

George Shenck Of Landisville Heads The Lions

George A. Shenck was installed as president of the Landisville Lions Club for the 1950-51 term last week.

Others appointed to office were: Fred Koser, Verne Heistand, and Clifford Coleman, vice presidents; Lester Good, secretary; J. Melvin Newcomer, treasurer; Richard Holbein, lion tamer; E. Robert Nolt, tail-twister; Phares Stehman, Earl Stauffer, E. J. Geary, and J. M. Eshleman, directors.

Committee chairmen appointed were: Richard Holbein, B. M. Greider, Gustaf Malmborg, Clyde Mumma, H. J. Mathis, and George Robertson, program; E. J. Geary, attendance; N. L. Bowers, finance; N. N. Baer, membership; E. F. Bailey, Lions education; B. L. Greider, convention; Earl Ginder, sight conservation; William Snavely, boys and girls; Paul Cope, citizenship and patriotism; William S. Ramsey, publicity; J. M. Newcomer, civic improvement; Phares Stehman, community betterment; Arthur Hackman, education; Jay Rowe, health and welfare; H. J. Mathis, safety; Roland Steinmetz, constitution and by-laws.

Grocer's Picnic At Atlantic City Set For July 20

The Grocers' Picnic Excursion to Atlantic City has been arranged by the Picnic Committee for Thursday, July 20. Final arrangements for this annual affair was made last week in Atlantic City by Mr. E. A. Shreiner, General Chairman. Last year approximately 7,000 Lancaster County residents attended.

The Pennsylvania Railroad is making available 7 trains, consisting of 100 railroad coaches, to accommodate the expected crowd.

Other grocers on the committee are as follows:

DIVISION CHAIRMEN — David Erb, Harry E. Ruttew, Ben Ganser, Elmer Zimmerman, Earle N. Stauffer, John Reynolds, and Russell Hershey.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE — John L. Brubaker, Paul B. Clemens, Harry Bomberger, Morris Hershey, D. C. Rettew, Ben Ganser, R. K. Mohler, Leonard Keck, Frank W. Hershey, H. W. Hauck, Lewis Bachman, Ivan Shirk, H. W. (Turn to Page 2)

SOCIAL WELFARE ASSO. GIVES \$1,500 TO COMMUNITY CHEST

The Mount Joy Social Welfare Association decided to donate \$1,500 to the Lancaster Community Chest drive at a meeting in the Scout Building at 8 p.m. Monday.

It was also determined to pay \$500 to a gasoline company as a down payment for an oil burner for the building.

Roy Tyndall appointed John Zink permanent chairman of the playground committee in charge of the Mount Joy Borough Playground. He also appointed the following temporary chairmen: Mrs. Lester Roberts, food and clothing; Charles Heaps, juvenile delinquency; Paul Stehman, building maintenance; Joseph Breneman, medical aid; William Batzel, dental aid; John Zink, campaigns.

BANKS CLOSED TUESDAY

Tuesday, July 4th, a legal holiday, the First National Bank & Trust Co. and the Union National Mt. Joy Bank will be closed to their patrons to observe the day.

80th Annual Camp Meeting July 21-30 At Landisville

The 80th Annual Landisville Camp Meeting will be held July 21 to 30th, in the beautiful grove at Landisville, located on the old Harrisburg Pike, eight miles west of Lancaster. Direction signs will be found along the highway.

The Rev. Dr. Luther H. Ketels, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Lancaster will again serve as the Spiritual Director. The Camp is under the auspices of the Methodist Church but is conducted interdenominational basis. Dr. G. Ernest Thomas, Nashville, Tennessee, of the Department of Evangelism of the Methodist Church, will be the evangelist throughout the week, speaking each night, from the opening Sunday through Saturday.

The Rev. James H. Bailey, pastor of the Broad Street Methodist Church, of Lancaster, will be the Director of Music. He will be assisted by Miss Kathleen B. Stetler and Miss Anna Mary Herr, pianists, and Wayne W. Winters, William E. Portner trumpeter. Outstanding choirs and choruses of Lancaster City and County will appear on the program throughout the Camp Meeting. Among the (Turn to page 3)

The Advantages of A Larger Local High School

This is a second of a series of essays written by Ninth Graders at East Donegal High School.

By Fannie Ruth Musser

Few persons would deny that the improvement of the educational program of our country has been the cause for its success and progress in previous and present years. Since the high school is so unique among the youth educating institutions of the world, we should strive to improve it. If we are to offer the best in high school education, including its various branches, we dare not overlook the size and structure of the building. Here at East Donegal, the limited capacity of our high school building has been a great handicap, thus hindering our educational program.

