

Severe Rain And Wind Storm In This Section Sat.

While many places are digging themselves out of the snow, others recovering from the floods and storm, this section was, in a sense, lucky on Saturday.

During Saturday night and all day Sunday the streams hereabouts, particularly the Little Chickies went on a rampage and while they overflowed their banks there was very little damage from water.

At Florin, a tree one and one-half feet in diameter fell over on the auto of James Maderia, of Florin, while it was parked in the street.

However, in the Florin area large display signs were knocked over along the highway.

The roofs of two barns and the roof of one home was ripped off by wind at Ironville.

Truck Driver Is Fined \$25 After Striking An Auto

An automobile was damaged to the extent of about \$900 and a truck driver was charged with reckless driving after a collision on Route 30, about a mile and a half west of Lancaster, about 6:05 p.m. Friday.

Police said a tractor-trailer truck driven by Earl R. Shoof, twenty-four, 12 W. Main St., this boro and owned by Motor Freight Express, of York, was proceeding East when Shop lost control and the truck collided with a convertible coupe driven West by John L. Kiefer, twenty-six, Lancaster R2.

Following the crash, police said, the truck careened into the drive of a gasoline service station operated by C. E. Goss, narrowly missing gasoline pumps and a building.

Taken before Justice of the Peace Charles Sheeler, Rohrerstown, on a charge of reckless driving, Shop paid a fine of \$25 and costs.

Police said the car was damaged to the extent of about \$900, while the tractor truck had to be replaced with another before the rig could proceed.

FALLING TREE BRANCHES DISRUPT ELECTRIC SERVICE

Mount Joy, Florin, Salunga, Landisville, Centerville, Mastersonville and the adjoining area were without electric power Friday from 3:19 to 3:38 p.m.

Clyde Oberholzer, PP&L supervisor of the area, said that the cause of the failure was a broken line on the Rohrerstown-Centerville road, where tree limbs fell over the wires.

OPENING OF SUPER HIGHWAY RELIEVES TRAFFIC HERE

There is a very noticeable difference in traffic, particularly large trucks, thru here since the opening of the super highway one week ago.

Shoppers throughout this community will be given an excellent opportunity to make their Christmas shopping an easy task, through the efforts of the Retail Committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

Merchants throughout the town have prepared special Christmas advertisements, listing the large quantities of merchandise they have stocked for your buying convenience.

These advertisements will appear in the December 7th issue of The Bulletin and will serve as your shopping guide.

At this time the stores will also announce their dates for evening shopping as well as Wednesday afternoons.

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

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Mortuary Record Throughout This Entire Locality

John E. Alexander, sixty-two, at Manheim.

Mrs. Anna M. Stauffer, eighty-six, at Elizabethtown.

Clayton O. Mull, seventy-six, Columbia R2, at the General Hospital.

Mrs. Sarah S. Hoffer, seventy-three, wife of Amos Hoffer on Colebrook Road.

Mrs. Mary E. Collins

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Collins, sixty-eight, wife of Paul A. Collins, Littletown, Adams County, died at 8:40 a.m. Thursday while visiting at the home of a son, Willis L. Collins, 210 S. Barbara St., this boro, after a several hours' illness.

Mrs. Elizabeth Keller

Mrs. Elizabeth Keller, seventy-eight, former resident of Elizabethtown, died at her home in Schuylkill Haven, Friday.

Her husband, Franklin B. Keller, a prominent banker and manufacturer in Schuylkill Haven, died July 17th of this year.

Born in Florin, a daughter of the late Isaac N. S. and Elizabeth Will, she was a member of the First Church of the Brethren, Philadelphia. She is survived by several nieces and nephews in Lancaster County.

Alvin H. Demmy

Alvin H. Demmy, sixty-six, Bainbridge R1, died suddenly Thursday while visiting a friend, Washington Fuhrman, Bainbridge R1. It was learned that Demmy, after having (Turn to page 3)

Bainbridge Church Observed Its 123 Anniversary

The Ludwig Methodist Church observed its 123rd anniversary at a special service on Sunday with Dr. Alexander K. Smith, west district superintendent in the Philadelphia Conference, as the speaker.

