

Mount Joy Is 6th In Dwellings And 9th In Population Increase During The Past Ten Year

Let Contract For New Roof On The Maytown High S.

At a special meeting of the East Donegal Township School Board held recently, a contract to build a new roof on the high school building at Maytown was awarded to Goodling, Simpson and Mackes of Ephrata for a sum of \$4,971.

Four graduates of East Donegal High School attended the annual Scholarship Dinner at Hotel Brunswick Tuesday evening, June 20. They were Hazel Crankshaw, Jeanne Miller, Marion Ney and Dorothy Sperla.

At a recent board meeting the school board renewed its agreement with the Franklin and Marshall Guidance Center for guidance services during the coming school year.

W. Hempfield Twp. Road To Ironville Being Reopened

The West Hempfield Twp. Board of Supervisors announced Monday night that work has begun on opening an unused road in the Twp. to afford a more direct link between Ironville and the Lincoln Highway.

The road, on which grading has been completed to date, runs from the concrete bridge at the Reading Railroad culvert at Ironville, southward behind Indian Head through the M. M. Bushong farm, and emerges at the Lincoln Highway near the former Kehler's school house.

The road had been unused for several years and vegetation had grown over it in several places. Action was taken by the supervisors after farmers, residents and landowners favored reopening the road.

In addition to Mr. Shellenberger, other township supervisors working on plans for the project are Ohmer Gingrich and Harry M. Grider.

Brief News From The Dailies For Quick Reading

Bradford county farmers are battling an army of caterpillars. A \$43,500 fire destroyed the H. & H. Tobacco Mfg. plant at Millersville.

Melvin Hershey, twenty-two was pinned under a tractor when it upset.

John A. Hooper, York, gave \$500,000 to Yale College, from whence he graduated.

Shirley A. Todd, 15, Lancaster R7 was shot in the body by boys who were shooting mark with a .22 rifle.

Kenneth W. Gilbert thirty-one, a welder of York, fell 70 feet from a water tower at Perry, Ohio and was killed.

A Maryland high school picnic truck carrying forty students, plunged over an embankment, killed two and injured twenty-six others.

In two automobile accidents within an hour and only 300 yards apart on Route 222 in Ephrata twp. there was over \$1,000 damage and three drivers were arrested.

In going over the census figures of the county there are a number of interesting facts which may be of concern to many.

The boro of Christiana was the only boro in the county to have lost in population in the past ten years. It has 22 people less and one house more.

In 1940 Ephrata had one farm within its limits. Today it has 18. Lititz is second with an increase of eight farms. Mount Joy gained 3 farms in ten years.

The increase in dwellings is far more important. In additional buildings Ephrata leads the other county boros with an increase of 411. Columbia was second with 378. Other two boros in order were: Lititz 322, Elizabethtown 310, Manheim 205.

Mount Joy 121, Millersville 101 and Marietta 92.

The gain in population showed Ephrata led with 851. Elizabethtown was second with 780. Other two boros in order were: Lititz 808, Millersville 678, New Holland 439.

This gain was made without one new home and five less farms in the boro, unless the figures given out are incorrect. Columbia 415, Manheim 413, Marietta 302 and Mt. Joy 159.

With all the building advantages in and around Mount Joy, we re-

TWO LOCAL GIRLS TAKING PART IN LAUREL FESTIVAL

Two Lancaster County girls attended the Laurel Festival at Wellsboro, Pa., and competed in a beauty contest last weekend to name the Laurel Queen.

They were Miss Marian Brenneman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brenneman of Mt. Joy R2, and Miss Elizabeth M. Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Weaver of West Lampeter Twp.

An honor student in this year's graduating class at Mt. Joy High School, Miss Brenneman was chosen by a faculty committee to represent Mt. Joy in the contest.

Donald Moseman, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Moseman, Jr., of Manheim, accompanied Miss Brenneman.

MOTHER & DAUGHTER HURT WHEN AUTO STRUCK A WALL

Mrs. Violet Yeagley, forty-nine, Elizabethtown R3, and her daughter Grace, seven, were reported in a satisfactory condition Sunday night at St. Joseph's Hospital, where they were admitted late Saturday night after an automobile in which they were riding crashed into a stone wall at Lawn, Lebanon County.

ROTARIANS HEAR DR. ALLAN S. MECK IN ADDRESS HERE

Dr. Allan S. Meck, president of the Evangelical Reformed Seminary Lancaster, spoke at a meeting of the Rotary Club at Noon Tuesday.

Dr. Meck spoke on the opportunities Americans have under democratic form of government. Ladies Night has been announced for Tuesday evening, June 27. Walter Sloan, president, was in charge.

