

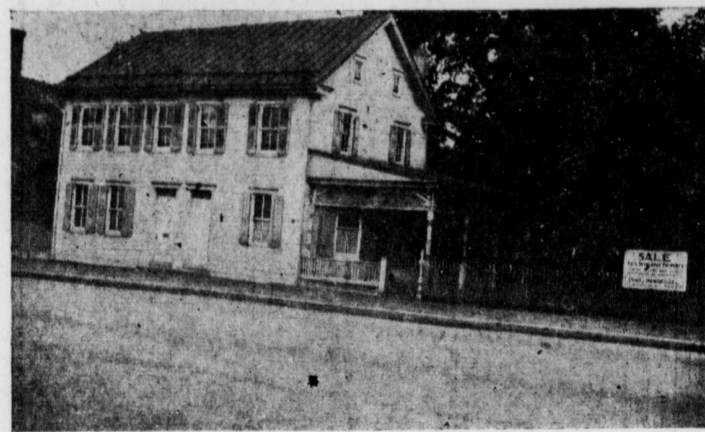
The Mount Joy Bulletin

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\$2.00 a Year in Advance

Modern Gas Station Will Replace Ancient West Main St. Dwelling



This Property In Kuhn Family for 95 years

More than a month ago when it was real news, The Bulletin published an article stating that the Kuhn property on the South side of West Main street, may be replaced by a gas station. Well now its a reality.

fronting 95 feet on Main street and extending in depth to Henry street, to the Atlantic Refining Company. This was the property of the nieces and nephews of the Anna Schwenker Estate. The transaction was closed Monday and the purchasers took immediate possession. The terms of the sale were private.

Thousands At Our Farm Show Here Last Week

Mount Joy's big annual farm show for 1950 is now a matter of record and we have every reason to believe that all who in any way assisted deserve a share of the credit for its success.

The only unpleasant feature was the weather but in spite of occasional showers, plus cool cloudy weather, everybody made the best of it.

The show opened Thursday and most important was the agricultural angle, with emphasis on livestock and vegetables.

There was a slight mishap Thursday night when a strong wind blew down a Main Street banner causing a short circuit in the lighting. The street lights were out for about three hours until repairs were made.

The Cora Queen Brunette Mary Ella Stauffer, of Manheim RI, was chosen corn queen of the 29th annual Community Exhibit.

Miss Stauffer, a senior at Manheim (Turn to page 6)

Prize Money To Be Awarded In Lions Parade

When you drive through the country one of these fine crisp mornings and see the silver spangles of frost on orange pumpkins, it's easy to realize that the Mount Joy Halloween parade on October 31st, is less than two weeks away.

The Mile-of-Pennies campaign has reached a total of 1400 feet. If you have pennies to contribute, kindly contact any Lion.

The parade will form at 6:30 p.m. at the Grade school and start at 7:30 p. m. and will be followed by free entertainment at the high school. There is a total of thirty-five prizes.

First division: Children up to and including the fifth grade; Second division: Children from the sixth grade up to and including the twelfth grade; Third Division: Anyone over high school age. Prizes are similar. Each of these divisions has nine prizes. There are first, second, and third prizes for the most comical, the most original and the fanciest. First prize \$5.00, 2nd, (Turn to page 3)

Was Crowned Corn Queen for 1950



Miss Mary Ella Stauffer, Manheim RI, a senior student at the Manheim High School and representative of the Lititz-Manheim

Co. Chest Drive Chairmen For This Locality

The various chairmen for the coming Community Chest Campaign have been named. Those in this immediate vicinity are:

Mount Joy, W. L. Tyndall, chairman. Conoy Township, Mrs. Florence Wilhelm, Bainbridge, chairman; Vincenz O'Conner, Bainbridge, advisor.

East Donegal Township, Aldus Hannan, Maytown, chairman; H. B. Endslo, Marietta RI, advisor.

