

Shoppers In Community Offered Buying Opportunities In Our Merchants 3-Day Sales Event

Dr. E. K. Tingley Purchased Roy B. Sheetz Property

An important realty transaction was closed here Saturday when Dr. E. K. Tingley, of Wolgemuth Inc., purchased the Roy B. Sheetz real estate holdings at private sale and private terms.

The sale comprises the entire property including a farm dwelling and undertaking parlors fronting on East Main St. and extending south along Delta to Henry Streets.

The new purchaser took immediate possession of the undertaking parlors and on Monday morning had a force of carpenters, painters and paper hangers renovating the place preparatory to moving the entire stock of all electrical appliances, oil burners, etc. from the First National Bank and Trust Company's building on North Market Street to the new location. The bank will raze the building vacated by Wolgemuth Inc.

It is the intention of Wolgemuth Inc. to make this one of the most modern electrical stores and Plumbing & Heating Center in this section. The location is ideal. The new owner will take possession of the dwelling Sept. 15th.

This particularly location has always been a business place. During the past 55 years it was a shoe store, clothing store, movie theatre, undertaking parlor, furniture store, now will become an electric appliance center.

On September, 1921 just twenty-eight years ago, mortician Roy B. Sheetz "put out his shingle" and has conducted an undertaking and embalming business at this location ever since. At this writing he has no definite plans for the future.

Examinations For Postmaster at The Mount Joy Office

An open competitive examination to fill the vacancy in the position of postmaster in Mount Joy has been announced by the United States Civil Service Commission at the request of the Postmaster General.

In order to be eligible for the examination, an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must have actually resided within the delivery of this post office, or within the city or town in which the office is located, for at least one year immediately preceding the date fixed for close of receipt of applications, must be in good physical condition and within the prescribed age limits, certain waivers of the age limits, being allowed persons granted a veteran preference. Both men and women are admitted.

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Over 200 Boys & Girls Working At De-tasseling Corn

More than 200 Lancaster County teen-agers, 60 of them from Lancaster, are working here this summer as corn de-tassellers.

Ranging from twelve to seventeen years in age, the corn de-tassellers must be at least 5 feet 2 inches tall to be able to reach the tassels. About half this year's group are girls. The employees are Hoffman Seed Co., Landisville, and the Reist Seed Co., Mt. Joy.

Not as many detassellers are needed this year as formerly because of a new machine which has been developed. It de-tassels 70 per cent of the corn, and leaves only the remainder to be done by hand.

Although no particular skill is (Turn to page 5)

65-Yr. Old Grade School Building To Be Sold Aug. 8

Members of Mt. Joy Twp. Board of Education will receive bids for purchase of its sixty-five year old 'Joint School', where for many years children of East and West Donegal and Mt. Joy Townships attended school.

Although the school was built on the Mt. Joy Twp. side of the line, all three districts supported the school and sent pupils there, according to Joseph Greiner, the president.

Later the two townships transported their pupils to Florin and Maytown and Mt. Joy Twp. took over support of the school itself. Lately it has seemed impracticable to keep it open and it is now in the process of being sold.

Bids will be opened at a meeting of the township board on Monday Aug. 8 at Florin Grammer School.

MARRIAGE LICENCES

John Harold Herr, Jr., Salunga, and Gertrude Bernice Habecker Lancaster RD1.

Herbert Hornberger, Salunga and Doris H. Asher, Lancaster.

The Cheerful Sewer's 4-H Club met at the home of Mrs. J. Everett Martin on Wednesday, July 13. Myrl Jean Martin was chosen as the club's delegate to 4-H Club Week at State College.

Artificial Breeders Have Exceptional Dairy Animals

Following official inspection of its herd recently by W. A. Weeks, North Carndon, Vt., an official inspector authorized by the Holstein-Friesian Assn. of America, the Southeastern Pa. Artificial Breeding Coop., Landisville, Pa., is the owner of a total of nine officially classified Holstein-Friesian dairy animals.

This is the fourth time the herd has been classified for type under the national assn.'s Herd Classification program organized and maintained in an effort to improve the Holstein breed of dairy cattle.

Of the animals classified by W. A. Weeks two were named "good plus", the third highest rating an animal can receive.

Adding previously classified animals, the herd now has a total of five very good and three "plus good" designations.

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MARTIN TROSTLE HEADS YOUNG FARMERS GROUP

Martin Trostle was elected the president of the newly-organized Young Farmers Group which held its third meeting at the East Donegal Twp. High School.

Leslie Hixon was elected vice-president, Jerome Bixler, as the secretary; Donald Drake, treasurer; Amos Longenecker, chaplain; and Gene M. Love, advisor.

