

Lancaster County Music Festival in Mt. Joy High School, Satur., April 2

Milton J. Bieber Retired Minister, Died Aged 86 Yrs.

Rev. Milton J. Bieber, retired Lutheran home missionary died on Tuesday in All Saints Hospital, Philadelphia, after a short illness. He was 86.

J. Urban Baker Is Given Merit Award

J. Urban Baker, Landisville, received the Order of Merit from the Lambda Chi Alpha, fraternity at a banquet of the Franklin and Marshall College chapter Saturday night.

5th Anniversary Farm Women 18

The fifth anniversary of the formation of the Society of Farm Women No. 18 was observed on Saturday evening with a banquet at Hostetter's, at which husbands were honored guests.

Mrs. Hershey Rohrer, president, greeted the guests and introduced the guest artists: Mrs. W. B. Detweiler, Mt. Joy, who gave several readings, and Mrs. Martin Strickler, Oyster Point, who presented vocal numbers.

Activities planned by the society include and all-day sewing at Lancaster General Hospital on Thursday; a food sale at the Arcade Market on Saturday, April 16, and the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Isaac Tschudy, Millersville Road.

Dr. Byron Horn Spoke At Rotary Luncheon
Dr. Byron Horn, headmaster of Linden Hall Seminary, Litzitz, addressed the Rotarians at Tuesday's luncheon on "Signs of the Times."

17-MONTH OLD CHILD HERE DRANK FURNITURE POLISH

Donna Lea Eberly, 17 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Park Eberly, 121 N. Market St., this place, became dangerously ill last Thursday afternoon, after drinking a small portion of furniture polish.

BLUCK BROTHERS, LANC. BUY SNYDER CO. TOBACCO
Thirty-five tons of Snyder county baled scrap type tobacco, which will be used in making chewing tobacco, have been purchased recently at 20 to 22 cents a pound, with a low of 16 cents a pound, and shipped by rail to the Lancaster branch of P. Lorillard Co. according to the Sunbury Daily Item.

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

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Graybill Wolgemuth & Henry Hostetter Will Arrive In Georgia Today

Mrs. Graybill Wolgemuth, Mt. Joy RD, received a radiogram last week from her husband advising her that he and Bishop Henry Hostetter will arrive at Savannah, Ga., today, Thursday, March 31, after a years travel in foreign lands.

A previous letter from India stated they would arrive April 2nd, but good sailing weather bettered the time. Bishop Hostetter and Rev. Wolgemuth visited Africa, Egypt, India and various other lands as representatives of the Foreign Mission Board of the Brethren in Christ Churches of the U. S. and Canada.

Everything That Happened At Florin Recently

The Easter Story in song will be presented at the Florin Church of the Brethren on Sunday, April 17, at 7:30 p. m. sponsored by the West Greentree Loyalty Chorus. Saturday, April 9th, Rev. Luke Brandt will speak at the Florin Church of the Brethren in a Youth Advance With Christ program. The White Oak Male Quartet will present special music.

THE GROSHS CELEBRATE 38TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Merchant and Mrs. Blaine Grosh of Milton Grove, Mt. Joy RD, observed their 38th wedding anniversary on March 20th, by a family dinner at their home. They have three children, Kenneth, an instructor at Elizabethtown high school, Vivian Jean, who holds a position and resides in Atlantic City, and Foster, who has charge of the large Penna. State College Extension Centre, at Dravosburg. All were home for the occasion.

PROSECUTE FLORIN MOTORIST FOR DRIVING SEVENTY MPH

A Florin motorist, charged with speeding 70 miles per hour, appeared in Speeder's Court at Lancaster Wednesday before Charles Stormfeltz, examiner. Joseph A. Mumma, accused of speeding on the Lincoln Highway in E. Lampeter Twp., testified that he didn't see the state policeman trailing him before his arrest. He was prosecuted by Pvt. Fred L. Germ, state policeman, on Dec. 3, 1948.

INJURED IN FALL DOWN STEPS

Mrs. James A. Phillips, 109 North Market St., was painfully injured Tuesday when she fell down two stair steps at her home. She was removed by ambulance to St. Joseph's Hospital, at Lancaster. Several X-rays were taken, but at this writing the extent of her injuries, either to the spine or hip, had not been determined.

Week's Birth Record

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Zurin, Mt. Joy RI, a daughter Sunday at the Lancaster General Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Kline, of Landisville, a daughter Wednesday at the Lancaster General Hospital.