The pastor, the Rev. Gerald F. Crowell, Jr., conducted the worship service and music was provided by soloists from the choir with Mrs. Edwin S. Smith as the organist.

The church was founded about the year 1827 when a group of Methodists erected their first church on the site now occupied by St. Luke's Lutheran Church.

In 1844 a one-story frame building was built on Race Street to house the congregation. By 1866 the growth of the congregation called for a remodeling of the building and the addition of a new Sunday school room.

Weddings Thruout Our Community During Past Week

Miss Gertrude E. Eppley, daughter of Mrs. Cora E. Eppley, 422 E. Orange St., Lancaster, and the late John J. Eppley, and Ralph H. Whye, Florin, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Whye, Maytown, were married Saturday in the parsonage of the Maytown Lutheran Church.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Geyer, Florin, niece and nephew of the bridegroom, attended the couple. Following a wedding trip to New York, they will live at Florin. The bride is employed by the Armstrong Cork Co., and the bridegroom, at Middletown Air Dept.

Thelma Kreiner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Kreiner, Manheim R2, and William Rider, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rider, 109 W. Main Street, this boro, were married in the Methodist Church here, by the Rev. A. P. Geib, uncle of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Robert C. Pike. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

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FORTY AUTO DRIVERS LOST THEIR CARDS LAST WEEK

Forty motorists from this section of the state lost their driving privileges last week because they violated our motor laws.

Among them were the following: Reckless driving, Annie C. Horner, Mount Joy.

I. M. Wolgemuth, Mount Joy R1 had his license restored.

OFFICE WILL BE MOVED TO COLUMBIA; HERE 20 YEARS

The district office of the Penna. Power & Light Company, which was located here for the past twenty years, will be moved to Columbia January 1st.

The office is located in the S. H. Miller building on West Main St. This entire store room and office is now being offered for rent.

BACK RUN PUPILS MAKE 59 NATIONS' FLAGS—STUDY U. N.

The seventh and eighth grades of the Back Run School in Rapho Township, have completed a United Nations project.

Explaining the six main divisions of the U. N. the General Assembly, Security Council, Trusteeship Council, International Court of Justice, Social and Economic Council and the Secretariat.

With the help of the fifth and sixth grades they made flags of the 59 Nations. Members and children from all grades contributed foreign made articles from China, India, Japan, Netherland, Great Britain, Spain, Italy etc.

Future work on the project includes making a United Nations flag and the continuation of a scrap book, started in September.

ROTARIANS HEAR MAGAZINE REPORT BY 3 MEMBERS

Clyde Eshleman, chairman of the magazine committee, was the speaker at the local Rotary Club meeting at noon Tuesday at Hostetter's, Mr. Eshleman, James Heilig and John Booth reported on the "Rotarian" magazine. The Christmas Party of the club will be held December 19. Wilbur Beahm, president, was in charge.

Thirty-one members were present. Numerous clubmen will attend the Triplet Meeting at Elizabethtown College, Thursday evening at 5:30 p.m.

MOUNT JOY'S CENTENNIAL STAMP TO BE USED FRIDAY

The Centennial cancelling stamp will go into effect this Friday at 6 a.m. it was announced by the postmaster, Charles Bennett, Jr. The stamp will contain three lines stating, "Mount Joy, Pa., Centennial, 1851-1951."

Thus far, approximately 600 letters have been received to be cancelled on the first run. They include letters from all the states, Canada, Alaska, Hawaii, and Mexico. The stamp will be used until June 1, 1951.

BUSINESS TRIP TO FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Balsbaugh, E. Main Street, will leave early Sunday morning for Leesburg, in the Indian River section of Florida, where they will purchase citrus fruits for the holiday season at Hess' store.

Brief News From The Dailies For Quick Reading

The Winter Antique Show will be held at Hershey, December 4 to 7th inclusive.

Lancaster had its second bad fire within a week. Thanksgiving morning, there was a \$15,000 blaze at the Wonder Bar Cafe.

Seventy-seven persons were killed in a railroad wreck on the Long Island R. R.

189 persons were killed thruout the nation over the Thanksgiving holiday.

The Susquehanna river was higher at Safe Harbor Monday than at anytime in history.

