

27th Annual Community Show Opened Today

No folks, you're wrong, Barnum & Bailey's big circus isn't coming to town. Those large tents you see on Henry street will shelter a far more interesting show than Barnum ever dreamed of.

This is the week of Mount Joy's Farm Show but our sponsors have always thought that title a bit common so we "put on the dog" and call it a Community Exhibit; which is exactly what it is. Almost everything grown thruout this community will be on display from a tiny squash to a mammoth pumpkin, corn, tobacco, hogs, choice beeves, lambs, school work, canned goods, fancy work, etc., etc.

The annual Lancaster County Corn Husking Contest is scheduled to be held at the Musser Leghorn Farms a half mile southwest of Florin, on Friday, Oct. 15. As in the past, applicants must show up for the eight-minute elimination trials, which will be held at the same farm at 10 a.m.

Heisey Bros. Big Former Residents, Crusher Plant At Now In California Rheems Damaged Married 70 Years

A roaring fire, fed by 800 gallons of asphalt, raged through the crusher plant of the Heisey Bros. quarry at Rheems Tuesday morning, completely destroying the crusher building and causing considerable damage to the adjoining six-story tippie.

The blaze, which is believed to have started in an electrical control panel on the ground floor of the two-story crusher, quickly spread to a storeroom where a tank holding 800 gallons of asphalt was ignited.

Fed by the blazing asphalt on the dry timbers, the fire quickly engulfed the entire structure, spread to the conveyor leading to the tippie and finally ignited the six-story building.

32 LICENSES REVOKED

In the week ending Sept. 24, the Bureau of Highway Safety withdrew the cards of 241 drivers. Of this number 32 were revoked and 309 were suspended. Operating privileges were restored to 438.

H. S. Newcomer & Son, Inc. Purchased Sheridan's Garage

An important realty transaction "broke" here last evening whereby H. S. Newcomer & Son, Inc. became the new owners of Sheridan's Garage, corner West Main and New Haven streets.

The purchase includes a lot fronting 100 feet on Main street and extending in depth 206 1/2 feet to Henry street. The improvements are a brick garage and show room 50x180 feet. Also a 2 1/2 story frame dwelling. This is the former Enos Rohrer garage and residence.

After a thoro face lifting the place will be the show rooms of the Chevrolts and Oldsmobiles while the rear will be used as a garage. The entire garage equipment and repair shop of H. S. Newcomer & Son, Inc. located for many years on N. Barbara street, will be moved to the new location.

The building vacated by the Newcomer firm will be used for storage in connection with their hardware and implement business. Possession will be given on or before (Turn to Page 3)

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Rev. Ezra H. Rank Reelected Pres. L. C. S. S. Assoc'n

The Rev. Ezra H. Rank, pastor of the EUB church here, was reelected president of the Lancaster County Sunday School Association at the 57th anniversary convention held Wednesday in St. Paul's Methodist Church. Approximately 200 persons attended the three sessions and banquet.

All other officers were reelected as follows: Paul S. Baker, Landisville, first vice-president; the Rev. Nevin H. Zuck, Elizabethtown, second vice-president; the Rev. Nevin C. Harner, Ph. D., Lancaster, third vice-president; Miss Mary E. Swope, Lancaster, executive secretary; Miss Claribel R. Kunkle, Rohrerstown, recording secretary, and James M. Miller, Elizabethtown, treasurer.

The Rev. Glenn Matter, Millersville, is a newly elected member of the executive committee. These reelected were Dr. C. Howard Witmer, Lancaster; Mrs. Arthur M. Eshelman, Paradise; Clarence M. Ebersole, O. L. Hampton and J. R. Bowers, Lancaster; Dr. R. W. Schlosser, Elizabethtown; the Rev. Maurice E. Hoover, Columbia; Louis M. Chance, Bart, and the Rev. F. S. Lewis, Ephrata.

HOSSLER'S SCHOOL FORMED A PARENT-TEACHER GROUP

A Parent Teacher Association was formed at Hossler's School, Rapho Twp., last Thursday evening with Mrs. Page Schildrecht, president of the Lancaster County PTA Council, in charge of organization. Mrs. H. G. Shonk is teacher of the school. The following were elected officers: Elmer Siegrist, president; Lynn Ober, vice president; Anna Mary Forry, secretary; and Irvin Auker, treasurer.

The next meeting will be on Oct. 22.