BROKE GROUND FOR ANNEX

A ground breaking ceremony was held Monday evening at the West Fairview Church of the Brethren, about three miles northwest of Manheim, where a new addition to the church is to be constructed.

Landisv'e Firemen Add Service Truck

A new \$2,500 service truck has been put into operation by the Landisville Fire Co. Jay T. Dombach, company president, said the vehicle is being used as an auxiliary unit to the company's large 1947 pumper. A portable auxiliary pump to be used in tight spots where the big pumper can't be taken is the new truck's main item of equipment.

The service truck also is equipped with about 750 feet of fire hose and chemical extinguishers, and also firemen's special clothing and equipment. Plans are being made, according to Dombach, to install a portable 110 volt emergency lighting system on the vehicle in the future. Dombach also announced that company expects to resume work on the community park which it is constructing in the rear of the fire hall, located on the Harrisburg Pike. Plans call for a paved parking lot on the one and one-quarter acre recreation area.

The grounds improvement program was begun more than a year ago when Landisville firemen were given a special award. (Turn to page 4)

MT. JOY WAR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE IS NAMED

An organization known as "The Mt. Joy Community War Memorial Committee" was formed recently by representatives of Mt. Joy and Florin as a permanent War Memorial Association. The organization, headed by Elmer Zerpey, president, is to promote and develop the present high school athletic field as a living war memorial for all veterans.

TYPHOID FEVER PATIENT, 15 DISCHARGED AT HOSPITAL

Roy W. Snavely, 15, Mt. Joy RI, who has been undergoing treatment for typhoid fever was discharged from St. Joseph's Hospital. He was admitted March 9. His aunt, Miss Anna Snavely, forty, Mt. Joy RI, also stricken with typhoid fever, is a patient in the hospital. Her condition is greatly improved.

FELL OFF A SCAFFOLD AND FRACTURED HIS RIGHT HEEL

Horace Kauffman, 54, of Silver Spring was admitted to the Lancaster General Hospital at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, suffering a fracture of the right heel and injuries to the left heel and both ankles. He fell 15 feet from a scaffold while working, the hospital reported.

Dr. Byron Horn Spoke At Rotary Luncheon

Dr. Byron Horn, headmaster of Linden Hall Seminary, Litzitz, addressed the Rotarians at Tuesday's luncheon on "Signs of the Times." James Rudisill, Lancaster, a visiting Rotarian, announced an Inter-county meeting, at Lancaster, on April 22nd. The speaker will be Senator Quinton P. Anderson, from New Mexico. Mr. John Booth will represent the club at the Boy Scout meeting next Monday. Birthday flowers were presented to Ray Wiley and Roy Tyndall. Adam Greer, classified jeweler, was inducted into the club. Visiting Rotarians included: Ben Forrest and Graybill D. Bitzer, of Litzitz; Astor J. Kress, of Salem, New York; Jim Rudisill, Charles G. Drasher and Jesse Snavely, Jr., all from Lancaster; and Ralph Y. Schlosser, Elizabethtown.

TWO WERE INJURED WHEN AUTO HIT CTC BUS

Two persons were injured and 34 others shaken when an auto crashed into the rear of a CTC bus at Rohrerstown last Thursday. Mrs. Anna Plaskey, 34, Silver Springs, driver of the auto, was cut and bruised and her daughter Janet, 16, was thrown into the windshield. She was cut and bruised.

DISTRICT NO. 10 AMERICAN LEGION OFFICIALS MEET

A dinner meeting of the American Legion District 10 post members ship chairman, adjutants, and the commanders was held Thursday evening at the Walter S. Ebersole Post 185 home. District Commander Samuel S. Sheetz, East Petersburg, presided, assisted by James L. Shaeffer, district membership chairman. Mr. Schaeffer congratulated the posts on the recent membership drive in which seven posts reached their quota. Herbert Walker, Langhorne, Pa., commander of District 9, and Daniel Shaub, Lancaster, assistant department adjutant also spoke. Also present was Mrs. Sarah Todd, commander of the Main Line Women's Post, one of two women's posts in District 9.

Weddings Thruout Our Community During Past Week

Jeanette Elizabeth Houck, John J. Malenhor
Miss Jeanette Elizabeth Houck, a daughter of Mrs. Anna Houck, of Columbia RI, and the late Harry Houck, and John J. Malenhor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dalvin M. Malenhor, Salunga were married in Concordia Lutheran Church, at Chestnut Hill. The Rev. Charles V. Naugle officiated at the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brenner attended the couple. The bride wore a blue street length dress with brown accessories and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. Brenner wore a navy blue dress with all matching accessories and a corsage of red roses. The bride is employed by the Tidy Products Co., Columbia and the bridegroom is engaged in farming.