Let us consider some of the much needed advantages which would be ours with a larger building. With more and larger classrooms, we could use each one for a special purpose. This would enable us to have the equipment for a special (Turn to Page 6)

BEAUM HEADS ROTARY CLUB OBSERVED LADIES NIGHT

A Ladies' Night program and installation of officers was held at a meeting of the Rotary Club Tuesday evening.

The guest speaker was Miss Rebecca Sheffer, English instructor at Millersville State Teachers' College. The program also included vocal solos by Samuel Harnish, Mount Joy, and the presentation of corsages to the women.

The retiring president, Walter Sloan presented Rotary books to the members who had 100 per cent attendance during the year.

The new officers, installed by District Governor William Swain, are: Wilbur Beaum, president; George Keener, vice-president; Ray Wiley, secretary; and Paris Hostetter, treasurer.

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School Calender Arranged By Our Board On Monday

A meeting of the School Board, originally scheduled for July 3rd, but changed due to the holiday, was held Monday evening when the school calendar for the 1950-51 school term was set up.

Because of the Centennial Celebration in the borough next year, it was decided to start the new term on August 30, closing May 29. School Calendar, 1950-51: August 30, Faculty Meeting, 10 a. m., H. S. Library; August 31, Pupils report, 8:03 a. m. Sept. 1, Regular sessions begin; Sept. 4, Labor Day, no school; Oct. 26, 27, County Institute, no school; Oct. 26, 27, Senior Play; Nov. 23, 24, Thanksgiving Vacation; Dec. 22, Xmas Vacation begins at end of school day; Jan. 2, School reconvenes; March 20, Easter Vacation begins at end of school day; March 27, School reconvenes; May 20, Baccalaureate; May 22 or 23, Class Day; May 25, Commencement; May 29, School closes; May 27-30, Mt. Joy Borough Centennial Celebration.

The board decided to purchase 11 new typewriters. It awarded a contract for school supplies to L. B. Herr and Son, Lancaster, at a cost of \$2,492; while a contract for paper towels was awarded to Lancaster Twine and Paper Company.

Approved by the board was a decision to purchase a projector for the school in conjunction with the Student Council which during the past term, has been conducting benefits to raise funds for the projector. The directors agreed to pay half the projector's cost with the Student Council paying the remainder.

Miss Edna Metzler attended her sister as maid of honor. Paul Kraybill served as best man. Ushers were Lester Brubaker and Virgil Lehman.

Following a trip to the Poconos, the couple will live near Chambersburg.

Brief News From The Dailies For Quick Reading

The rent control has been extended for six more months.

Clothing worth \$150 was stolen from a wash line at Lancaster.

A boy 13, and a farmer 49, were killed near Lebanon when a truck hit a trailer.

At Smyrna, Tenn., a farmer's cow fell into a sink hole. She was found six weeks later, 400 pounds lighter.

Charles Reeser, twenty-one, Lancaster, was arrested three times within a year for reckless driving.

The Lancaster County Law and Order Society halted a bingo game at the festival of the Bausman Fire Company Saturday night.

A RARE TREAT FOR ALL THOSE CRIPPLED CHILDREN

We all know how fond children are of small animals, particularly dogs. Can you imagine the big kick those 50 patients at the Elizabethtown Crippled Children's Hospital got when trained dogs from the Pennsylvania State Police barracks entertained them at their annual picnic last Thursday? It was certainly a treat.

ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyle, Rheems, announced the engagement of their daughter, Betty, to Robert L. Lightner, Rheems.

Miss Pyle is employed by W. T. Grant Co., Elizabethtown. Mr. Lightner has just been discharged from the U. S. Air Force after three years service.

WAS REFUSED A PAROLE

Clarence L. Metherell, forty-three, of town, who was sentenced to one to two years on charges of solicitation to commit sodomy was refused a parole by the State Board of Paroles.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Joseph Musser Wolgemuth, Jr., Mount Joy RI, and Ellen Mae Heisey, Conestoga R2.

M. BAILEY HEADS LIONS; SIX MEMBERS HONORED

Maurice Bailey was installed as president of the local Lions Club during last week's meeting at H-stetter's.

Other officers installed are: Morrell Shields, Richard Divet, Robert Brown, vice presidents; Arthur Sprecher, secretary; Robert Schroll, treasurer; Earl Shelly, tail twister; Charles Hershey, lion tamer; Lewis Bixler, William Fitzkee, Lester Mumma and Clyde Mumper, directors.

