

## Root School Will Mark 100th Year

One hundredth anniversary of the erection of the Root school in West Donegal township will be celebrated on Saturday, Sept. 19.

After basket lunch to be served at noon with ice cream and coffee, F. F. Bailey, assistant county superintendent, will give the address of the day. Former teachers and students also will take part.

An old fashioned sing will be a highlight of the day's festivities. All former teachers, scholars and friends of the school are invited.

Committee in charge includes E. S. Rutt, J. N. Olweiler, Carlton Schuldt, Arthur Strickler, Alvin Long, Mrs. R. H. Forney, Mrs. H. W. Musser, Mrs. J. B. Brown.

In 1838 a portion of land was taken from Donegal and formed into a township. In this early period the oldest public school in the township was erected on the corner of a field of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Root on Bainbridge highway.

At this time there was no evidence of a deed, but a deed was given by Christian and Elizabeth Root when additional land was either given or purchased.

On July 21, 1853, the little Red Roots school house was erected under contract concluded between two new school directors and David Weaver, builder, at a cost of \$400. The school directors were Martin M. Nissley and Samuel Root. Mr. Nissley was the grandfather of Jacob N. Olweiler.

The school was erected about a mile from the borough limits of Elizabethtown, and accommodated from 50 to 75 pupils for a number of years until other buildings were added.

## Mount Joy Girls Begin Nurse's Training

Two more graduates of Mount Joy High School, Class of '53, will enter Nurses' Training this fall:

Mary Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bailey, Donegal Springs road, has enrolled for training at the Pennsylvania Hospital in Philadelphia.

Beverly Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Boyd, of Manheim R4, will study the course at the St. Joseph's Hospital, in Lancaster.

Nancy Musser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Musser, Mt. Joy R1, a graduate of Hempfield High School, Class of '53, is a student at the Lancaster General Hospital.

## GEORGANNE SHATTO GRADUATES

Miss Georganne Shatto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shatto, East Main St., graduated Friday evening from the Maryland Medical Secretarial School at Hagerstown, Md.

The graduation exercises were held in the S. Potomac Jr. School and were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Shatto and the latter's nephew, Stanley Deen, of Millersville.

Miss Shatto will assume her duties as medical secretary at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C. on September 21.

## BEN R. HESS RECEIVES DEGREE

Degrees were granted to 173 students at the Pennsylvania State College during the past summer session just ended.

Lancaster Countians granted degrees were Ben R. Hess, Mt. Joy R1, MA, history, and Aaron J. Matin, 229 Lemon street, Elizabethtown, PhD, Chemistry.



OLD TIME PHOTO—This is a reproduction of photo taken at Root school in 1876. On Saturday, Sept. 19, the school will celebrate the 100th anniversary of its erection.

## Midget-Midget Title Game Is Tomorrow Night

The local Midget-Midget baseball team, coached by Robert Kunkle and George Houck, will play Paradise at Landisville, Friday, Sept. 4, at 6 p. m. to decide the regular league championship.

Each team ended the regular season with identical records; 16 wins and two defeats. The teams split in their two meetings during the regular schedule. The locals won the first meeting 4-2 behind J. Hostetter's one hit pitching. With Jim Brown on the mound, they lost a heartbreaker 6-5. With these two games in mind, a thrilling game is anticipated.

Mount Joy will field a strong hitting team plus two good pitchers in Hostetter and Brown. The former has worked in 58½ innings, struck out 87, walked 35, gave up 35 hits and won 12, lost 1. Brown worked in 23 innings, gave up 30 hits, struck out 23 and walked 8 in winning 3 and losing 1.

John Harnish, Mike Mumma, and Ronald Kear were seen on the mound in some of the games but none figured in any of the decisions.

## TEAM RECORD

Joe Hostetter leads in hitting with a .550 average, also homers with 6 and runs scored, 31. Jim Brown leads the team in the runs-batted-in department with 26. Also in the hits with 26. Chris Miller and Larry Watkins lead in the doubles with 4 each and triples with 2 each. Watkins leads in the stolen bases with 16.