West Donegal Township, Dr. Philip P. Metzger, Elizabethtown RI, chairman; Mrs. W. Scott Heisey, Rheems, advisor.

East Hempfield Township, H. Melvin Binkley, East Petersburg, chairman; Walter M. Ernst, East Petersburg, co-chairman.

Landisville, John M. Herr, chairman; Mrs. Kendig Minnich, Salunga, co-chairman; George A. Shenck, Landisville, advisor.

Mount Joy Township, Elmer F. Grouff, Rheems, chairman; Paul M. Hess, Elizabethtown R3, co-chairman; Linneaus W. Longenecker, Mount Joy R2, advisor.

Rapho Township (North of Route 230), William R. Witmeyer, Manheim R3, chairman; Elam B. Longenecker, Manheim RI, co-chairman; Mrs. Anna Rohrer Zock, Manheim R2, advisor.

THEY LOST THEIR DRIVING PRIVILEGES LAST WEEK

Thirty-one motorists had their cards withdrawn by the State Bureau of Safety last week. Those from this locality were:

Speeding: Henry W. Harsh, Manheim R2; Esther B. Daily, Elizabethtown and John D. Ressler, Mount Joy R2.

Failure to appear for a hearing: Claude S. Brubaker, Elizabethtown R2.

John Gable Will Speak To Schools Armistice Day

Trustees of the W. S. Ebersole American Legion Post will meet Tuesday with an architect to plan for the enlargement of the post home kitchen.

Other improvements discussed were for the parking lot and men's room.

The post decided to give one hundred feet of pennies to the local Lions Club Mile of Pennies drive for financing the Mount Joy Halloween celebration.

A Halloween costume party was planned for members and friends on Friday evening, October 27, with cash prizes for costumes. There will be orchestra music for dancing. All members are invited.

Brief Cases will be purchased for the use of the finance officer and adjutant.

John Gable, chaplain, will be the speaker at the Mount Joy high school Nov. 10 at 2 p.m. At this time, the post will present copies of the "History of the American Legion" to the high school and grade school libraries. The high school band and glee club will present musical selections.

Armistice Day services will be held Sunday, November 12, at the Methodist Church.

THE GRANDVIEW SCHOOL MADE LIFE MAGAZINE

Mt. Joy Township's famed Grandview school not only "made" Life magazine by burning to the ground, but Texas and California newspapers.

Mrs. Robert Rindt, of Bellflower, California, the former Louise Baker, of town, sent a clipping to her mother, Mrs. Wesley Wittle, that was taken from the September 26 issue of the Long Beach, California Press.

SUES FOR DIVORCE

Complaint in divorce: John F. Fox, Jr., twenty-one, 146 E. Vine Street, vs. Marion F. Fox, twenty-two, Mount Joy R2; fraud; married September 23, 1950.

Grand Champion



This is Smokey, the Aberdeen Angus steer entered by Ray Miller, eighteen, of Manheim R2, who walked off with the grand championship award of the show. It will be entered in the district 4-H club roundup to be held at the Lancaster stockyards in December and finally at the State Farm Show, Harrisburg, in January.

Brief News From The Dailies For Quick Reading

There were 945 traffic deaths on Penna. highways the first eight months this year.

A robber smashed a window at Kay's Jewelry store, Lancaster, and stole 37 watches.

The manufacturers jumped the price of newsprint \$10 per ton effective immediately.

Navy and Marine Corps casualties in Korea totaled 2,958 thru October 12, the Navy revealed.

A 74-year-old Palmyra woman got lost in the woods at Indiantown Gap. She was found next day.

At Lancaster the police arrested a man driving a car and drinking a bottle of beer at the same time.

Two York men rented a motorboat, it capsized in the river below Accomac and both were drowned.

Walter Troxel, 36, Ephrata Motorcycle racer, was killed on the Reading Fair grounds when he ran into the fence.

Mayor Bare, of Lancaster, has been called into the service and has successfully passed all his physical examinations.