Six charter members of the club were honored at the session with the presentation of five year perfect attendance pins. They are: Maurice Bailey, Robert Schroll, William Batzell, Charles Eshleman, Paul Shetter and Mahlon Foreman.

Weddings Thruout Our Community During Past Week

The marriage of Miss Joan MaBel Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, Bainbridge, to David Bernard Hockenberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Hockenberry, Bainbridge, was solemnized on Saturday, in the Lutheran parsonage, Maytown. The Rev. Wilbur Allison, pastor of the St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Bainbridge, officiated at the single ring ceremony.

Miss Anna Elizabeth Metzler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Metzler, Manheim R2, and Luke J. Shank, son of the Rev. Harvey Shank, of Chambersburg RI, were married Saturday, in the bride's home. The bridegroom's father officiated.

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Rosemary Aston Eugene R. Pennell

The marriage of Miss Rosemary E. Aston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aston, Columbia and Eugene R. Pennell, son of Mrs. Pauline Pennell, 126 Lumber St., this borough, took place Saturday in Holy Trinity Catholic rectory, Columbia. Father Joseph Lapinski officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Miss Terry Riccio, Columbia, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor.

John Bonner, Columbia, was best man and Leon Lausch, Ephrata, served as usher.

Following a reception at the (Turn to page 5)

A BAINBRIDGE STUDENT WON STEVENS TRADE AWARD

James M. Smith, Bainbridge, won two top awards presented at the 39th annual Commencement exercises at the Stevens Trade School, Sunday afternoon.

He was recipient of the American Legion merit award, and the Theodore Schwalm award for the highest average during his three years in school. Smith is one of the ten highest ranking students in the class, and was graduated in the machinists course. The Legion award was presented by Lawrence Smith, of Manheim Township Post No. 664, and the Schwalm award by John C. Stauffer, superintendent of the school.

LETTERS GRANTED

Elizabeth B. Bowman, 2137 Chestnut St., Harrisburg, and Raymond O. Gilbert, Richboro, executors of the estate of Isaiah D. Stehman, late of Mount Joy.

Susan C. Haines, Mt. Joy R2, administratrix for the estate of Cyrus M. Nissly.

UNION PICNIC AUGUST 1st

The annual picnic of Mount Joy, Florin and Newtown will be held at Hershey Park on Tuesday, August 1st.

A schedule of buses and basket trucks will be announced later.

Our Centennial Celebration On May 27 To 30, '51

A definite date for the community's Centennial Celebration was decided upon during a meeting of the Citizens' Committee held in the high school auditorium.

Charles Eshleman, chairman, presided at the meeting when it was decided to hold the celebration from Sunday, May 27 to Wednesday, May 30, 1951.

Other business included discussions of various suggestions for observing the celebration which included holding special religious services in the local churches on the opening day, a pageant based on the origin and history of Mount Joy and the usual Memorial Day services on the morning of May 30, a parade in the afternoon and a special program and fireworks display in the evening.

However all the suggestions are only tentative, it was reported, with more definite plans to be shaped at future meetings. Chairman Eshleman reported that he will name committees for the celebration at a later date.

About thirty residents attended the session when tentative plans were arranged for printing a Centennial booklet for the celebration, plans of which were begun by the local Chamber of Commerce.

ELIZABETH HUGHES SOCIETY INSTALLS ITS NEW OFFICERS

Mrs. J. W. Heisey, president, and other officers of the Elizabeth Hughes Society were installed at a lawn party held recently at the W. Scott Heisey home, Rheems.

Other officers are: Mrs. Robert Forney, first vice-president; Mrs. Winifred Groff, second vice-president; Miss Erma Heck, recording secretary; Mrs. Galen Kilhefner, corresponding secretary, and Miss Lillian Seibert, treasurer.

Mrs. John Wright, past president, was in charge. Mrs. Walter Shank was named chairman of Girl Scout Activities; Mrs. Frank Alwine, librarian, and Mrs. Niki Myer, publicity chairman.

Donegal Airport News

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hostetter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sherrick flew to Atlantic City for the day last Sunday.

Marlin Young visited Congressional Field at Washington, D. C. during the week.

Ralph Kauffman made a solo cross country trip to Allentown on Sunday afternoon.

Walter Reilly and John Hawthorne made a night cross country flight to Harrisburg and other nearby airports.

Elmer Rice and Paul McMillan flew to Lewistown on business.

Visitors to the Local Field during the week included pilots from Allentown, Palmyra, Rohrerstown, Lancaster, Mountville, Washington, D. C., Ephrata, and Teterboro, New Jersey.

Pilots visiting the Lancaster Airport were: Gilbert Lehman, Lew Baitzler, Robert Brenner, and Al Heisey.