Name	ab	r	h	bi	sb	av.
Hostetter	49	31	22	25	15	.550
Brown	44	19	24	26	15	.545
Watkins L	46	29	21	15	16	.457
Eisell	23	8	9	7	9	.391
Miller	43	22	15	17	15	.349
Harnish	49	22	17	5	13	.347
Zeller	29	9	9	5	5	.310
Ditzler	32	8	9	16	3	.281
Nissley	22	7	6	8	8	.272
Halbleib	20	7	5	6	6	.250
Bennett	7	0	1	1	1	.143
Collins	14	2	4	5	0	.286
Marshall	8	6	1	0	4	.125
Mumma	3	2	2	2	1	.667
Stoner	1	1	1	0	1	1.000
Watkins K	6	2	3	2	3	.500
Dick	2	2	1	0	3	.500
Kear	2	1	0	0	1	.000
Kunkle	3	0	0	0	0	.000
Wealand	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Maxwell	2	0	0	0	0	.000

## FIELDING PERCENTAGE

Name	P.O.	A.	E.
Harnish	7	8	3
Zeller	7	0	1
Watkins L	13	20	2
Brown	50	7	2
Hostetter	11	24	2
Eisell	2	0	0
Miller	2	0	3
Nissley	28	10	4
Ditzler	78	13	7
Halbleib	26	0	1
Collins	5	2	2

## A REQUEST FROM THE FIRE CHIEF

Fire Chief Ray Myers asks all residents of Mount Joy to refrain from burning brush, papers and leaves during this unusual dry spell.

Chief Myers points that even the slightest spark from a bonfire could start a fire that might be exceedingly dangerous.

## Rotary Club Hears Howard Blankman, 'By Hex' Producer

Rotary club members Tuesday noon heard an informal talk by Howard Blankman, producer of the show "By Hex" which is being so successfully received in Lancaster.

Mr. Blankman described "By Hex" as a show that has successfully depicted the strong religious beliefs of the Amish without poking fun at them.

The show has received numerous favorable reviews, and Mr. Blankman expressed hope that he might be able to take it to New York.

The speaker also touched on the song writing profession. He pointed out that it is not the easy-to-riches business that some folks have depicted, but rather that it requires lots and lots of hard work.

## Mount Joy Man Enters State Chess Tourney At York

Morrell H. Shields, 419 Columbia Avenue, Mount Joy, will enter the Pennsylvania Chess Tournament, to determine the state champion chess player, which will be held Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, Sept. 6, 7, and 8. The tournament will be held at the Yorktowne Hotel, York.

A rapid transit tournament will be held Friday night, with the regular tournament beginning on Saturday afternoon. The 7-round Swiss system tournament is open to anyone in Pennsylvania.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

**MOUNT JOY BOROUGH**  
Sept. 8—Faculty meeting at 10 a. m.  
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Sept. 9—Pupils report, 8:30 to 11:50 a. m.  
Sept. 10—Regular sessions

**EAST DONEGAL**  
Sept. 8—Faculty meeting, 8:15 a. m.  
Sept. 8—School, 10 a. m. to 2:30 p. m.  
Sept. 9—Regular sessions.

## Observe 3 C's For Safer Holiday Travel

Strict observance of the three C's of driving - - - courtesy, caution and common sense - - - will make holiday motoring over the coming Labor Day weekend much pleasanter and safer, advises the Keystone Automobile Club.

That suggestion was made yesterday by Edward P. Curran safety director of the club, in a plea to all motorists to help make the last long holiday of Summer the happiest and safest possible.

"As a matter of courtesy dim your car's lights when approaching another vehicle at night," he said. "Give 'the other fellow' a break whenever you can. Be extra cautious, resting when you're tired and stopping for occasional refreshments. And above all else, be sensible; don't mix your drinks with your driving, be doubly certain to observe and obey traffic signs and signals, and don't speed."

