

The Village of Maytown May Get Water System

The Authority There Will Invite Bids For Mar. 7 on a \$75,000 Proposition

First Report Meeting St. Joe Building Fund Was Held at Landisville

The first report meeting of Area Number Two in the County Division of the St. Joseph's Hospital Building Fund held Wednesday evening at the Landisville Firehouse...

Mrs. Burton S. Shupp Given a Shower Tues.

Mrs. Burton S. Shupp, the former Miss Nancy Ellis, of town, was honored at a shower Tuesday evening...

A red and white color scheme was used on the buffet luncheon table which featured a white sprinkling can filled with a shower bouquet of red rose buds...

A white tree covered with red edible cherries centered the gift table. Miniature red, opened parasols were clustered around its base.

PROSECUTED AT LANCASTER

Among thirteen motorists prosecuted at Lancaster were Samuel L. Maurer, twenty-one, East Petersburg, ignoring stop sign and Irving L. Swarr, Mt. Joy R1, for failure to yield the right of way to a pedestrian.

Plans are ready for a proposed public water system for Maytown. The one year old East Donegal Township Municipal Authority has called for bids by March 7 for construction of the community system which would serve 175 potential users.

The estimated cost originally was put at \$75,000. Officials said that figure may be changed by increases in building costs during past months.

If everything works out, building operations will start in the near future. And the system should be finished by the end of this year, according to the Rev. John Heistand, authority chairman.

The project is unique because it represents only the second time in Lancaster County that a political unit smaller than a borough has attempted to build a public water system.

A community system has been in operation for several years in the Landisville - Salunga community.

To gain the legal power to build a water system, Maytown, which is a village in East Donegal Township, organized the authority early in 1948.

Since then, the authority has started the wheels moving. It (Turn to Page 4)

Our Girl Scouts Toured The Lanc. General Hospital

Girl Scout Troop No. 108, this boro, spent Saturday afternoon touring the Lancaster General Hospital.

The first place they visited was the doctor's library where they left their wraps. They then went to the new part of the ground floor, where they saw the maternity receiving wards. Next they saw another section where the men's and women's surgical and medical wards are located.

The fourteen girls who made the trip were: Mary Jane Starr, Helen Sprout, Marion Smith, Jean Darenkamp, Mary Ann Spangler, Sally Ann Nissley, Shirley Hawthorne, Georganne Shatto, Jean Wittke, Peggy Fackler, Lorraine Darenkamp, Doris Linton, Marlene Zimmerman, and Mary K. Landvater, accompanied by Mrs. Vera Albert, Mrs. Fay Leitner and Mrs. Simon Nissley.

E. Donegal Native Home On a Visit After 36 Years

Mrs. William Adolph, formerly Katherine Witmer, East Donegal Springs, was home to visit her four sisters after an absence of thirty-six years in the mission fields of China.

Mrs. Adolph's husband remained in China where he is a professor of bio-chemistry at Yenching University near Peiping. Another sister, Miss Minnie Witmer also is in China with the Presbyterian Mission at Poutingfu. Both her husband and sister are in Communist territory and continue their work, uninterrupted.

Dr. and Mrs. Adolph parted in December when she left China aboard an evacuee ship. The couple had first gone overseas in 1915 to do medical work for the Presbyterian Mission. Their first furlough was in 1946, but Mrs. Adolph is home to stay now.

Dr. Adolph was acting president of the Peiping University for a year and a half.

She said that the last word she had from her husband was a cablegram a few days ago saying that he was well, but that there will be no in-coming or out-going mail from now on. As well as being a university professor, her husband also works at the Peiping Medical College.

Mrs. Adolph is visiting her brother, David C. Witmer, Mt. Joy R1, and his wife. Her sisters, Miss Lydia Witmer, Mt. Joy; Mrs. Harry Lump, E-town; Mrs. Samuel Christophel, Florin; and Mrs. John Shenk, this boro; have been visiting with her since she arrived here last week. She also has been traveling from Kansas - New York State visiting her four children and meeting four new grandchildren for the first time.