Naomi N. Thomas, Ernest S. Ebersole

The marriage of Miss Naomi Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob B. Thomas, New Danville, and Ernest S. Ebersole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi W. Ebersole, E-town (Turn to Page 2)

NURSING COURSE WILL BE TAUGHT IN OUR SCHOOLS

Courses in Home Nursing are being given in three county high schools through the schools and the Lancaster Red Cross Chapter. McCaskey, Mt. Joy and Manor-Millersville have incorporated the course into their regular home economics and health programs. The girls are learning how to care for sick persons and babies, as well as maternal and pre-natal care. A life-sized doll is being used in the study of the care of baby. Upon completion of the courses, the girls will be awarded certificates in Home Nursing.

JAY EBERLY, 9TH GRADE STUDENT, WON \$10 PRIZE

In an essay contest conducted by a Lancaster newspaper, the third prize winner, Jay Eberly gets \$10. He is a ninth grade student at Mt. Joy High School and makes models of planes. His uncle, Alvin J. Reist south of town, is the owner of a private plane. Young Eberly wrote: "The new airport provides faster, better mail service; saves business men time and money when traveling long distances; and gives this area desirable added prestige."

WAS GRANTED A DIVORCE

Jane L. Houshal, 27, Mt. Joy, has charged that Norman A. Houshal, 29, Maytown, deserted her Feb. 28, 1946. They were married on March 14, 1943. She was granted a divorce.

THEIR BONDS ARE OKAY

The Lancaster County Court on Friday approved the bonds of eight county tax collectors. Among them was William L. Thome, Mt. Joy Twp.

DEEDS RECORDED

H. Roy Nissly, executor of the estate of Lizzie R. Nissly, late of East Donegal Twp., to Theodore H. and Hilda O. Weidler, Mt. Joy, premises at Florin, \$9,010.

Good Cheer Class Held Banquet And Elected Officers

The Good Cheer Class of the St. Mark's Evangelical U. B. Church held a banquet and election of officers at Hostetter's Banquet Hall on Tuesday evening at 6:30, with thirty-one members and three other guests present. Program consisted of prayer offered by Rev. Howard Baer, reading by class president, Nora Eby; Mrs. Joseph Detweiler gave a speech on "The Good Cheer Class."

Mrs. Dorothy Milligan was presented with a wedding gift by the Good Cheer Class and Rev. Baer gave a talk on Whitting, which was very interesting.

Nominating committee for this election of officers for the year of (Turn to page 6)

MILITARY RITES BEING PLANNED FOR 2 BROTHERS

A double military funeral service for the two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Wenditz, 366 Ice Ave., will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Koser Funeral Home, Landisville. Pvt. Charles E. Wenditz, twenty-two, died Aug. 12, 1944 as a result of wounds received in France July 14 of the same year. His brother, Staff Sgt. Robert F. Wenditz, was twenty-one when he was killed on Corregidor Feb. 19, 1945.

American Legion Post 34 will conduct the military rites and the Rev. Ernest Leer, pastor of the Landisville Lutheran Church, will officiate. Interment will be in the Salunga Mennonite Cemetery. The bodies will lie in state Saturday from 7 to 9 p. m. at the Koser Funeral Home.

Cameraman Will Snap The Kiddies

"It's a grand idea" seems to be the consensus of opinion voiced by parents of Mt. Joy and surrounding communities. "I think it's wonderful," said one modern mother who is planning to bring her youngsters to the Landry Studios, special photographers who will be at Evangelical United Brethren Church on Saturday, April 9th from 1:00 p. m. to 8:00 p. m.

That parents, generally, welcome this unusual opportunity of seeing their little ones' pictures in the news is evidenced by the enthusiastic response to previous announcements in The Bulletin. Here is the story: The Bulletin wants a photograph of every child, girl or boy no matter what ages may be, who resides in Mt. Joy and surrounding communities, for publication in a forthcoming series titled "Our Future Citizens."