A committee to draw up a constitution and by-laws, and a program committee were appointed.

Joseph Wolgemuth and William Nolt of the Lancaster Farm Bureau led a discussion and showed films on "What Is a Co-op?"

The next meeting will be held at 8 p. m. Thursday, August 11th at the high school.

WE ARE SPECIALLY EQUIPPED FOR WORK OF THIS KIND

On Tuesday the Bulletin printed 4,000 copies of a 16-page tabloid size advertising medium for the Merchants Division of the Mount Joy Chamber of Commerce. This committee is conducting Sales Days here July 28, 29, and 30.

The entire edition was printed and folded at one operation, ready for mailing on the Bulletin's Goss Comet press.

They will be mailed and distributed thruout the community this week.

JOHN HERR JR. WILL WED

Invitations have been issued to the wedding of Miss Bernice Habecker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay C. Habecker, Lancaster, and John H. Herr, Jr., son of John H. Herr Salunga and the late Mrs. Herr.

THE NORMAN MOYER ESTATE

The estate of Norman I. Moyer, Mount Joy Twp., was adjudicated last week. There is \$2,624.09 for distribution among the heirs.

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

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Citizens of Tomorrow!

Several months ago, we know many of you fathers and mothers have almost forgotten, we told you through these columns that a photographer was coming here to take pictures of your kiddies and later those pictures would appear in The Bulletin. Nothing having been seen or heard of those pictures to date we presume many of you thought we were kidding—but we were not. The time required to make all the photos, cuts, etc., was far beyond our expectation.

We are gratified to report that all the cuts are now in our possession and beginning this week and continuing through for six successive weeks, a block of these pictures will appear. All are exceptional likenesses of your youngsters, so be on the lookout for the one of your own child.

We will reproduce the pictures of fifty-five children, all residents of this community.

Here is the first photo.



Top Row, left to right—Carolyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Miller, Mt. Joy; Phyllis and Diane, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Summy, Mt. Joy; Ronald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Brayman, Mt. Joy.

Bottom Row, left to right—Yvonne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Forrey, Mt. Joy; Johnny, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer, Florin; Georgeanne and Becky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schneider, Mt. Joy.

East Donegal MA To Study The Bids For Water Meters

The East Donegal Twp. Municipal Authority Monday evening received sealed proposals for the water meters for the water system now being constructed at Maytown.

The bids were received from: Worthington Gamon Meter Co., Newark, N. J.; Neptune Meter Co. of New York; and Rockwell Manufacturing Co., Pittsburgh.

Paul Beshler, secretary of the authority, said no contracts were awarded. The bids will be now studied by the engineers and a contract may be awarded later in this week.

At the present time, Beshler said, workmen are engaged in the laying of the water main in the community. The pump house, with the exception of the installation of equipment, has been completed as well as the foundation for the water tower in the rear of the high school. Construction of the tower began on Wednesday.

Took 41 Yrs. For a Post Card To Go a Distance of 14 Mi.

You often hear about Uncle Sam's speedy mail delivery but here's one for the books. Believe it or not it took forty-one years and five months for a post card to travel from Millersville to Mount Joy, a distance of about 14 miles.

At 3 p. m. February 13, 1908 Miss Fannie Cassel was a student at Millersville Normal School at which time she mailed a post card to Miss Annie Blensinger, now a resident of East Main St., this borough.

One day last week the local carrier delivered the card to Miss Blensinger, who upon receipt, inquired if they were cleaning house at the post office. It took all that time for the card to reach its destination.

During the interval Miss Cassel became the wife of James L. Ulrich, now residing on College Ave., Elizabethtown.

The authorities are anxious to know whether the card made several trips around the globe or if it was simply mislaid and finally "bobbed up".

DARWIN LORAW, FLORIN IS HAVING AN EXPERIENCE

Darwin Loraw, Florin, experienced the old adage, when it rains, it often pours. Last week Mr. and Mrs. Loraw were patients at a Lancaster Hospital.

A few days later, while driving south on Charlotte St. at Lancaster, Mr. Loraw stepped his truck to prevent being involved in a crash ahead of him. Then along came a car, the rear of which skidded into Mr. Loraw's truck. The damage was slight.

HELD A QUARTERLY MEETING OF OUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The quarterly meeting of the Mt. Joy Chamber of Commerce was held at Hostetters banquet hall on Monday evening.

Four very important subjects were scheduled for discussion as follows:

Sales Day For Mount Joy.

Erecting Signs To The Entrance of Our Borough.

Should Mt. Joy have a Hotel? Plans For Christmas Program.