D. L. CORNELL, Field Secretary, who will speak in Calvary Bible Church here Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 26 - 27. Ralph Hines, Columbia, South America and Miss Nellie Stokes, China will also speak.

ATTENDEE CONFERENCE OF PURINA FEED DEALERS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Newcomer, South Market Street, have just returned from Atlantic City, New Jersey, where they attended a conference of several hundred Purina feed dealers. Feed dealers from Maryland, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania were present at the conference where they were told of the newest developments and trends in the feed industry and new ideas in scientific farm management.

A LODGE FOR CHILDREN AT INDIANTOWN GAP

The House passed a Senate-approved bill appropriating \$600,000 to care for 2,500 children this summer and 5,000 in 1950 at the huge Indiantown Gap military reservation. It went to the Governor for his signature.

BEGAN REMODELING MONDAY

Work on remodeling the interior of the First National Bank and Trust Company building here began Monday. Marked improvements will be made to this well known banking institution.

GUN AND RIFLE GONE AFTER BOY SHOT MARK

William Dissinger, Manheim R2, Saturday reported the theft of a .22 caliber rifle and a .12 gauge shot-gun from his home sometime during the week.

Sgt. V. E. Simpson, of the State Police, and H. H. Brock, Manheim police chief, who investigated, said that both guns were taken by Dissinger's eleven year old grandson, who had been doing target shooting.

The boy told police that after he used the guns, the one last Saturday and the second one on Monday, he left them on a tree along a fence row near his target. No trace of them has been found, police said.

BOY BREAKS HIS LEG IN A FALL FROM A BARN

Harold Brandt, fifteen, Mt. Joy, suffered a fractured right leg when he fell from the rafters of a barn while helping to take down tobacco Tuesday night. He was admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital, where his condition was reported satisfactory.

Brief News From The Dailies For Quick Reading

The bus and taxi strike at Philadelphia is over.

The bodies of nine dogs were found in a stream near Easton.

York had a \$195,000 fire when the Parker plant was destroyed.

Harry Thomas, Lancaster, was renamed president of the Pa. Fire Association.

It cost Enos Kopp, fifty, Bernville, \$39.40 for letting a dog starve to death.

Fifty - three families living at Pineford acres, Middletown, will be evicted Feb. 28.

There is a bill before the House at Harrisburg, which, if passed, double the size of today's growler of beer.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Patterson, twenty-one, of Reading is the mother of triplets, two sons and a daughter.

The budget prepared by the county commissioners sets aside an estimated \$647,776.29 for roads and bridges.

Miss Lorna Wilson, York, was granted a scholarship loan for the training at the University of Geneva, Switzerland.

The body of a baby wrapped in newspapers, was found in the dog house of a back yard at Lancaster. An arrest followed.

The State has purchased the Harrisburg Steel Co. Plant at Harrisburg for \$515,000. It will be used as a warehouse.

Rural mail route No. 8 out of Lancaster was re-routed to avoid Shreiner's crossing, where a substitute carrier was killed recently.

The city of York has notified the owner of a trailer and also owners of several cars, who park on streets at their homes, to remove them or else.

Week's Birth Record

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Detwiler, boro, a daughter at the Lancaster General Hospital on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rahm, Maytown, a daughter on Sunday at the Columbia Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Myers, of Salunga, a son at the Lancaster General Hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hess, Florin, a son Wednesday at the Lancaster General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bair, this boro, a daughter at the General Hospital Wednesday.

SUES FOR A DIVORCE

Complaint in divorce: Jacob N. Weidman, forty-two, 30 1/2 W. High St., Elizabethtown, vs Hazel Irene Weidman, thirty-eight, 123 David St., Mount Joy; desertion; married Oct. 5, 1938; separated April 30, 1948.

BANNER FOR TOBACCO

Samuel Hoover, Ephrata R1, sold his 1948 tobacco crop for 43 1-2 cents and 10 cents. It was purchased by Aaron W. Weaver, an independent buyer.