Fire Destroyed Frame Farmhouse Tuesday

A two and one-half story frame farmhouse was destroyed by fire Tuesday. The house, located at Manheim RD, about five miles north of Manheim, was the property of Samuel G. Ober, Elizabethtown RD. It was tenanted by the Abram Zellars family which was preparing to move to Manheim at the time of the blaze. The future tenant was to be John Shonk, who lives between Union Square and Mt. Joy. Fire Chief Richard Myer, Manheim Fire Company, said the company received the alarm about 2 p. m. Tuesday and when they arrived at the scene it was necessary to summon fire companies from Mt. Joy, Litzitz and Penryn. The fire evidently began in a small Summer kitchen located in the rear of the house. Mrs. Zellars, who was cleaning the interior of the dwelling, told firemen she had burned some waste paper in a large stove in the kitchen and had gone into another part of the house. Soon after, she said, she found the kitchen in a mass of flames.

MR. LEE BOYER SPEAKER AT HOSSLERS P. T. A.

The Parent-Teachers Assoc. of Hosslers School, Rapho Twp., held their regular monthly meeting at the school. Mr. Lee Boyer of Millersville State Teachers College was the speaker. He outlined a plan by which the school could obtain film from the college library to be used in the Visual Education program of the school. Three films were shown on the schools new 16 MM sound projector which they have bought recently.

On April 8 the school will sponsor an Easter program at the school. Music will be furnished by the Young Ladies Choir of Mt. Hope Evangelical Church and the film "Galgatha", portraying Christ Last Days On Earth, will also be shown. The program will start at eight o'clock and will last approximately two hours. The public is invited to enjoy this program with us. A silver offering will be taken to help curtail expenses of bringing this entertainment into the community.

In May the school will sponsor a festival. Watch The Bulletin for an announcement.

Home Caught Fire Family Absent

Fire struck in the closed and the locked home of Lucien Snyder on the Elizabethtown - Maytown road on Thursday afternoon while the family was in E-town making arrangements for the funeral of Mr. Snyder's father, who died Wednesday night.

E-town Fire Chief Paul Shiffer said that fire damage was confined to the living room of the two and one-half story frame asbestos-shingled dwelling. Smoke and water damage to other parts of the home would run the estimated damage to \$3,000, he added.

The blaze was of undetermined origin, Chief Shiffer said, but was thought to have originated in the davenport in the living room. The fire chief gave much credit to the new fog nozzles of the company for saving the structure. The fire was discovered by a neighbor, Mrs. John Kraybill, who saw smoke coming from under the eaves of the home and turned in the alarm. The Rheems Fire Co. also responded to the alarm and at the request of Fire Chief Shiffer stood by until the flames were completely extinguished.

THE J. E. BAKER COMPANY HOLDS ANNUAL BANQUET

The J. E. Baker Co., Billmeyer held its annual safety banquet at Baker's Diner, Elizabethtown, recently with William Mundoff, Sr., as the toastmaster. The company has operated since September 1946 with 758,960 man hours of labor without any loss of time through accident.

ONE CENT A GALLON MORE ON GASOLINE JUNE FIRST

Pa. motorists will pay a state tax of five cents a gallon on gasoline June 1st. Gov. James H. Duff, signed into law the one-cent boost in approving tax measures to bring in \$414,000,000 in the next two years.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Newcomer, while at Philadelphia last week, visited the Flower Show. John Buffenmyer and Clayton E. Stehman, who spent the winter months in Florida and Hot Springs Arizona, returned home on Saturday.

HAS GONE TO FLORIDA

Miss Mae Zeller, East Main St., left by train Wednesday morning for Zephyrhills, Florida, where she will spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Don W. Gorrecht and daughter of this place.

The Local News For The Past Week Very Briefly Told

Chief of Police John Sebelst, at New Holland has resigned. Eighty cases of measles were reported in the county last week. The retail price of milk will be reduced one cent a quart Friday. Samuel M. Harple is a new justice of the peace at Elizabethtown. In a fire at Millersville, a frame shed and stored furniture were destroyed.

The village of Churchtown has ordered a new fire engine at a cost of \$6,500. Jay Nissley, Manheim RD, was elected president of the Elm-Penryn Community Club.

At the Columbia Malleable plant 700 of the 1400 employees have been laid off indefinitely. The 80 piece Hershey High School band will give a concert Sunday at 2:30 in the Community Theatre.

Mr. Clyde Mumper, on Frank St. will erect a new dwelling on Donegal Springs Road. Work will soon begin. The New Holland Machine Co., a concern manufacturing farm machinery, has laid off forty-five employees.

Garden Spot Chapter FFA, West Lampeter High School, was awarded first prize of \$100 in a tomatoe growing contest. Walter Fenstermacher, forty, of Rohrerstown, was bitten on the leg by a dog so severely it required St. Joseph's Hospital treatment.