47 DRIVERS FORFEIT CARDS

Last week the State Bureau of Highway Safety withdrew the license of forty-seven drivers from this section. Among them were Joseph Gremling, Mt. Joy R2 and Joseph A. Sears, Mt. Joy R1. Both were charged with reckless driving.

Licenses were restored to J. Musser Wolgemuth, Mt. Joy R1, and John O. Barnhart, Mount Joy.

RUTH E. GARMAN, FLORIN FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE

A Florin woman has filed suit for divorce on grounds of indignities.

Will Fix Boundary Of West Donegal-Mount Joy Twp.

The Lancaster County Court, upon the petition of 55 residents of West Donegal and Mount Joy Townships, appointed three commissioners to ascertain the boundary line of West Donegal Township in the vicinity of Rheems.

The petitioners, who are jointly seeking water for fire protection and road lighting, reside along a strip of land, a corner of Mount Joy Township, which is surrounded by the old and new Harrisburg Pikes.

Other of the petitioners live in West Donegal Township, since the old Harrisburg Pike serves as boundary line for the two townships.

This fact would necessitate action by both sets of township supervisors in contracting for water facilities, construction of water lines and contracting for lights.

The abandoned former Harrisburg Pike boundary line, must also be (Turn to Page 3)

Sacred Musical In EUB Church Sunday At 4 P. M.

On Sunday afternoon, June 25, at four o'clock a Sacred Musical will be presented in the St. Mark's Evang. United Brethren Church, under the direction of C. M. Schmid.

Miss Luella H. Witmer, organist and Mrs. George Broske, guest pianist.

The program includes: Prelude; Congregational Hymn, "Oh, Worship The King"; Invocation; Hymn by Choir, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name"; Anthem: Beautiful Savior, Gloria in Excelsis. Scripture Prayer, Congregational Hymn "Hark Ten Thousand Harps"; Ann-

ENLISTED IN MARINE CORP

Raymond L. Harple, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Harple, Route 2, Manheim, Pa., enlisted in the United States Marine Corps for 4 years.

He was transferred to the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S. C., where he will undergo 10 weeks of recruit training.

Upon completion of recruit training, he will be granted a 10-day leave before being sent to a school for advanced training or assigned a duty station in this country, at an overseas base, or aboard a capital ship of the Navy.

Harple is a former student of Mt. Joy High School. His final examinations and the oath of enlistment were administered at Marine Headquarters in Philadelphia.

Deeds Recorded

Jay H. and Helen Y. Meckley, Mount Joy, to William R. Shire, Sr., and Frances Saire, Mount Joy, premises, 139 Manheim St., Mount Joy, \$7,800.

Pennsylvania Railroad to Kathryn P. Darlington, Lancaster, land near Rheems, Mount Joy Township, \$350.

Ezra E. and Lizzie B. Wolgemuth, Mount Joy, to Martin M. and Mary E. Wolgemuth, Mount Joy, lot, East Donegal Twp., \$2,000.

John B. and Margaret I. Heisey, West Donegal Twp., to Martin B. and Thelma W. Heisey, West Donegal Township, lot and house, West Donegal Twp., \$3,000.

A \$1,445 DAMAGE SUIT

Lloyd Brubaker, Lebanon R3, has sued William C. Strickland, 140 Park St., Elizabethtown for \$1,445 for injuries and repairs to his car. The two collided north of Manheim last July 6th.

LETTERS GRANTED

Union National Mount Joy Bank, administrator of the estate of Beulah D. Rohrer, late of Mount Joy.

LANCASTER MAN JAILED FOR TIPSY DRIVING HERE

George T. Armstrong, 632 W. Orange St., Lancaster, charged with drunken driving, was arrested here by Policeman Michael Good and jailed for a hearing before Justice of the Peace James Hockenberry.

Good accused Armstrong of zig-zagging on Main St. He was examined and pronounced under the influence of intoxicants by a physician, according to the officer.

Armstrong's truck was parked on E. Main street opposite the post-office when arrested. The man who accompanied him remained in the truck, and being mad at someone for something, kicked out one of the truck windows. Hours later, after a good nap he awoke and disappeared.

Andrew Hess Is Placed 8th In Livestock Contest

The Witness Oak FFA Chapter was well represented at the FFA Week Festivities at Penn State College on June 14, 15 and 16.

Andrew Hess and Harry Hershey, vocational agriculture students of East Donegal High School, placed 8th and 20th respectively in the Livestock Judging Contest. There were 250 boys entered in the contest. Andy received a Gold Emblem for his 8th place rating and Harry was presented a Silver Emblem for his 20th place rating.

Andrew Hess, along with the other top nine Live stock Judges in the state, will be recalled back to the college sometime in September. Then they will compete for a chance to represent the state FFA Association in the Livestock Judging Contest during the Annual National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri.