A Reading fireman dropped dead fighting a fire.

A blast on the Texas-to-New York natural gas pipe line at King of Prussia, rocked the fertile farm area there for several miles in all directions.

Offering Prizes For Best Xmas Holiday Display

Don't forget folks of the local communities of Mount Joy and Florin, the Lions Club of Mount Joy are again as in previous years, offering a series of prizes for the best Christmas display that will be put up for the Holiday Season.

The Lions would like to have this locality one of the best decorated sections and we feel sure that the people of this section will help in trying to make it so. Start digging up your ideas and I am sure this year will be just as good as in previous years, or even better.

There will be three prizes for Churches \$10.00 first, \$7.50 second, and \$5.00 for third prize.

Business places will also receive three prizes \$10. first \$7.50 second, and \$5.00 for third prize.

Bucket Shower Bath Featured 1851 Farm Show

A Shower Bath, using only a bucket of water to keep it going twenty-four hours without interruption; suitable for the bedroom.

Such a gadget was "the last word in luxurious appointments" for the home of 100 years ago, but it strikingly illustrates the progress that has been made during the first Pennsylvania State Fair in 1851 and the 35th Pennsylvania Farm Show in Harrisburg, January 8-12.

The shower bath was one of the many unusual exhibits at the State Fair along the Susquehanna River at Harrisburg on October 29-31, 1851. Among other non-agricultural exhibits were "metallic burial cases" and "ladies black riding hats," according to an 1851 report of the first fair sponsored by the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society following its organization in January 1851.

In contrast, the 1951 State Farm Show, in observing the Centennial of the old State Fair, will have approximately 11,000 competitive exhibits of Pennsylvania farm products, the latest types of farm machinery and equipment for operating modern farms, all kinds of farm and home supplies and appliances, farm youth programs and what promises to be the best livestock and poultry shows in the history of the 20th Century type of educational aid to agriculture.

Week's Birth Record

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald B. Arntz, a son, Randall, at the Lancaster General Hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Madera, of Florin, a daughter at St. Joseph Hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. McComey, Florin, a son Sunday at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Engle Jr., of Arlington, Va. announce the birth of a son, November 27. Mrs. Engle is the former Bernice Metzler of town. Mr. Engle is a former resident of Millersville.

THESE LOCAL MEN LISTED BY BOARD 83 FOR TESTS

Draft Board No. 83 will call for tests the following young men from this vicinity.

John K. Breneman, 279 Marietta Street; Joseph N. Habecker, 120 Delta Street and Robert W. Marks, 371 N. Barbara Street, this boro; Harold L. Ober, Manheim R2; William H. Beach, Landisville; Harry S. Leedon, Rheids; N. Stanley Ginder, Mt. Joy R1.

Two Community Farms Were Sold At Public Sale

Two farms, one of 195 acres, the other 118 acres, were sold at public sale during the past week.

The 195-acre farm in Conewago Twp., Dauphin County, on the Deodote road was sold Friday afternoon by Walter A. Herr, to Jacob Swipe, Elizabethtown R1, for \$22,000.

Improvements consisted of a two and one-half story brick and frame house with all improvements and a frame bank barn.

G. K. Wagner, auctioneer, said that Herr purchased the farm one year ago for \$15,800 and improved it considerably.

State Harvested Banner Tobacco Crop This Year

In spite of a rather dark outlook at the beginning of the 1950 season when planting was seriously delayed, Pennsylvania tobacco farmers this year have harvested 61,415,000 pounds of cigar leaf tobacco, approximately three million pounds more than last year and 10 million pounds higher than the 10 year average, 1939-48.

Following a recent Federal-State survey, the State Department of Agriculture reports that the harvest of type 41 tobacco in Lancaster and adjoining counties continued well into October, much later than usual. Some crops that were cut late were not fully ripe though the leaf was of good size and weight.

A warm, humid September aided curing of early cut tobacco. The high humidity, damp mornings, with little air moving during most of October was unfavorable for curing late crops. Although many growers report considerable rust was on the leaves when put into the drying sheds and pole burn is prevalent in some areas, the quality of the 1950 tobacco crop, as a whole, is good.

