his own experiences and knowledge of the sport; and a film on 1945's great games. Basic formations and the speaker's opinion on what's to come were also given. R. C. Welch, Frank Macferran of Lititz; Harry Schnitzer of Lancaster; Wm. W. Mundorff and J. K. Garman of Elizabethtown were the visiting Rotarians.

TWO AUTOISTS RACING ON STREETS AT LANCASTER

Elwood L. Book, 440 W. Lemon St., Lancaster, and Richard Gieg. Maytown, were charged with driving too fast for conditions after police clocked them racing at 50 miles an hour on E. Orange St., between Marshall and Shippen Sts., at 1:55 a.m. vesterday.

vacation from his banking duties. GIRL SCOUTS WORLD-MINDED There are now more than thirty International Friendship Troops among Girl Scouts of the United States. American Girl Scouts padwith one pole, which brought down the Hallowe'en season. Read the township, administratrix of Jos. L. ship, 34-acre plot in Manor town- Joy Banks will observe the holi- ticipate in a planned study of the country and sister troops abroad,