Duncannon is having such a squabble about its electric power that four councilmen resigned after a recent meeting.

While on a hike in the woods two Phila. men found 4,906 pounds of coffee in cartons and boxes. No wonder it's so high in price.

Activities of Our Police Officers

Saturday night Chief of Police Park Neiss arrested Arlington Blantz, S. Barbara St., on a disorderly conduct charge. At a hearing before Squire James Hockenberry he paid the costs.

Neiss arrested William Stohler, of town, on an assault and battery charge brought by Paul Hershey, East Main St. At a hearing before Hockenberry, Stohler paid the costs Hershey's doctor bill and loss of time.

Police officer Mike Good arrested Delbert Flowers on a disorderly charge. At a hearing before Squire Robert K. Brown, Flowers paid \$10.00 fine and costs.

Overweight truck operators prosecuted were: Thomas Andears, of Akron, Ohio, 8,000 lbs. overweight and Darvin Fox, New Vienna 18,000 lbs. overweight. Both drivers will be summoned for hearings before Hockenberry.

THERE'LL BE A DOE SEASON

The State Game Commission has ruled in spite of objections there will be a two day doe season this Fall, November 27-28.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Benjamin Musser Forry, of Manheim R2 and Anna Miller Espenshade, Mount Joy R2.

Mrs. H. Brown Heads American Legion Auxiliary

Mrs. Howard Brown was installed as president of the W. S. Ebersole, Post 185 Auxiliary American Legion last week. Miss Maude Schneider becomes vice president; Mrs. Gwendolyn Graybill, secretary; Mrs. Edward Brown, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Bennett, Sr., treasurer; Mrs. Mae Grubb, chaplain; and Miss Jean Grubb, sergeant-at-arms.

Mrs. Brown appointed these committee chairmen: Mrs. Marlin Sinegar, membership; Mrs. Edwin Hoffmaster, sick; Mrs. J. H. Cooper, coupons; Mrs. Harold Bender, child welfare; Mrs. Lee Ellis, entertainment; Mrs. Joseph Germer, historian; Mrs. Ruth Rineer, poppies; Mrs. Frank Germer, Pan American; Mrs. Lee Ellis, Americanism; and Mrs. Thomas Bronson, rehabilitation.

A card party has been planned for Monday evening, Nov. 20 at the post home. The group decided to give a ward party at the Coatesville Veterans' Hospital, November 8; to give \$10 to the Community Chest and \$3 to the Mt. Joy Branch of the Needlework Guild of America.

POLE BROKEN WHEN HIT BY TRUCK NEAR TOWN

A telephone pole was broken off when hit by a heavy truck trailer on the Harrisburg Pike, a short distance east of the boro Thursday afternoon.

John Falls, twenty-nine, Allegheny County, told State Police that his truck skidded on the mud covered road when he tried to stop to avoid hitting a passenger car. No person was hurt.

DONALD MOWRER, WAS THE QUIZ CONTEST WINNER

Donald Mowrer, senior, was the Pennsylvania Quiz Contest Winner at East Donegal. Such contests are held in each high school in the county. The winners will be the guests of the retail merchants of Lancaster at a luncheon to be held at the Hotel Brunswick, October 21.

Our Public Schools Obser'd Pa. Week

Representative Walter Bomberger, Manheim, was the speaker for the Pennsylvania Week program in the high school Wednesday afternoon. The program featured three Pennsylvania Dutch setting skits, Going to the Store, with Darlene Schneider and Ralph Berrier; Home from Market, Mae Zink and Miriam Tyndall; and Going to the Fair, Carol Smith, Richard Nissley, Doris Melhorn, Donald Zerphey and Norma Nentwig. Shirley Wade did a monologue, Visit from Aunt Fannie.

Mary Grace Bucher sang a soprano solo accompanied by Nancy Brooks. The ninth grade, sponsoring the program, sang Pennsylvania Dutch songs in dialect. Miss Helen Alexander, Mrs. Lewis Williams and George Houck were in charge. Charles Mayer, freshman president, was the announcer and devotions were in charge of Constance Lane.