Type 53 tobacco, grown in north-central Pennsylvania, had an average cure due largely to the fact that very little was cut late in the season. Production of this type is estimated at 810,000 pounds or 5,000 pounds greater than in 1949.

Personal Mention

Mr. James M. Brubaker, a teacher at Hatfield, Pa., spent Thanksgiving here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brubaker, Mt. Joy R1.

Mrs. Lee Ellis and daughters Joyce and Mrs. Eugene Grove spent a few days in New York City last week, and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shank and family in Brooklyn.

Miss Jacquie Hendrix, Miss Melissa Strickler and Miss Margaret Kramer spent Wednesday to Sunday at Camp LeJeune, Jacksonville, North Carolina, where they visited Marine Sgt. John Matoney, of Harrisburg, Pfc. Leo Badalow, of Detroit, Michigan, and Pfc. Jack Whaley, of Marion, Ohio.

FAT COLLECTION SATURDAY

The Fat Collection which was postponed Saturday due to bad weather will be collected this Saturday morning beginning at 9 a. m. Girl Scouts in Mt. Joy and Florin will sponsor the collection in both towns.

SHOWING OF NEW 1951 CHEVROLET, SAT. DECEMBER 9

First showing of the new 1951 Chevrolet in this area will take place on Saturday, December 9, at the showroom of Newcomer Motors, Inc. it was announced today by C. S. Newcomer.

An all-day and evening open house will introduce the new car to district residents at the same time the 1951 model is making its bow in other Chevrolet dealerships throughout the country.

Record crowds again are expected to attend the new car premier amid a gala program of "opening day" festivities, which will highlight the 1951 design of Chevrolet passenger cars and trucks.

"We have planned our open house program so that local residents will have the opportunity of inspecting the 1951 Chevrolet as it makes its national debut. We feel that Chevrolet has reached new highs in this product and we welcome everyone to see at first hand the latest in Chevrolet accomplishments," Mr. Newcomer said.

YULE CLUB FUNDS SET ALL TIME RECORD IN CO.

Both our Mt. Joy banks will participate in the distribution of a new all time high in Christmas savings funds—\$3,614,500—will be distributed in Lancaster and Lancaster County within the next week or ten days. Approximately 43,000 persons, members of savings clubs at 31 city and county banks, will be recipients of the funds.

The amount to be distributed this year is \$47,973 more than the \$3,566,527 paid out to club members in 1949. Records show that in 1948 the distribution was \$3,143,850, and in 1947, \$2,750,000.

The First National Bank and Trust Company here will distribute \$50,000 to 750 club members while the Union National Bank will hand out \$46,000 to 700 members.

BAINBRIDGE WOMAN DIES AFTER AN AUTO MISHAP

Mrs. Ida B. Daubert, fifty-seven, of Bainbridge, sustained head injuries when the car operated by her husband, Robin R. Daubert, fifty-five, crashed head-on into another car on Route 230, one-eighth mile east of Highspire at 7 p.m. Saturday.

She died shortly thereafter in the Harrisburg hospital.

School News From E. Donegal Twp.

The Maytown Elementary School presented their operetta "Cinderella's Slipper", Tuesday evening, November 21 to a capacity house. The operetta was also presented Wednesday morning for the Florin elementary students and the fifth and sixth grades of the Marietta School. A third performance was given for the fourth, fifth and sixth grade pupils of the Mt. Joy Grade School in the auditorium Monday morning.

Monday evening, December 4 at 7 p.m. Miss Mischlich, sixth grade teacher of the Maytown Elementary School will show a motion picture in her homeroom demonstrating the new equipment, projector and screen, which the Maytown Elementary Parent's Organization recently bought and gave to the grade (Turn to page 4)

HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES WERE SUSPENDED; HEATING FAILED

Students attending classes in the borough high school were given an unexpected holiday Monday because a blower on the school oil burner wouldn't operate.

Temperatures dropped to between 40 and 50, and the children were excused after attendance was taken. The holiday closed all high school classes, as well as sessions for seventh and eighth graders, who attend part of their classes at the high school.