"Main arteries of travel will not be adequate for the tremendous numbers of vehicles that will be jamming the roads to virtually everywhere, especially on Friday and Monday nights. So, it will be the part of wisdom for motorists to follow alternate routes over secondary roads. Another point to remember is that the earlier start the more opportunity for arriving safely and without undue strain."

"Under all conditions, motorists should not lose sight of the fact that they are part of a great traffic movement and that individual desires must be subordinated to the common good. Horn blowing and other displays of temper will not help matters."

"Most of the Nation's 50,000,000 cars will be on the road over this coming weekend, so it behooves all those behind the wheel to remember and observe the three C's to the letter."

## Mount Joy Police Solve Theft Of Motor Vehicle

Mount Joy police this week solved the theft of a motor vehicle belonging to Nathan Ginder of Elizabethtown.

Arrested and charged with larceny of a motor vehicle were William Hess Jr. and Harold Hess of Hummelstown R1. The car, which had been parked at the Farmers Inn, was stolen Aug. 22, and was found wrecked at Hockersville.

Police Chief Park Neiss and Constable Irvin Kaylor made the arrests. Other arrests the past week were Gloria Haines, Rheems, operating a motor vehicle without a license, and Fred Erb of Mount Joy R1, reckless driving.

## School And Home Association Plans Festival For September 11

## Maurice Bailey Given Plaque At Lion Meeting

The Mount Joy Lions Club was host to the Florin, Landisville, and Willow Street Clubs at their meeting at Hostetter's Pavilion on Tuesday evening. Mr. Hostetter served about 100 Lions steamed clams, corn, and a hamburger.

Present at the meeting were Warren Berry, zone chairman, from the Manheim Club; and Arthur Greiner, deputy district governor of Elizabethtown.

A feature of the meeting was the presentation of a plaque to Maurice Bailey, who is the past district governor. He was presented with the plaque by Lion Batzel, of Mount Joy. The next meeting will be held Sept. 15, at Hostetter's.

## Mount Joy Man Takes Part In Huge Training Exercise

Pacific Fleet (FHTNC)—Among the 12,000 men who participated in the largest and most extensive training exercises since World War II was John H. Williams, engineman first class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Williams of 205 N. Barbara street, Mount Joy, Pa., aboard the submarine USS Pomodon.

The exercise was code-named DESTRAEX and the units involved made up Task Force 12. A unit of the First Fleet, the Task Force consisted of two cruisers, fifteen destroyers, four submarines, two destroyers tenders, and a fleet oiler. A visit to Seattle was a breather for the Task Force. The 24-ship armada, joined by 11th, 12th, and 13th Naval Districts paraded single file over a 12-mile course along the shores of Elliot Bay as a part of the Seattle Sea Fair.

## RONALD ALLEMAN IS HOSPITAL

Ronald Alleman, son of Lion Ralph and Mrs. Alleman, is a patient in the Lancaster Heart Haven. Each Lion club member bought an inexpensive little gift for Ronald, which will be given to him in one-a-day doses.

## FOOD SALE

The Auxiliary of the American Legion will hold a food sale in front of Titus Rutt's Insurance Office at 10 a. m. Saturday, Sept. 12.



1952 WINNER — Glenn Kaylor, Jr., winner of Soap Box Derby last year, is working hard to get his racer in shape for try at repeat victory.

## Boys Preparing For Soap Box Derby Oct. 17

Youngsters of Mount Joy and vicinity are busy preparing for the Soap Box Derby, to be held Oct. 17 as part of the Community Exhibit.

The derby is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. Entries may be mailed to Glenn Kaylor, Adam Greer and Clyde Mumper.

Any boy 13 years old or under from Mount Joy, Florin, Maytown, Newtown, Salunga, Rheems, Marietta or Landisville is eligible to compete. Wheels on the cars cannot be more than 12 inches in diameter. The front axle must have a steering device so that turns can be made on curves.

The cars must be built by boys 13 years of age and under. No more than \$10 can be spent on a car.