In the Dairy Judging Contest, James Garber, already winner of a Keystone Farmer Degree, the DeKalb Award and Co-winner of the Martin S. Musser Award added another emblem to his collection when he won a Silver Medal for placing 14th in the Dairy Judging Contest. There were 388 boys competing in this contest from schools all over the state. James just missed placing among the top ten judging by seven points.

Mr. Gene M. Love, chapter advisor who accompanied the boys on their three day trip, said that he was well pleased with the work done by the boys.

Weddings Thruout Our Community During Past Week

Elizabeth N. Eby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Eby, of town, and Clyde H. Hottenstein, East Petersburg, were married Thursday in the Evangelical United Brethren Church, here. The Rev. Ezra Ranck officiated at the ceremony which took place in the presence of the immediate families.

Mrs. Hottenstein is a graduate of Lancaster General Hospital School of Nursing and Mr. Hottenstein is engaged in farming. Following a trip to Canada, the couple will reside in East Petersburg.

Nancy M. Seitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Seitz, Mountville, and Robert Paul Frey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Frey, of town, took place in Trinity Evangelical and Reformed Church, Mountville, with the Rev. Carl Smith officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mrs. Albert Mann, Columbia, was her sister's matron of honor, and the bridesmaids included Miss Beth Zimmerman, of Lancaster, and Miss Ophelia Groff, Fort Wayne, Indiana, the bride's cousin, Donna Coble of Columbia.

ONE PENNY MORE JULY 1

The State Milk Control Commission Monday tentatively ordered a one-cent a quart boost in retail milk prices for most of Eastern Pennsylvania, effective July 1.

The State lifted driving privileges from forty-one motorists from this section last week for various violations. Harold E. Eby, Mount Joy had his restored.

38th Strickler Reunion Held At Hershey Thursday

The 38th Strickler reunion held at Hershey Park, last Thursday was attended by 175 clansmen and friends from the surrounding counties, East Mauch Chunk, Philadelphia, Briarcliff Manor, N. Y. and North Manchester, Indiana. Greetings were presented from clansmen living in 12 states and Canada.

Officers Elected The following were elected for the coming year: John E. Hively, President; Elmer G. Strickler Vice President; Alice Strickler, Secretary; and Elna G. Strickler, Treasurer.

In the afternoon the following program was rendered: Song, America; Devotions, Rev. Walter H. Gable; Remarks by the President, Homer Hummel Strickler, Esq.; Memorial Service, Mrs. Laura Muth; Violin Selection, Dawn Strickler; Humorous Reading, Gladys Shenk; Views of European Countries I Visited, Mary F. Strickler; Address, America's Challenge Today, Lieut. Governor Daniel B. Strickler Pa.-Dutch Reading, Mr. J. Harold Meashey; Strangers introduced were from Mauch Chunk, New York, Philadelphia and North Manchester, Ind.

Awarding of prizes: Oldest person, Reuben Strickler, Lancaster, age 79; youngest child, Noreen Fae Chatterton, Middletown, age six weeks; person coming the farthest distance, Prof. Dale Strickler and family, North Manchester, Indiana.

Everything That Happened At Florin Recently

Mrs. Gene Rohrer was taken to the Columbia hospital on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holdeman and daughter, Patsy, are spending their vacation with Mrs. Haldeeman's parents in Indiana.

Mr. Samuel Shelley was a Sunday dinner guest of his brother, Nathan Shelley at Manheim.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Knuffman spent Sunday at Annville with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schmuck and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Felty of Lancaster, called on Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Knuffman and Mrs. Adah Eibler on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mumper called on Mr. and Mrs. James Mumper and family near Bainbridge on Sunday.

Master Raymond Bowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers is a surgical patient in the Lancaster General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mumper and daughter of Neffsville, were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Mumper.

Miss Minnie Shelly of Lancaster called on her father Mr. Samuel Shelly on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Voelz entertained these guests on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. William Lawton Sr., Mr. and Mrs. William Lawton, Jr. and children Judy, Fred, and Tommy. Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Hauer and children, Freddie and Judy of Lancaster.

The Florin Fire Co. will open their season of entertainments Saturday, June 24. There will be five big shows with the Tumbleweed Caravan, featuring Jackie, the mid-set comedian, Jack Haines and his Smoky Mountaineers, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Chicken Corn Soup, sandwiches and soft drinks will be on sale.

LOCAL MAN FIGURED IN COLLISION AT LANCASTER

Two drivers escaped injury in a crash at Vine and Filbert Streets, Lancaster.

Police said the cars were driven by Cora M. Shenk, sixty, Washington Borough R1, and Albert H. Rehm, twenty-five, Mount Joy R2.

CLARENCE AND BOB WERE LOCAL CAMPAIGN WINNERS

Chevrolet dealerships, parts managers and service managers who were adjudged winners of a Spring Sales campaign were announced today by J. V. White, manager of the Harrisburg Zone, Chevrolet Motor Division.