Weddings Thruout Our Community During Past Week

The marriage of Miss Ruth B. Shenk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry K. Shenk, Mt. Joy R2, and Harold G. Landis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin W. Landis, Lancaster R4, took place at 4 p. m. Saturday, at the home of the bride. Bishop Homer Bomberger officiated at the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian L. Nissly, Marietta St., announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy, to Lynn Milligan, Florin, which took place Thursday morning. The couple left immediately following the ceremony on a trip to Florida. The bride has charge of the Jack Horner Shoe Store here for the past eight years and the groom is employed at the County Farm Bureau's Branch at Florin.

Mary Koppenhaver John E. Groff

Miss Mary K. Koppenhaver, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Koppenhaver, of Rheems, and John E. Groff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer F. Groff, Rheems, were married on Saturday afternoon in the First Church of God, Elizabethtown by the Rev. J. O. Weigle.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a grey and blue plaid suit with grey accessories and a corsage of white roses. She was attended by Miss Anna Martha Groff, sister of the bridegroom, who wore a dusty pink suit with black accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

After two weeks in Florida the couple will reside at the home of the bride. The bride is employed by the Bell Telephone, E-town, and the bridegroom is in the poultry business with his father.

Discharged Employee Took 19 Inspection Stickers; Prosecuted

The theft of 19 official state auto inspection stickers from the garage of George Rankin, at Landisville has been solved. Up to last Friday even Rankin was unaware of the theft.

Daniel Kauffman, Lancaster R1, recently discharged by Rankin, was prosecuted on five charges of placing official stickers on motor vehicles without authorization.

At a hearing before Squire Kauffman, Ironville, Wednesday night, the defendants included Daniel Kauffman, his brother-in-law, James S. Fisher, Lancaster R1; his sister-in-law, Fay A. Fisher, Lancaster R1; Ralph S. Platt, Silver Springs; Walter H. Henne, Mountville, and Clyde D. Kreider, Silver Springs garage operator.

Kreider paid fines and costs totaling \$289.50 on 10 counts of putting stickers on cars, including his own, without authorization. He was fined \$25 for each offense and in addition was fined \$1.00 for operating his car without it having been properly inspected.

Henry Rosenfeld, Salunga and Elwood N. Eorhart, Mount Joy R1, are among others who will be prosecuted for failure to have their cars properly inspected.

Freeman M. Ford, Silver Springs will be prosecuted for putting an inspection sticker on his own car.

PAID \$300 FOR A BRED GILT

At the Eastern Pennsylvania Hampshire Swine Breeders' Association, held Friday at Willow Street top price of that sale was \$300, paid by Penn Peaceful Meadow Farm, Mt. Joy, for a bred gilt consigned by the Stauffer Homestead Farm.

PLANNED TO BANQUET HERE AT MEETING MARCH 26

Farm Women Group No. 18 held their regular monthly meeting on Saturday in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Brubaker, at Rohrerstown.

The group planned to hold a banquet at Eli Hestetter's dining hall here Saturday, March 26.

BODY OF BAINBRIDGE MAN ON WAY HOME FOR BURIAL

Among 6 Lancaster County soldiers of World War II on their way back home is Pfc. Harry R. Snyder, son of Wm. H. Snyder, Bainbridge R1, who died on May 24, 1945, from wounds sustained in combat on May 18, 1945, on Okinawa, according to a telegram received from the War Department by his father. Pfc. Snyder, who entered the service early in 1944, was formerly employed in California by a commercial airline.

STATE CHARTERS \$50,000 LOCAL BUILDING CORNER

The state has granted a charter to a new \$50,000 Lancaster County corporation.

It is Media Heights Builders, Inc. of R.D. No. 6 Lancaster, Incorporators are J. Miller Eshleman, of Lancaster, and E. R. Noll, of R.D. No. 8, Lancaster.

The concern will engage in the building and contracting business.

S. Edward Gable Is Nominated For Thirty-First Term

At a regular monthly meeting of the Lancaster Automobile Club on Friday evening, S. Edward Gable was nominated for his 31st consecutive year as club president.

These other officers were named, all representing renominations: Dr. W. Giles Hess, Holtwood, first vice-president; Dr. Lyman Hamaker, Ephrata, second vice-president; Samuel L. Snyder, Denver, third vice-president; J. H. Nissley, East Petersburg, fourth vice-president; H. C. Kreisle, this city, secretary; and F. L. Spence, Columbia, treasurer.