Some very interesting facts were mentioned relative to all the foregoing subjects.

Week's Birth Record

Mr. and Mrs. Warren K. Shank, Florin, a daughter Thursday at the Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nissly, Fairview Street, a daughter Monday morning at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Wolf, of 205 E. Main St., a daughter Monday at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Groff, Manheim R2, a son Wednesday at home.

EXTENSIVE THEATRE OWNER TO BUILD DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Harry Chertcoff, owner of the movie theatre here, Elizabethtown and numerous other places, announced Monday that he will erect a drive-in theatre of 1,000 cars capacity along the Lincoln Highway, four miles east of Lancaster.

DAVID E. LOEWEN, OF TOWN LANDS ON ISLAND OF CRETE

David E. Loewen, seaman, USN son of the late Mr. John L. Loewen of 50 West Donegal St., this borough, is scheduled to arrive at the Island of Crete, July 16, as a crew member aboard the aircraft carrier USS Coral Sea for a five day visit.

In his peaceful 'invasion' of the island, whose history is traced to 2000 B. C., he follows in the footsteps of Greek, Roman, Byzantine and Turkish invaders of old.

More recent history found Crete the scene of paratroop landings in the last war that made airborne invasion history. It was there that ex-heavyweight champion Max Schmeling was injured during a jump with Nazi paratroopers.

The Whereabouts Of People Thruout Entire Locality

Mr. George Keener, of Boyer's Furnishings, made a business trip to New York City Monday to Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loewen of East Hampton, N. Y. visited the Loewen family. Jean Loewen also of East Hampton is staying about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cassel and son and the former's brother-in-law of Hagerstown, Md. and Maud Cassel, of Harrisburg, made a very pleasant call on the editor at The Springs Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Tingley will motor to Mont Rose, near Scranton, over the week end where they will be the guests of Mr. Tingley's mother, who is celebrating her 86th milestone in life.

Mrs. Frank Siebert and family visited the Loewen family for a short visit. Mrs. Siebert is the only living member of the Loewen family. She is the sister of the late Mr. John J. Loewen.

The Local News For The Past Week Very Briefly Told

A Pa. Dutch Day will be observed at Hershey Park Aug. 27.

Forty-five white Leghorn chickens were stolen from the farm of Aaros Glick, Quarryville.

The Masonic Homes, at Elizabethtown, will break ground Friday for a new \$400,000 building.

A thief dug up and carried away two rows of potatoes on the farm of Harry Baker, Columbia.

A complaint about target shoots on Sundays has been filed against the Utility Sleet and Trap Club in Providence township.

Dr. George N. Falkenstein, the founder and first acting president of Elizabethtown College, minister, writer and teacher, celebrated his ninetieth birthday Saturday.

Rev. Robert Gumm To Succeed Rev. Jones

Rev. Robert Gumm, of the Episcopal Cathedral at Orlando, Florida, will be in charge of the services at St. Luke's Episcopal Church here, after July 25th, when Rev. and Mrs. Carlton Jones leave for their summer home at Merrimac, Mass.

The Jones will remain at Merrimac until Sept. 1st, when Rev. Jones will assume his duties at Trinity Episcopal Church at Chambersburg.

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2 REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES FOR TAX COLLECTOR HERE

A contest for the Republican nomination for tax collector here loomed Wednesday as a man and a woman filed petitions for the post with the Lancaster County Board of Elections.

Seeking the nomination are Mrs. Esther Hockenberry, housewife, 118 E. Main St., wife of Squire James Hockenberry and George H. Brown, III, machine operator, 154 N. Market St.

MANHEIM MAN KILLED

Christ K. Kulp, sixty-five, cement contractor at Manheim for the past twenty-five years, was killed in a head-on collision on the Route 72 a short distance north of Manheim.

LETTERS GRANTED

Harry S. Stark, of this borough executor of the Elam Stark estate.

Daniel S. Will, Rapho Twp. administrator of the estate of Aaron G. Will, late of East Hempfield Twp.

Former Resident Of Florin Killed In Motor Accident

Richard J. Miller, twenty-four, Lancaster, formerly of Florin, father of a 16-day-old son, was fatally injured and another man critically hurt when their car left the Manheim pike and struck a tractor-trailer truck parked at the Possey Service Company gasoline station about 2:15 a. m. Wednesday.

Miller died in Lancaster General Hospital, where he was taken in the institution ambulance following the crash. Death resulted from a fractured skull and broken neck, said Dr. C. P. Stahr, deputy coroner, who issued a certificate of accidental death.