Campaign winners will attend a Blue Ribbon Victory Party on June 28 at the Hershey Park Golf Club. The Harrisburg Zone Chevrolet Dealers Association will sponsor the one-day outing. A program of sports events has been planned and a buffet luncheon will be served. Special prizes also will be awarded.

The campaign winners from this area include: Newcomer Motors, Inc., dealership, and Robert J. Bachman, service manager, of town.

The Advantages of A Larger Local High School

By Lois Jean Kreider Prior to the fourteenth annual promotion exercises of the East Donegal Township Junior High School, pupils of the Ninth Grade were asked to write essays on the theme: Advantages of a Larger Local High School.

None of the pupils were promoted by teacher or principal. The essays were the views of the writers exclusively. They were so very interesting that beginning this week and continuing weekly thereafter for six weeks The Bulletin will publish one of these essays. Here is No. 1.

Many changes are taking place today in the organization of our local school system. Among the changes is the movement for larger schools. The chief aim, or definition of education is: "The training of youth for their station in life, thus helping them to become worthy citizens." The larger school is able to give this training more effectively.

There are various benefits which may be gained by the larger school. Better buildings and equipment, more students, better and more varied activities and courses, and an increased interest in education are a few of the improvements found in larger schools. I will briefly discuss some of them.

First, an enlarged building is necessary to accommodate an increased number of students. It would have more and better-equipped rooms. A larger stage and an auditorium would provide adequate seating for the students, as well as for parents and visitors on special occasions.

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SPECIAL MEETING OF LEGION

Friday evening, June 23rd, a special meeting of the Walter S. Ebersole Post No. 185, will be held at the Legion Home at seven-thirty o'clock.

This is an important meeting and members are urged to attend.

FALMOUTH MAYOR COMING

The mayor of Falmouth, England, plans to visit the tiny village of Falmouth, Concy Township, near Bainbridge, sometime in September during a goodwill tour of nine United States Falmouths.

Engagements Of Well Known Local Residents

Dr. and Mrs. William M. Workman, Marietta Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion G., to Frederick J. Fries, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fries, 4012 East Lansing Street, Philadelphia.

They will be married in the near future and plan to engage in mission work at Camp Nathaniel in Knott County, Kentucky.

Donegal Society Given \$20,000 By Mary Cameron

A gift of \$20,000 was presented by Miss Mary Cameron, Harrisburg and Donegal, it was announced at the Society's 37th reunion held at the historic church at Donegal Springs Thursday.

The funds are to be used for the care of the trees in the grove at the church, with \$10,000 available this year and the remainder next year, Samuel C. Slaymaker, president, said in making the announcement.

Slaymaker, after 15 years of service as president of the Society, was succeeded in office Thursday by Henning W. Prentiss, Jr., chairman of the board of the Armstrong Cork Company, and principal speaker at the afternoon session. He has previously served as fourth vice president of the Society.

Speaker at the morning was the Rev. Arthur H. Limouze, D.D., New York, secretary emeritus of the United Promotion Council of the General Assembly, Presbyterian Church in the United States of America. He has just returned from a visit to the mother church in Donegal, Ireland. He brought communion tokens from Donegal Church in Ireland as a gift to its namesake here.

Both speakers called for return of the spirit of freedom and liberty which characterized the Scotch-Irish settlers of Donegal Springs.

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Mrs. Emma H. Young, seventy, widow of Elias S. Young, died at her home, Chiques, near Salunga, Thursday after an illness of several years. She was born in Manheim Twp., a daughter of the late Peter E. and Amelia Hornerger Weidman and resided near Salunga her entire life. She was a member of the Salunga Church of the Brethren.

There survive these children: Elizabeth, wife of Clayton Aument Rohrerstown; J. Emerson, Salunga; Peter E., with whom she resided; Mary A., at home; also ten grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held from the Heilig funeral home here, Saturday afternoon, with further services in the Salunga Church of the Brethren and interment in the adjoining cemetery.

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Edward J. Myers Shot Himself With A Deer Rifle

Edward J. Myers, sixty, well-driller, killed himself in the bedroom of his home at Salunga, about 4 p. m. Monday, with a high-powered deer rifle.

Members of the family who heard the shot and found Mr. Myers' body in the bedroom, summoned Dr. Joseph C. Gilbert, Landisville deputy coroner, who pronounced him dead and issued a verdict of suicide. Dr. Gilbert, said the bullet entered the left side of his head.

According to the family, Mr. Myers had been in ill health for some time. Mr. Myers, a son of Edward G. Myers, Salunga, and the late Sadie Geneser Myers, conducted his own well drilling business for a number of years.

He was a member and trustee of the Salunga Methodist Church and (Turn to page 3)

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