Any boy showing poor sportsmanship will be disqualified automatically. All entries must be registered two weeks in advance of the race.

## SEAMAN ABRAM KOSER ABOARD USS O'HARE

Abram Koser, Seaman, whose wife, Nancy, lives at 25 Columbia avenue, was one of the men serving aboard the radar picket destroyer USS O'Hare recently when the vessel was recommissioned. The O'Hare was recommissioned at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard, Portsmouth, Va.

## Daniel Heisey's Of Mount Joy Win New Car

The Mountville V.F.W. carnival Saturday night meant a great deal more than an evening of fun to Daniel Heisey's of West Main street.

Because when it came to the awarding of a spanking new Chevrolet Bel-Aire club coupe, Mrs. Heisey held the winning number. Mrs. Heisey said yesterday:

"It was one of the greatest thrills of my life. We've been buying a car. This takes us out of debt, and now we can start saving for a house."

## HARRY SNYDER RECEIVES DEGREE

Harry Snyder, Jr., 4085 S. 23rd Street, Milwaukee, Wis., and son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Snyder, 10 New Street, Mt. Joy, received his Bachelor of Business Administration Degree from Spencian College, Milwaukee, at graduation exercises held Friday evening, Aug. 23, in the YMCA auditorium in Milwaukee.

William C. Maas was the principal commencement speaker. His address was entitled, "The Road Ahead."

Mr. Snyder is in training for Office Management position with the Kraft Food Company.

## MEDICAL SOCIETY PLANS 103RD ANNUAL SESSION

Lancaster county physicians will take an active part in the 103rd annual session of The Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania in Pittsburgh, on Sept. 20 to 25. Mrs. Joseph Appleyard, secretary of the Lancaster County Medical Society; Henry Walter, Jr., Harold H. Hogg and Roy Deck, all of Lancaster, are members of the House of Delegates, the policy-making body of the organization which meets the first three days of the convention.

Dr. James Z. Appel, a member of the Board of Trustees of the State Society, will preside as discussion leader at a conference during the scientific program. Dr. John L. Atlee, Jr. is president of the Lancaster County Medical Society. More than 2,000 Pennsylvania physicians are expected to attend this meeting with a large contingent from among the 230 Lancaster County physicians registering.

## COMPLAINT IN DIVORCE

Whyett H. Gainer, 111 Conestoga Street, New Holland, vs Emily R. Gainer, 332 Marietta Ave., Mount Joy; indignities; married August 16, 1934.

## Eats, Games And Dancing Featured At Annual Event

The largest festival ever held by the School and Home Association will be on Friday, Sept. 11, at the Fire House of Mount Joy. There will be cake walks, fish pond and plenty of refreshments will be sold for all, such as, chicken corn soup, baked beans, potato salad, hot dogs, hamburgers, chicken salad sandwiches, soft drinks, ice cream, coffee, pies and cakes. Serving will start at 4:30 p. m.

For entertainment George Houck and his school band will play from 6 to 8:30 p. m. and Morrell Shields and his dance band will play from 8:30 p. m. to ???

Miller Wolgemuth of Wolgemuth Inc. has kindly consented to furnish the lighting, the P. P. & L. is providing cooking equipment, Lester Roberts is providing refrigeration and other merchants of town are helping in various ways.

When asked to join this organization at the membership booth please do not let this opportunity pass by because every parent should be a member. Fifty cents is the yearly membership fee.

## County Council Of V. F. W. Honors Korean War Dead

Forty-five Veterans of Foreign Wars members, representing most of the posts in Lancaster county, attended the county council meeting last Friday evening at the Cove in Mount Joy. Commander John Brindel from Reinholds presided.

Represented were the posts of Mountville, Manheim, Adamstown, Lancaster, Strasburg, Reinholds and Mount Joy.

Highlight of the meeting was a memorial service conducted by Charles Wenrich of Litzitz, ninth district and county council chaplain. This service was to honor all veterans who lost their lives in the Korean war.