LETTERS GRANTED

Union National Mt. Joy Bank, Mount Joy, administrator of the Estate of Anna Mary W. Gible, late of Columbia.

Elwood K. Gerber, E. Donegal Twp., Laverna M. Spittler, Mt. Joy, and Irvin K. Gerber, Elizabethtown, executors of the estate of Christian S. Gerber.

NATIVE OF TOWN NAMED CAPTAIN FOR STATE GUARD

Word was received here that John E. Eshleman, son of Harry E. Eshleman of town, was named commanding officer of Greensburg's Company I of the Pennsylvania State Guard. He will be commissioned with the rank of Captain.

John's many friends here will be pleased to learn of his appointment.

RUMMAGE SALE THIS WEEK

The WSCS of the Methodist Church will hold a rummage sale in the Sunday School room this Friday evening and Saturday all day. Bring your rummage to the church Thursday evening for marking. Remember the dates, this Friday and Saturday, October 20 and 21. You are invited to come in and look around.

CARDS RETURNED TO 18

Thirty-eight motorists lost their driving privileges last week but none of them were from this vicinity. Among the cards restored was Paul Earhart, Jr., Mount Joy R2.

Ann'l Leadership Training Confer. At Maytown

The Lancaster County Vocational Agriculture Teachers announced at the September meeting that the annual Leadership Training Conference would be held in the high school at Maytown, October 25. The Conference will be for the officers of the FFA Chapters in York, Adams and Lancaster Counties. An estimated group of 200 is expected to attend.

Last year the conference was held in the York YMCA building. The program will begin with lunch in the high school cafeteria, followed by a meeting in the gymnasium where the chapter officers will hear a series of talks on leadership. Later they will be broken down into smaller groups and sent to special rooms in the school where they will hear and participate in discussions dealing with the responsibilities of the various FFA Officers. These discussions will be led by instructors of agriculture from the 3 counties.

The evening program will include a banquet under the direction of Mrs. Robert Slaugh, East Donegal Home Economics Teacher, followed by a program to be announced later. Mr. Thomas Marlin, Area Supervisor of Vocational Agriculture in Lancaster and York Counties, Dr. J. W. Bingham, Supervising Principal at East Donegal and Mr. Gene Love, Vocational Agriculture Supervisor at East Donegal will be in charge of the Conference.

Local Realty Sales In This Vicinity Made Recently

These real estate sales were made in this locality during the past week:

Peifer Property The two and one-half story frame dwelling, corner of New Haven and West Donegal Street, Mount Joy, was sold at public sale on Saturday afternoon for Carl D. Peifer to Mr. Paul Hostetter for \$7,950.00. C. S. Frank was the auctioneer.

The Miller Property A tract of land containing two acres and 26 perches, located on a road leading to the Salunga-Chestnut Hill Road was offered for sale Saturday by the First National Bank and Trust Company of Mt. Joy, executor of Harry H. Miller's estate. It was sold to Hiram Strickler, who lives on the adjoining property, for \$10,100.

The improvements consist of a two and one-half story frame house, frame barn with space for two acres of tobacco, and other farm buildings. C. S. Frank was the auctioneer.

Farm Brings \$17,925 J. Quentin Buckwalter, near Neffsville, paid \$17,925 for a Rapho township farm of 52 acres, located on the road leading from Union Square to Mount Joy, at public sale held by Allen H. Hoffer, Tuesday afternoon.

The farm contains a frame dwelling, frame bank barn with tobacco shed and corn barn attached, poultry and brooder houses. There are facilities to house seven acres of tobacco.

The Local News For The Past Week Very Briefly Told

The First Methodist Church at Marietta is celebrating its 120th anniversary.

Six of the eleven places raided at Columbia recently will get 25 days suspension each.

Seventeen Posts thruout the county will participate in the first air raid test on November 4.