Eleven directors were nominated as follows: Ira F. Honaman, Geo. M. May, and M. J. McNeerney, Lancaster; Fred W. Wagner, Columbia; Dr. B. Scott Fritz, Marietta; Elwood S. Grimm, E-town and John E. Schroll, Mt. Joy; Paul H. Bomberger, Litzitz; John F. Cope, Manheim Twp.; Edgar G. Hess, Hollinger; Lloyd L. Winter, Quarryville; H. H. Rea, Christiansburg; Victor D. Kling, Intercourse; H. S. Shirk, Blue Ball and Alger H. Shirk, Schoenock.

WE PAY NO ATTENTION TO UNSIGNED COMMUNICATIONS

We are in receipt of several unsigned communications this week. They were not published for that reason. We must have the contributors' names, not for publication but as evidence of good faith. Send us your name and they will appear next week, otherwise we escort them to our waste basket.

MENNONITES LAUNCH DRIVE TO HELP MANY REFUGEES

The Mennonite Central Committee, with headquarters at Akron, has opened an appeal for horse-drawn farm equipment for Mennonite refugees in Paraguay and Uruguay.

EDWARD E. LANE, OF TOWN BOUGHT BOMBERGER HOME

An important realty transaction was made here yesterday, when our neighbor, Mr. Edward E. Lane, who resides across the street from The Bulletin Office, purchased the fine and modern brick dwelling of Mr. Elam M. Bomberger, on Donegal Springs Road. The terms of the sale were private.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE, FRI., MARCH 4

The World Day of Prayer Service will be held in the Church of God on Friday, March 4 at 7:30 p. m. This year's program will include a film called "The March of Missions."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Frank L. Hess, Mt. Joy R1 and Anna L. Kreider, Conestoga.

A man says our biggest trouble comes when we divorce dollars from sense.

Thos. J. Brown Resigned As Burgess and Zoning Officer Effective Feb. 21

President Eicherly called a special meeting of Borough Council Monday night for the purpose of taking action on 2 resignations. All members were present including Lester Hestetter, who was recently elected by Council to fill the unexpired term of Dr. John Gates. Mr. Hestetter was sworn in last Friday.

Mr. Thomas J. B. Brown, who has been zoning officer since the passage of the recent zoning ordinance, sent in his resignation and same was accepted.

Council also received Mr. Brown's resignation as Burgess and it was also accepted.

At present there exists a vacancy for both offices. They will in all likelihood be filled in the very near future.

Thomas J. B. Brown was a councilman elect from the West Ward. He resigned that office at the regular meeting of council, Monday, May 7, 1945 and Harold H. Krall was elected to fill Mr. Brown's unexpired term.

Council then elected Mr. Brown, Burgess, to succeed Wm. E. Hendrix who died Wednesday, April 4th. From the time of Mr. Hendrix's death until May 7th, President of Council Walter Loraw was acting Burgess.

Mr. Brown was immediately sworn in and in turn administered the oath of office to his successor Mr. Krall.

At the November election, 1945, Mr. Brown was re-elected for a full term of four years.

Mr. Brown tendered his resignations in order that he can devote all his time to his business.

Mortuary Record Throughout This Entire Locality

Jacob Bletz, 90, at Columbia. Mathias Flick, seventy-five, at Columbia.

Marian N. Williams, seventy-nine, at Columbia. J. F. Keller Barch, 40, Columbia, collapsed at Harrisburg and died.

Rev. Chas. H. Faust, Reformed Church minister, died at Butler. He was formerly located at Marietta.

Samuel W. Shearer, ninety-five, Tuesday at the home of Noah Wenger near Lawn. He was a member of Risser's Mennonite Church.

Emerson Lee Nissley

Emerson Lee Nissley, three year old son of Emerson W. and Bertha Stokes Nissley, died at his home Manheim R2, Rapho Twp., Thursday after a week's illness from a heart condition.

CARD PARTY FEB. 24

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a card party at the Legion Home on Thursday, Feb. 24th. Bridge, Pinochle and 500 will be played with two prizes to each table.