BAKED HAM DINNER

Sunday, December 3rd, the Ladies Auxiliary of Friendship Fire Co., will serve a baked ham dinner at the Fire House from 11:30 a. m. to 3:00 p. m. Proceeds will go toward the ambulance fund.

Everything That Happened At Florin Recently

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hershey had Thanksgiving turkey dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Roberts in Mechanicsburg.

Mr. A. D. Garber is on the sick list. Mr. Nathan Shelley of Manheim visited Mr. Samuel Shelley on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Breneman were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Graybill Pfutz and family at Leacock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stehman and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wittle.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hershey, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Roberts were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hershey and son, Robert on Sunday.

Evangelistic meetings are being conducted at the Florin Church of the Brethren, each night until Dec. 10th, with J. L. Miller, the evangelist.

Mr. George Vogel was removed to St. Joseph's hospital on Sunday. Mr. George Mumper is confined to his home on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Ulmer of Elizabethtown called on Mr. Samuel Shelly on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kauffman were Thanksgiving day guests of (Turn to Page 5)

The Local News For The Past Week Very Briefly Told

Elizabethtown College is holding open house at its new library building today, November 30th.

Marvin Lebo was badly burned when he tried to throw a burning oil stove out of his trailer at Manheim.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stump, of Bainbridge, celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary this week.

Pfc. Arthur G. Sheaffer, nineteen, Manheim, died in Alaska from accidental gun shot wounds.

HIGEM CLASS SUPPER AND ANNUAL BAZAAR SAT.

The Higem Class of the Mt. Joy Methodist church will hold a Baked Fresh Ham and Sauer Kraut Supper in the Sunday School room on Saturday, beginning at 5 P. M. until 7. The cost will be \$1.00 including dessert and 50c for children.

Along with this supper the class will hold their annual Bazaar, which will begin at 1 P. M. They will have on display knitted articles, aprons, hot oven mitts, hand dressed dolls and other articles. This will give you an opportunity to purchase these articles as gifts for members of your family, or friends, or for that extra gift that you might need at the last minute.

A Few Do And Dont's On Christmas Mailing

Again I would like to stress a few DO and DONT'S for the Christmas mailing that will not only help us here at the Post Office, but will be a big help to you, the mailers.

Let me again remind you that the postage on unsealed Christmas cards is 2c, and anything sealed is 3c an ounce. Also bear in mind that all unsealed cards, such as announcements, party invitations etc., filled in with writing showing the date, time and place, IS CONSIDERED FIRST CLASS, and must bear a 3c stamp for every ounce they weigh, whether they are sealed or unsealed.

Preparations are already made at this office to give you the best and quickest possible service during the Holiday season. During this time you will receive at least two deliveries, and maybe in some instances three deliveries per day. Additional help will be hired, and indications are that although there may be some curtailment in mail handling, it will not inconvenience the public to any great extent.

One thing I ask that you take time in addressing your envelopes. BE SURE THE NAME AND ADDRESS IS CORRECT, AND PROPERLY FILLED IN. AND THAT YOUR RETURN ADDRESS IS ON THE ENVELOPE. BE SURE YOU HAVE THE PROPER AND SUFFICIENT POSTAGE ON YOUR ENVELOPES. During the season, many cards are received at this office (Turn to page 2)

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Warfel, Mt. Joy R1, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley J., to Kenneth L. Roth, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Roth, Florin.

Miss Warfel is employed at Elizabethtown College. Mr. Roth is employed by Alvin C. Albright, Marietta.

Mr. and Mrs. Rea E. Greider, Salunga, announce the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn S. Greider, to Herbert R. Galebach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Galebach, 241 E. New Street, Lancaster.

Miss Greider is employed by Armstrong Cork Co. and Mr. Galebach is a Senior at Franklin and Marshall College and a member of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. The wedding will take place in December.

WAGENBACH PROPERTY SOLD

Auctioneer C. S. Frank, sold at public sale on Tuesday the Michael Wagenbach property on Chocolate Ave., to Samuel Engle for \$10,900.00. The lot 60x180 ft., with a 2 1/2 story Brick House, 2-car garage and a poultry house, was sold by Lester E. Roberts, Executor of Michael Wagenbach Estate.