LOCAL MAN TELLS WHY HE PURCHASED P&L STOCK

In a recent issue of an illustrated magazine published by the Pennsylvania Power & Light Company, appears an excellent picture of one of our local mail-carriers, Mahlon C. Foreman.

Mahlon says he invested in P&L stock to help in the expansion of the electric industry. It has provided better living electrically.

NOLTS GARDEN CLUB HOSTS

Thirty-seven members of the Men's Garden Club attended the meeting held Monday evening at the home of Lloyd NoB, Silver Springs, when the host spoke on "Water Gardens." Refreshments were served.

LEFT TO HIS WIFE

The estate of William L. Beamer, late of this borough, was adjudicated in the Orphans' Court. There is \$8,981.00 for distribution among the heirs.

PARAKEET WON FIRST PRIZE AT PET SHOW HELD HERE

A small blue parakeet brought by Mary Jane Meckley won first prize for having the oddest pet at the borough playground show. Jack Zink won first prize for having the biggest pet, a collie; Jeanette Gruber, second with a white collie; Eddie Flory, third with a boxer; Vernon Oberholzer with his tropical fish; Kay Zimmerman with her gold fish, and Priscilla McCane with her turtles won the "smallest pet" awards; and "Bruce" a large collie won first prize for the best trained pet brought by Genevieve Zimmerman with "Queenie" owned by Harold Etzell ranking second.

A nine pound rabbit brought by Lois Rutt won first prize for the best dressed pet in his decorated box; a small dog in a dress and booties brought by Sandy Mater, second prize; and Joan Germer's dog, third. Judging was done by the Rev. W. L. Koder and Mrs. George Albert.

Activities of Our Police Officers

Numerous traffic violations were included in the weekly report of Chief of Police Park Neiss.

Robert H. Bachman, St. Louis, Missouri, paid fine and costs of \$28.00 at an immediate hearing before Justice of the Peace James Hockenberry for a 5% overweight truck.

Florence Lidham, of Chicago, Ill. also paid \$28.50 at an immediate hearing before Hockenberry for a 5% overweight truck.

Albert Lepera, Philadelphia, was summoned before Justice of the Peace Robert K. Brown for improper passing.

Louis Berry, of Jeanette, Penna., and Josephine Darmstetter, Lancaster, were summoned before Brown for red light violations.

Wm. B. Brennau, of Lancaster, and Wm. H. Gardner, of Lewisport, were summoned before Hockenberry for red light violations.

Warren C. Staub, Hummelstown, improper passing and Charles J. Cooser, of Somerset R2, charged with driving 45 miles per hour on Main St., were both summoned before Hockenberry.

Auto Accidents

H. M. Sweitzer, Mt. Joy R2, was arrested by Neiss on a warrant from Hockenberry, on a complaint of hit and run driving signed by Earl Simons of Marietta.

The complaint resulted from an accident involving the two, but at a hearing before Hockenberry the charges were dismissed and Simons paid the costs.

Five hundred and fifty dollars damage to two autos was the result of an accident in front of the shoe factory last week that was investigated by Police Chief Neiss.

John E. Shevenell, of Ocean Drive, N. Y., pulled out from the curb as Christian R. Sherk, Jr., of town, was driving east on Main St. The cars collided and Shirk suffered back and leg injuries. Shevenell's car had \$500 damage to the left side, Shirk's car \$50.00.

THE DRIVE WILL CONTINUE UNTIL GOAL IS REACHED

A total of \$90,094.71 has been raised in the Lancaster General Hospital's annual campaign for charity and replacement funds according to an announcement by Jesse Snavely, Jr., Landisville, General Chairman.

The following groups have reported these sums: The five county areas have contributed a total of \$30,827.12; Corporations, \$22,195; Special Gifts, \$22,699.80; Mercantile \$2,607.50; City House-to-House, \$11,013.99.

Mr. Snavely announced that the drive will continue until all of the work has been completed.

ROSSER CONSTRUCTION HERE LOW BIDDER ON ROAD JOB

The Rosser Construction Co., of this place on Saturday submitted the low bid of \$212,448.39 for a highway job in Tioga county.

The work is 2.49 miles long on Route 84 in Lawrence township.

The Local News For The Past Week Very Briefly Told

A thief broke a window and stole six wrist watches at a Lancaster Jewelry Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zerphey, Jr., are touring the New England States and Canada this week.

Wayne L. Haldeman, forty-seven of Manheim, said two hitch-hikers robbed him of \$30 but the police won't believe his story.

Four persons, three of them volunteer firemen, were injured when the West Willow fire truck drove thru a stop sign onto Route 72 on its way to a fire.