SILLY PLACE FOR MONEY

While carpenter F. G. Hoener, was repairing a window sill at the Revere Tavern, Paradise, he found seventeen old coins, pennies and half cents, dated 1728 and 1773.

Everything That Happened At Florin Recently

Mr. Wilbur Arndt and son of York, visited Mr. Samuel Shelley on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wickenhiser of Harrisburg spent Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Schlegelmilch.

Mrs. H. K. Alwine of Middletown visited her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hershey on Sunday.

Mr. Christ Melhorn will have public sale of household goods and some implements at his home on Saturday, March 12th.

Evangelistic meetings will be conducted in the Florin Church of the Brethren in March, with Elder D. I. Depple, Evangelist of Woodbury, Pa.

If you are not a subscriber of the Bulletin, get one at Slim's Luncheonette.

Mrs. R. W. Roberts called on her parents last week on her way to Philadelphia while on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mumper and daughter of Mt. Joy called on Mr. and Mrs. George Mumper Monday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard Bernhard entertained the following at their home on Sunday: Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Schlosser and granddaughter, of Elizabethtown, Rev. and Mrs. Harry Eshelman and family also of Elizabethtown.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis of Donegal Springs, called on Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hershey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ney and Mr. George Mumper Sr., attended the funeral of Albert Colick at Carlisle on Sunday.

Food Sale

The Kings Daughters Class of the Florin E. U. B. Church are holding a food sale at the Florin Hall on Saturday, Feb. 26th, from 10 a. m. till 7 p. m. Don't forget the date, come out and help the good cause along.

Doughnut Sale

Ladies Aid Society of the Florin E. U. B. Church will have a dough-

The Local News For The Past Week Very Briefly Told

A 7 1-2 h. p. outboard motor was stolen at Pequea.

Two crops of tobacco in East Earl Township were sold for 30 and 10 cents.

Albert Rutt, E-town, was exonerated in the death of Harvey Lehn, also of that boro.

An Upper Leacock farm of 29 1/2 acres was sold at public sale yesterday for \$1,000 an acre.

The decapitated body of an unknown man was found on the PRR low grade at Marticville.

Eight dog owners at Manheim paid fines and costs for failing to procure licenses for their canines.

Both the Union and the Conestoga Traction Company at Lancaster, accepted the terms of a new contract.

The family of Ralph McCurdy was left homeless when fire destroyed their dwelling at Upper Lawn.

The heaviest baby ever born at the Lancaster General Hospital was Samuel Lewis Lottis, 12 lb.-12-ounce son of a Pequea family.

FER. WEEK JOBLESS

FAY NEARS TWO MILLIONS State Treasurer Ramsey S. Black said unemployment compensation totaling \$1,785,143 was paid during the week ended Feb. 11th or \$914,725 more than in a similar period a year ago.

1949 TURKEY CROP

Pa. farmers plan to raise 1,441,000 turkeys this year, 19,000 short of the record production of 1,460,000 in 1945, according to the State Department of Agriculture.

You can't blame some folks for thinking that any peace moves by Russia are just veiled threats.

nut sale at Town Hall on February 28th after 10:30 a. m.

Orders will be taken up to Feb. 25th. Telephone any one of these numbers and leave your order: 342-R4, 227J5, 227R4, 341J3.

AN EDITORIAL

Now that a vacancy exists for the office of Burgess, it may be well for Boro Council NOT to act too hastily.

Facing many important problems during the next few years, Thos. J. Brown's successor should be a man of more than ordinary ability, broad-minded and able to cope squarely and justly with the numerous propositions which are bound to confront this chief executive of our boro from time to time.

It should be a man who would work in harmonious conjunction with Council, our Town Planning Commission, our schools, the Memorial committee, and last but not least our Boro Authority.

We are unconcerned about this man's politics, so long as he be a free lance in the deliverance of justice and everything which is good for this community, our boro and its people.

It may require some persuasion on the part of some one, but let us choose an executive who will strive for the best interests of Mount Joy and not to simply further his own political interests.

We do hope Council gives this serious consideration before that body acts.