Emanuel Lutheran Church at Brickerville celebrated its 225th anniversary last Sunday.

Arthur Connor, eighteen, Manheim R4, was arrested for burglarizing the Eugene White general store.

Elizabethtown boro council will sell four properties at sheriff's sale for the payment of delinquent taxes.

Three teen-aged Columbia girls were apprehended for defacing the public comfort station there with lipstick.

Manor Twp. has organized an authority to build a new \$200,000 consolidated school building at Cresswell.

The new East Hempfield elementary school near Rohrerstown, is expected to be ready for occupancy January 1.

Marietta boro will adopt a trailer ordinance. The minimum is \$12 for each six months or any portion thereof, payable in advance.

Rev. McGregor Presbyterian Pastor Going To Camden

At the 64th quarterly session of the Presbytery of Donegal, at the Donegal Presbyterian Church at Donegal Springs, Tuesday, the Presbytery confirmed dissolution of the pastoral relations between the Rev. Thomas A. McGregor and the Donegal and Mount Joy Churches, effective November 1.

He will move to Camden, N. J., in November. Rev. John H. Thompson, Marietta, was named moderator of the sessions of Mount Joy and Donegal Churches. Candidates will be heard for a successor to the Rev. Mr. McGregor.

A minimum salary of \$2700 for pastors, with manse, vacation and pension plan, was set.

A resolution passed at the session directed that no call be found in order which does not contain this provision; provided that a man serving a multiple church field be granted a total salary of \$2700 from all churches which he serves.

Former minimum was \$2400. The new minimum does not effect contracts already in force, it was announced.

The all-day session was attended by 75 persons. The women of Donegal Church served the noonday meal.

Mortuary Record Throughout This Entire Locality

Jacob F. Wetzel, eighty-seven, at Columbia.

Mrs. Fannie Shelly Hessler, seventy-eight, widow of John Hessler, at Manheim.

Myrtle Viola, wife of Romanus Brackbill, at Strasburg aged sixty-one. She was a daughter of Charles and Catherine Reeder Foese, of Perry County.

Mrs. Harvey E. Bard

Mrs. Christiana L. Bard, sixty-one, wife of Harvey E. Bard, died at her Ironville home, Columbia RI, Tuesday of a cerebral hemorrhage.

She was born in West Hempfield Twp., a daughter of the late Ferris and Barbara Stoll Linkey.

Surviving are her husband, a sister, Katie, wife of Frederick Helfrich, Ironville, and two nephews. (Turn to Page 4)

ONE LOCAL LAD IN BASTILE; BROTHER AT ROTARY HOME

State Policeman Cpl. Mark Morgan and Pfc. Paul Sheppard, of the Lancaster barracks and Chief of Police Park Neiss, Wednesday arrested Thomas and Robert McGregor, of this place, for operating a truck without the consent of the owner. The truck belonged to A. H. Hoffman, Inc., Landisville.

Thomas was committed to the county prison and Robert to the Rotary Home to await Juvenile Court.

Both boys are free on bail from a previous charge.

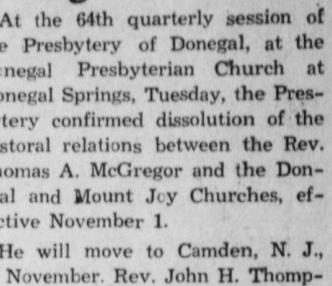
Week's Birth Record

Mr. and Mrs. John Landvater, Landisville, a son at the General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rinehart, 228 N. Barbara street, a son at the General Hospital.

CALL SPECIAL MEETING Members of the Citizens Committee of the Centennial Celebration for 1951 will hold a special meeting at 7:30 p. m. Monday, Oct. 23, in the high school. The chairman is Charles Eshleman.

Soap Box Derby Winner-Runnerup



On the left Joe Hosterter, winner of the Derby with Kenneth Wittle, on the right, runner-up. Of course you all know Joe Shaeffer, center, who was in charge of the Derby.