Ivan B. Sheaffer, sixty-three, near Bareville, fell off a ladder and fractured his leg. Several years ago he was hit by an auto and fractured his other leg.

FX-RANCHER'S TACTICS ARE GOOD RAT EXTERMINATORS

Fx-rancher Cappy Kaplan, at Florin, keeps right on corralling four leaved animals, but his eastern methods differ from the west. He's concocted a better rat trap and the rodents beat a path to his door.

As proof we saw several night catches, one thirty-six and one twenty-two.

His method is simple in the extreme, yet it works night after night. In the bottom of an empty 50-gal. oil drum, he puts several inches of corn. Then the barrel is placed against the wall of the chicken house, just where an enclosed rafter makes an easy walk-up for the rats. When they reach the barrel top they jump in to eat corn and the height of the barrel prevents their exit.

Execution of the squirming fighting mass is carried out by Cappy and Tom Bronson, his capable partner, who "Jasso" the individuals with a loop of wire, attached to a broom stick, thereby giving a quick pull and choking the critters.

Week's Birth Record

Mr. and Mrs. G. Walter Sloan, of town, a daughter at the General Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stauffer, Maytown, a daughter Monday at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson H. Bender, of Landisville, a daughter at the General Hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Nissley, 301 North Barbara Street, a son, Wednesday at Lancaster General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard L. Safko, 18 West Main St., announced the birth of a son, Thomas Eugene, on Wednesday morning at the St. Joseph's Hospital, Lancaster.

Mrs. Safko will be remembered as Miss Eulene Kulp.

FRIDAY IS BABY DAY AT THE PLAYGROUND

Mrs. Robert Ziegler, who conducts girls' activities at the local playground, has obtained permission to display the finished products of the craft work program in the office windows of Dr. M. F. Giambalvo, on East Main St.

Wednesday, children from the Marietta playground visited the local children and a boys and girls baseball games were played.

Friday schedules a special event. It will be Baby Day and the children enrolled at the playground will bring their tiny sisters, brothers or the neighbors' babies.

Prizes will be awarded for the oldest, youngest, largest, smallest, fatest and cutest. This should prove to be a very amusing event.

E. HEMPFIELD SCHOOL BOARD HAS TRAILER TAX

A second township has taken final action in approving a \$2 monthly tax on families who live in trailers and are not subject to the real estate levy.

The E. Hempfield Twp. School Board stamped final approval on a trailer tax. It will go into effect in 30 days.

John W. Swarr, School Board secretary, said the levy will yield between \$1,000 and \$1,500 annually on 75 trailers in the township.

J. Wilmer Heisey Guest Speaker At Cross Roads

The Young People's Society of the Cross Roads Brethren in Christ Church had as their guest speaker Sunday night, J. Wilmer Heisey, who with his wife and son just returned from the Philippines where they spent 3 1/2 years in relief service under the MCC.

Mrs. Heisey, who was formerly Miss Velma Climenhaga of Kinderhook, Saskatchewan is a graduate of the Niagara Falls Hospital, Ontario, also spoke to the children. She explained to them the customs of the Philippino and demonstrated to them with their 11 month old son, Paul, how the children carry their little brothers or sisters while at play.

Mr. Heisey and Mr. Robert Smith of Grantham, landed at Manilla on November 2, 1946. They started work at Bangued, Abra Province on Luzon Island. Here they made a survey to determine needy places (Turn to Page 3)

Local Realty Sales In This Vicinity Made Recently

There were a number of realty transactions thruout this vicinity recently as appended:

S. Nissley Gingrich sold a dwelling on the North side, Donegal Springs Road, for Clarence Heane to Robert Flick.

C. W. Hoover, Columbia RI, sold a building lot at 4th and Poplar streets, Columbia, to Oliver Sager, Bainbridge RI.

Oliver Sager, Bainbridge RI, sold a dwelling in Florin to Harry Derr.

Clayton Newcomer, proprietor of Newcomer's Service Station here, has purchased at private sale and private terms all the land of the Mount Joy Roquet Club on the North side of Columbia Avenue. The Roquet Club will continue as heretofore but Mr. Newcomer contemplates the erection of a spacious garage in the rear in which to house his present bus as well as another larger one he expects to purchase.

Mr. John D. Roland, who tenants one of the Cameron farms at Donegal Springs, recently purchased a 30-acre farm from Henry C. Carpenter of town. This was the former Nissley farm and is located at the old Ramsey toll gate, on the Maytown and Elizabethtown road, in East Donegal township. The purchaser will take possession in July. The terms of the sale were private.

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