Chaplain Wenrich as well as each officer of the Lancaster county council paid a spoken tribute to those who lost their lives in the Korean conflict and expressed condolences to the families. The ceremony was concluded by a brief message, "Prejudice Breeds War," by Chaplain Wenrich.

Commander Ralph Rice of the Mount Joy post today expressed appreciation to all members who helped make the occasion a success.

## UNINJURED AS CAR HITS TRUCK

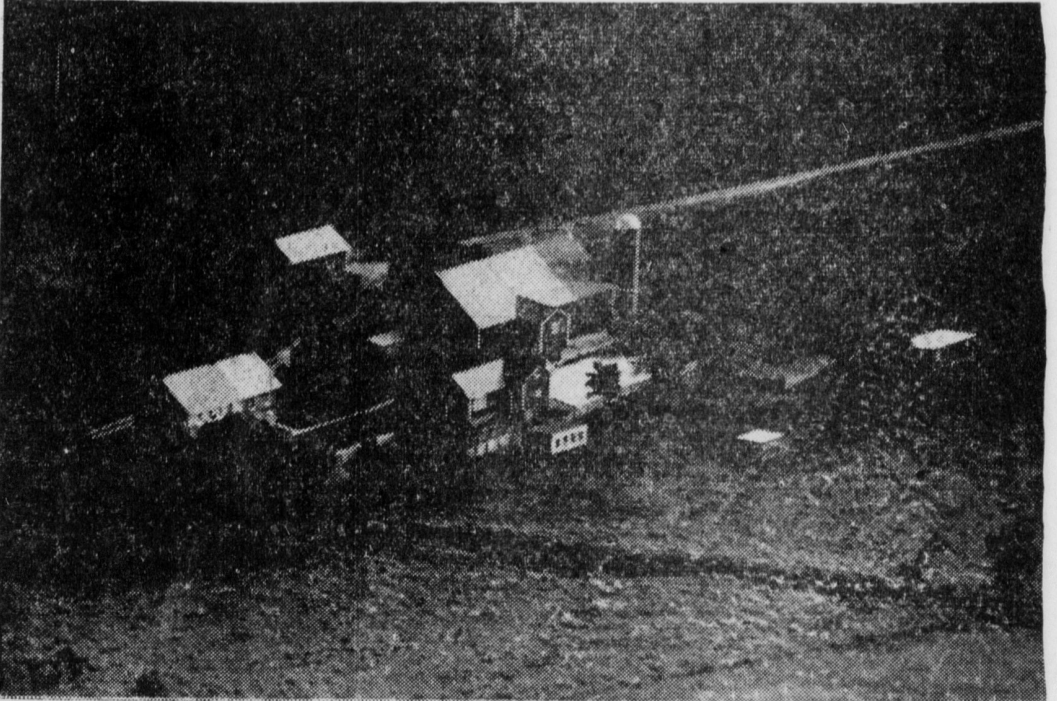
A car operated by Barry G. Miller, 17, Mount Joy R2, rammed into the rear of a truck operated by Dan D. Kurtz, Kinzer R1, on N. Lime St., between Fulton and Walnut Sts., Lancaster. The front of the Miller auto was badly damaged, but the driver escaped injury.

## RELIGIOUS FILM

On Sunday, Sept. 13 at 7:15 p. m. the Youth Fellowship of the Florin E. U. B. Church is having one of the much-talked-about religious films of the day. Watch for more about program in next week's Bulletin.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE

Lloyd S. Hummer, Jr., Mt. Joy R2, and Verna Lucille Landis, 105 S. Poplar St., Elizabethtown.



WINNING FARM—The winning farm in last week's BULLETIN in the Rural Farm Photo Quiz was identified as the farm of Paris O. Brubaker. The farm is located two miles northwest of Mount Joy on the Florin-Milton Grove Road. Mr. Brubaker has lived on the farm, containing 80 acres of land, for the past 24 years.