Charles H. Benson, twenty-six, 730 E. Chestnut St., Lancaster only passenger in Miller's car, suffered a fractured skull. Both were Conestoga Transportation Bus drivers. They had been in Mount Joy and East Petersburg and were on their way home.

Miller's wife, Zelta Gehman Miller, was a maternity patient in the hospital where her husband died. She gave birth to a son July 5 and was scheduled to be discharged soon.

ENTERTAINED AT SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Christian B. Brubaker of near Erisman's Church entertained at their home Tuesday evening. Present were Isaac B. Brubaker and wife, of Washington State, Rev. and Mrs. Joseph M. Nissly, pastor of the First Mennonite Church of Altoona, Pa.; Rev. and Mrs. Martin G. Metzler, pastor of Erisman's Church, Miss Emma M. Nissly, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nissly Brubaker and daughter Joan, son, Barry, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brubaker and a fresh air child of New York.

TWO WEST HEMPFIELD SCHOOL BUILDINGS SOLD

Two West Hempfield Twp. brick school houses were sold at public sale Saturday afternoon by the Board of Education.

Kehler's on the Columbia and Mountville pike was sold to Norman Clinton, 322 Cherry St., Columbia, for \$4,250; and Sterline's School on the Columbia - Marietta Pike was sold to Christian Hoover, Columbia RD for \$2,500.

Lloyd Landvater was the auctioneer.

FIVE PERSONS ESCAPED WHEN CAR HIT CULVERT

Five persons escaped injury when the car in which they were riding struck a culvert and upset on the Harrisburg Pike, one and a half miles west of Elizabethtown, at 2:50 a. m. Monday.

State Policeman Edward Maloney reported Benjamin Beamer, thirty-one, 650 Broad St., Harrisburg, was the driver. Beamer and four passengers were unhurt. Damage to the car was estimated at \$150 by police.

SCHOOL-COMMUNITY REUNION

Saturday, August 27, the annual school and community reunion will be held at the Newtown School Grounds. The E. U. B. Quincey Orphan Band o Quincey will render two concerts at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. Special speakers and refreshments.

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THAT'S A GOOD CROWD

Three hundred and six tickets were sold by Samuel Dock at the P. R. R. Station here this morning for the Grocers' picnic to Atlantic City today.

THE BUSINESS BAROMETER

The profits of manufacturing corporations for the first three months of this year dropped \$50,000,000.

Mortuary Record Throughout This Entire Locality

John Glass, seventy-one, at Elizabethtown yesterday.

Elwood D. Hahn, fifty-three, at Manheim Thursday.

Christian F. Rodkey, seventy-one, at Columbia Thursday.

Edward M. Eckman, ninety-three, at the Oreville Mennonite Home.

Walter S. Longenecker, fifty-three, of E-town, died in the ambulance on his way to the hospital.

Samuel R. Weber, seventy-seven, proprietor of Hotel Weber at Lancaster for the past thirty-one years died Monday.

Randy Lee Gingrich

Randy Lee Gingrich, infant son of Harrison and Marguerette Gingrich, Bainbridge, died Sunday at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Surviving are his parents, his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Sara (Turn to page 3)

Activities of Our Police Officers

Chief of Police Park Neiss' traffic court for the week includes: George A. Weber, East Main Street, Mount Joy was summoned before Justice of the Peace James Hockenberry for driving on the left side of an intersection.

Henry M. Fegley, Harrisburg, and Samuel I. Sollenberger, of E-town were both summoned before Hockenberry, for speeding at 50 miles an hour on Main St.

Graham E. Mutchler was summoned before Squire Thomas Brown for speeding on Main St. at 50 miles per hour.

Mrs. Lizzie W. Saunders, Florin, was summoned before Squire Brown for failing to stop at a stop sign.

James Hornberger, Salunga, is to be summoned before Squire Hockenberry for speeding at 48 miles an hour on Main Street.

Officer Neiss picked up Francis Brosey, Manheim RD, on a warrant for failing to answer a traffic summons. He paid \$14.75 and was excused.

On Monday night Officer Neiss picked up a nine year old boy at Van's Servicenter where he was hitchhiking to Harrisburg to see his parents. He had been staying with his aunt and uncle at the Landisville Camp Meeting Grounds and was returned to them by Neiss.

Demonstration by State Police At Auto Club Picnic

A safety demonstration by officers and trained dogs from the Pennsylvania State Police School at Hershey will be one of the many features of the all-day program planned for the annual picnic of the Lancaster Automobile Club at Hershey Park next Thursday. This exhibition will be staged at the band stand from 11 to 11:30 a. m.

The day's program will get under way at 10 A. M. with a concert by the Pottstown Band and soloists. A second concert by this band will be given in the afternoon. Another