JURY REVERSES RULING OF LANCASTER ALDERMAN

A jury in Court yesterday returned a sealed verdict reversing the ruling of a local alderman. Alderman J. Edward Wetzel handed down the original judgment awarding Ira Acker, Elizabethtown R2, \$94.88 damages against H. P. Arndt, Lawn, as the result of an automobile accident. Arndt appealed the decision to Court and the decision of Alderman Wetzel was set aside.

REJECTS \$430-ACRE OFFER FOR RAPHO TWP. FARM

A final offer of \$430 an acre was rejected and a Rapho township farm of 54 acres, a mile west of Erisman's Church between Mount Joy and Manheim, was withdrawn when offered by Lester B. and Fannie B. Brubaker at public sale Thursday afternoon. Samuel S. Wenger was the attorney.

Deeds Recorded

Hannibal and Mildred Capretti, Lebanon, to Paul H. Stern, Manheim, tract containing 2 acres, 118 perches, Mount Joy Twp. Heitman and Anna Gromoll, Mt. Joy Twp., to Hannibal Capretti, trading and doing business as Nip's Motor Co., Lebanon, tract containing 2 acres, 118 perches, Mount Joy Twp., \$1250.

A total of 163 draft questionnaires returned in the 24 and 25-year age groups registered conscientious objectors.

JURY RETURNS VERDICT IN FAVOR OF THE SICO COMPANY

In a case Monday, tried even though the defendant failed to appear, a Common Pleas jury returned a verdict in favor of the Sico Company, this boro, in the amount of \$131.21 and interest of \$13.12 against J. E. Murry, trading as the Murry Service Station, Lancaster. Counsel for Murry withdrew from the case by permission of the Court. Testimony was presented by two witnesses for the Sico Co. prior to the judge's charging of the jury, which deliberated slightly over 15 minutes.

The case involved merchandise sold by the Sico Company to Murry for which Murry was indebted in the sum of \$131.21 it was testified.

Brief News From The Dailies For Quick Reading

Railroads thruout the country have asked for a 13 percent increase in rates.

Mrs. Sarah E. Druck, of York, took an airplane ride to celebrate her 90th birthday.

Motorists dropped \$2,739,582 in nickles into parking meters thruout Penna. during 1947.

About a year ago Lebanon put a tax on all coin machines. In a year the city received \$3,380.

Adolph H. Hanser, fifty-six, was arrested for embezzling \$15,000 in funds of the Lutherans' Orphans Home.

Enos K. Frey, sixty-one, Millersville RD was arrested twice within an hour for driving after his license had been suspended.

Miss Dorothy W. Volrath, thirty-five, of Maple Grove, was struck and killed by a hit and run driver. Her body was found in the gutter.

MACHINES TO BE DESTROYED

The court approved destruction of four slot machines which were seized in a raid March 31 in Marietta. They were the property of Alfred Clark.

ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reich, 402 W. Market St., Marietta, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Helen, to Gerald R. Sheetz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sheetz, Main St., of this place.

LETTERS GRANTED

Hiram S. Greiner, Mount Joy Twp., administrator of the estate of Martin W. Griner, late of Mount Joy Twp.

Ruth B. Keller, Mount Joy, and Union National Mount Joy Bank, administrator c. t. a. of the estate of Raymond H. Keller, late of Mt. Joy.

Oscar M. Donaven, Mount Joy, administrator of the estate of Berlie M. Snyder, late of Mount Joy.

Marion M. Nissley, Mt. Joy, executor of the George T. Webster estate, Columbia.

Union National Mt. Joy bank, administrator of the Clyde M. Tripple Sr., estate.

VARIOUS FIRE COMPANIES TO RECEIVE RELIEF MONEY The numerous Firemen's Relief Fund Associations, fifty-eight in all, will receive the following amounts from foreign fire insurance.

Local amounts are: Biroughs, Elizabethtown, 781.95; Manheim, \$3,256.26; Marietta, \$752.65; Mount Joy, \$419.73. Townships: Concy, \$24.10; East Donegal, \$101.19; East Hempfield, \$216.42; Rapho, \$43.88; West Donegal, \$86.19; West Hempfield, \$71.53.

A Lancaster County horse show will be held Sunday, Oct. 17.

Everything That Happened At Florin Recently

Mrs. R. W. Roberts of Mechanicsburg who was on a business trip to Philadelphia, called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hershey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Breneman and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eshleman visited friends at Somerset County on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Douple and children, and the former's mother visited a brother in California, Pa. near Pittsburgh on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mater and son of Mount Joy, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Mumper on Saturday evening.