Brief News From The Dailies For Quick Reading

The shortage in the Nat'l City Bank, New York, may reach \$750,000. Carroll Keller, 16, York RD, sustained a fractured hip when butted by a cow. The State Laurel Festival will be held at Wellsboro Friday, June 24th this year. The tour of the eighteen Red 'Peace' delegates has been stopped before it started. A motorist in a crash at Ephrata was jailed after the accident when it was learned he was driving a car stolen at Reading.

The Carlisle Shoe Co. will reduce the wholesale price of shoes 50 cents per pair. The company now makes 4,200 pairs daily at its two plants. After lengthy litigation the court has ordered the payment of \$7,912 to seven York firms by the Gipe and Gledtler concern, a firm now dissolved. After a truck hit her car, Hannah May Smith, of Duncannon had chased and captured the driver 13 miles beyond the scene of the accident.

Activities of Our Police Officers

Chief of Police Park E. Neiss, assumed active duty last Saturday after seven months of duty due to injuries suffered last August.

His report for the past week: Donald C. Flowers, W. Main St., this place was prosecuted for violating a restricted license. He will be summoned for a hearing before Squire James Hockenberry. Everett Williams, this place, was arrested on a warrant issued by Justice of the Peace Hockenberry on a charge of assault and battery. He was given a hearing before Hockenberry and payed costs.

SPELLING BEE

At Milton Grove School Thursday, April 7th, at 7:30 p. m. Classes: first spelling taught by Mrs. Henry Hackman; second spelling taught by Miss Ruth Heisey; General information by Mr. Emerson Rohrer; also a Pa. Dutch Class.

Mortuary Record Throughout This Entire Locality

William R. Shutt, 65, Manheim. Charles L. Gohn, seventy-seven, at Columbia. David Thomas Price, eighty at Columbia Saturday. Harriet, wife of Harry F. Sheaffer, formerly of Manheim, died at Lancaster. Mrs. Albert Heistand, from Salunga is a sister.

Mrs. Emma Moyer
Emma, widow of Jacob Moyer, at Manheim aged sixty-nine years. She was a member of the Milton Grove Evangelical United Brethren Church. Mable, wife of John Nissley, and Elsie, wife of Harry Sides both of Manheim RD2 are sisters.

Samuel S. Snyder
Samuel S. Snyder, seventy-two, E-town RD, died Wednesday at his home after an illness of six years. He was a son of the late Samuel and Leah Shank Snyder, and is survived by his wife, Clara, at home, a son, Lucion, E-town RD, five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

William R. Shutt
William R. Shutt, sixty-five, Manheim RI, died Thursday in a hospital within nine hours of the death of his sister, Mrs. Laura V. Druck, Columbia RI, who died on Wednesday in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Stover, Chestnut Hill.

Samuel S. Faus
Samuel S. Faus, ninety, died on Thursday at the home of his son, William Faus, Manheim RD, Rapho Twp., after a three months illness. He was a retired farmer and a member of Hensley's Mennonite Church. His wife was the late Elizabeth Wolbert Faus. Besides the son with whom he resided, he is survived by three grandchildren and six great grandchildren and a brother, Elias A. Faus, Manheim RD.

Mrs. Norman N. Baer

Mrs. Martha E. Baer, sixty-one, wife of Norman N. Baer, Salunga, died at her home Wednesday at 12:50 a. m. of a cerebral hemorrhage after an illness of one day. A daughter of the late Samuel and Salinda Heiser Eby, she was a member of the Salunga Methodist Church and the Society of Farm Women No. 4. Her only survivor is her husband. Funeral from the Koser Funeral Home at Landisville Saturday afternoon and interment in the Landisville cemetery.

Mrs. George Rost

Mrs. Fannie Bard Rost, seventy-two, wife of George Rost, died on Thursday at the home of her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Albright, at Ironville, after an illness of five years. She was born in Ironville, a daughter of the late Ephraim and Annie Eshleman Bard, and resided in Columbia most of her life. She was a member of Cookman Methodist Church, Columbia.

WILL PRESENT OPERETTA

A two-act operetta, "Look Who Is Here", will be presented by pupils of the Conoy Twp. High School, Bainbridge, later this month. The musical comedy has English and Spanish settings.

THEIR CAR DEMOLISHED

Two persons escaped injury on Tuesday night when their automobile ran off the road in E. Petersburg, plunged down a four-foot embankment, and turned over a few times.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Charles R. Baer, Landisville and Arlene M. Fry, Lancaster RD6. Robert G. Shonk, Manheim RD2, and Ruthe Ann Binkley, Manheim.