The Shining Stars Class of the EUB Church entertained the Loyal Sons Class to a Halloween party at the fire hall on Monday evening. Prizes were won by John Wittle, Mrs. Anne Buckwalter, and Mrs. Vera Raffensberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. F. Kauffman Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bigler of Mt. Joy and Mrs. Katie Foreman of near Elizabethtown, spent several days at Langley Field, Hampton, Va., visiting S. Sgt. and Mrs. Richard Kauffman.

A public sale of household goods and antiques will be held by S. Nissley Gingrich on Saturday, Oct. 30, at one o'clock.

E. Hempfield H. S. Class '36 Holds A Reunion

Members of the class of 1936, East Hempfield High School, met last week at a clam bake at Hostetter's, when they made plans for the memorial in honor of Richard Markley a member of the class, who lost his life during World War II.

The memorial will be in the form of a plaque on which the names of the outstanding athletes of each year will be placed. The athlete will also receive a certificate.

During the business session Lester Haverstick, Rohrerstown, was named chairman of a committee to plan for the 1949 reunion. Nineteen members of the class were present as well as a number of guests.

The nineteenth polo case has been reported in the county.

TWO CARS COLLIDED HERE BUT NO ONE WAS INJURED

There was a collision between two cars at the intersection of Main and New Haven streets Saturday afternoon at 2:10. Fortunately no one was injured but both cars were damaged to the extent of about \$100 it was reported.

Carol J. Kreeker, of Harrisburg, was traveling east in a Dodge. Aaron Heisey, of town, stopped at the stop sign before starting across M in street. The cars collided damaging the left front of the Heisey car and the right rear of the Kreeker car.

As none of our local policemen could be located, present deputy sheriff Elmer Zerphey was asked to investigate. Mr. Zerphey made the investigation and then turned the report over to policeman Michael Good.

Fire Co. Auxiliary Gave Uniform Fund Toward New Engine

A joint meeting of the Friendship Fire Co. No. 1, and the Ladies' Aux. of the Fire Company was held Thursday night. There were twenty-one ladies present and thirty-two men.

The chief reported one call during the month.

Entertainment committee turned in \$16.19.

Trustees reported the memorial plaque hung on the east wall of the social room.

The following men were named on the smoker committee: James Merkley, Paul Brandt, Earl Zink, Hubert Rice, Harvey Balmer, Mike Randler, Frank Good and Carl Con.

Bills to the amount of \$190.67 were approved.

The fire engine committee reported that council opened bids for a new engine, but the solicitor advised not to accept any until he can prepare the necessary papers to borrow the money.

The auxiliary gave their consent for the fire company to transfer the money from the uniform fund to the engine fund.

The death of Ray Keller was reported and his death claim ordered paid.

Paul Brandt was elected trustee (Turn to page 3)

KINDERGARTEN OPENS

Miss Mary C. Downey, of Lancaster is coming to Mount Joy to serve this community with private kindergarten.

The classes will be held daily in St. Luke's Episcopal Church, from 1 to 4 p. m.

Miss Downey is well known throughout Lancaster County for her kindergarten.

THREE FROM AROUND HERE IN RECENT PROSECUTIONS

Twenty-six motorists were prosecuted over the week-end, three of whom were from this vicinity.

Harry Reynolds, Florin, was prosecuted by Lanc. police for reckless driving. Oreville S. Heisey, Manheim R2 on the same charge. Ray Mele B. Hess, Mount Joy R1, at Denver for ignoring a stop sign.

Week's Birth Record

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Gish, of Florin, a daughter Monday at the Lancaster General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Waltz, this boro, a daughter Tuesday at the Lancaster General Hospital.

State Rules Against Boro On Burgess Member Boro Auth'ry

Quite some time ago Mount Joy Boro Council named a Boro Authority, whose duty was to lay plans for the improvement of our local water facilities. As a member of that board, Burgess Thos. J. B. Brown was one named. The Department at Harrisburg refused to approve the authority stating that the burgess could not be a member.

Solicitor Arnold was of the opinion that the state erred in its decision and said he would be pleased to argue the case before the powers that be at Harrisburg.

At a councilman meeting about that time Councilman Robert Keller, who was of the same opinion as the solicitor, volunteered to pay \$200 toward the expense of contesting the State's opinion. Council ordered the solicitor to proceed (Turn to page 7)

67 Washington School Students Toured The Bulletin Plant Thurs.

Sixty-seven students, accompanied by two teachers, of the Washington Elementary school, at Florin, visited the local Post Office and The Bulletin office last Thursday afternoon.

At this office the children were acquainted with the procedure in editing and printing a newspaper, finishing their tour by watching the weekly edition "go to press" and receiving sample copies as they came off the press.

Various phases necessary in producing job printing were also explained, but the students seemed most fascinated by the linotype and Ludlow which produce hot metal slugs with their names on, as well as the rotary press which rapidly prints, folds and trims the newspaper.

Mrs. Wilbur Beahn and Mrs. Ralph Coleman accompanied the following students: fourth grade, Nancy Arndt, Elizabeth Blom, Richard Bowers, Miriam Brubaker, Janet Esbenschade, Marlene Garner, Kenneth Geib, Arlene Heisey, Peggy Heisey, Eunice Hess, Ruth Kopp, Cynthia Lehman, Milton Martin, Audrey Musser, Ethel Musser, Donald Slaseman, Sandra Traxler, Clarence Witmer, Kenneth Wittle, Alvin Wolgemuth, (Turn to page 7)

THE LANDISVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH BUYS PARSONAGE

An eight-room brick and frame dwelling at Landisville was sold for \$10,150 by Anna E. Blottenberger to the Landisville Lutheran Church at a public sale held Saturday. The property is to be used as a parsonage. Other articles sold included dishes from \$3 to \$8 each, and a cuckoo clock for \$25. E. V. Spahr was the auctioneer.

WANT CITY BY-PASSED

The Lancaster Automobile Club Friday night named a seven-man committee to work for a by-pass that would carry through - traffic around the city.

THAT'S TOPS FOR TOBACCO

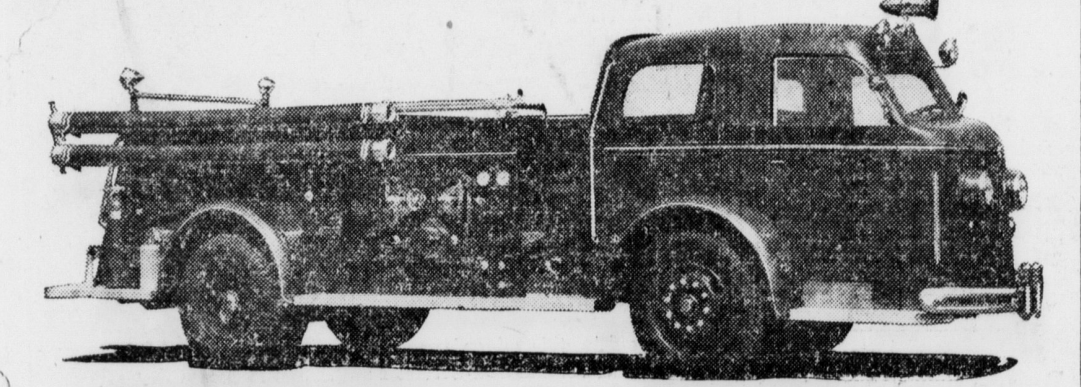
A Lancaster dealer sold thirty cases of tobacco measuring 24 inches at a top price of 75 cents a pound. This speaks well toward a good price for this year's crop.

BUCKINGHAM MANSION HOUSE TO BE METHODIST REST HOME

The Buckingham Mansion House, at Cornwall, built in 1740 by Peter Grubb, was purchased for \$20,000 and will become a rest home for retired Methodist ministers. It is a 74-acre tract of land with large stable and carriage house, garage and greenhouse. The mansion has 29 rooms.

The Local News For The Past Week Very Briefly Told

J. Willis Landis, forty-one, Paradise R1, was run over by the front wheels of a tractor. While on a visit at Wrightsville Sunday, Mrs. E. E. Gosh, of Marietta, fell and broke her hip. A man at Lancaster, fined recently for drunk and disorderly, threw a brick thru a window at the home of a policeman. A 4-room cottage was ripped off its foundation at Sandy Beach when a milk truck ran off Highway 222. Halloween pranksters are at it rather early. Down around Ronks they are already burning corn shocks at different places. The "Staurbridge Lion," first steam locomotive to run successfully in America, was put into operation in 1829 at Honesdale, Pennsylvania.



The New American LaFrance Pumper Purchased by Boro Council Monday Nite

