

# Community Building Report Expected Soon

## Boy Scout House - To - House Canvass For Funds Will Be Continued On Monday, September 13th

First steps toward a community building for Mount Joy were taken at a public meeting Monday night at the elementary school building. Heading a committee which will report at a subsequent meeting is A. D. Seiler. Other members of the committee include: Charles L. Fish, Robert K. Brown, Michael J. Pricio, Samuel N. Balsbaugh, Jacob R. Corll, Joseph T. Breneman and Warren H. Foley.

Chairman Seiler stated this morning that his committee will be ready to report in about two weeks.

The meeting was called by the Boy Scout troop committee which had delayed plans for a house-to-house canvass for funds to renovate the Greider building which several months ago was donated for the use of the Scouts. Clyde E. Gerberich,

Jr., troop committee chairman, presided.

He explained that the committee had been working ever since the Greider building was offered on plans and soliciting funds to provide badly needed quarters for the Boy Scouts. He said that more than \$1,000 of the \$2,000 needed for the project had been raised. The community campaign scheduled for Aug. 24 was postponed in the face of suggestions from a number of citizens that a community building on the site of the old grade school might be successfully promoted at this time.

Mr. Balsbaugh sparked the evening's discussion with comments on Mount Joy and its future. He said:

"Mount Joy has everything to look forward to. It's ideally located on the main line for fu-

ture expansion . . . I admire Mr. Greider for giving the building, but I think we can do better than that for the fine young people of our community . . . Now is the opportune time. There is a 40x70 ft. cellar in the old grade school building for a starter . . . I don't think we should wait. I humbly think we should take steps to acquire the use of the old grade school . . ."

Dr. William M. Workman, vice chairman of the Scout troop committee, pointed out that there's a number of problems that would need solving for the successful operation of a community building. He made a plea for the Boy Scouts, saying, "We're in dire need now for a place for the boys to meet. I'm not opposed to a community building, but we need a place right now. I'm asking you

to bet on the boys."

C. J. Chunko also spoke in favor of a community building. He said: "I'm not here to condemn any project . . . I'm 100 percent for the community. Let's put up a building for the community . . . There are lots of things which we own because we once owed . . . If we want a community building bad enough, let's give the go-ahead sign . . ."

Mr. Seiler informed the group that the problem of what to do with the grade school property had been under serious consideration of the school directors for many months, but that they had long favored tearing down the building and retaining the ground for the community's use. He said:

"I'm opposed to the Greider

building, because I can't see wasting that much on an old building . . . A community building could be handled on a subscription basis over a period of years . . . Provision should be made for the scouts; it is a challenge for our men and women to meet . . ."

Charles J. Bennett Jr., chairman of the Social Welfare committee, gave background on the accumulation of more than \$6,000 in a war memorial fund for veterans of World War II. This fund would be available for a community building, the only stipulation being that if it were so used a memorial plaque be placed on the building. He said: "I feel we should go into a community building project, but we should have a place for the Boy Scouts now."

Charles L. Eshelman, 59 Marietta avenue, expressed the view that Mount Joy might be a "little soon" in considering a community building. He said: "Taxes are high, we have to pay for a water system and sewer system . . . It would seem that the property is ideal for a playground . . . A community building must be supervised and maintained . . ."

Mr. Pricio answered: "If we aren't ready now, when will we be ready? I think with Sam (Balsbaugh) that now is the opportune time and that we should go ahead."

Mr. Corll asked: "What all would a community building include. For a while it would be something new and everybody would be for it . . . But would it last?"

Benjamin R. Funk commented: "What the Scouts have started is the beginning of something the community wants . . . I don't think we can say go ahead tonight. I believe we should appoint a committee. Let's not stand in the way of the Scouts' drive. There would always be a use for the Greider building . . ."

Mrs. George Albert suggested that a community building might be developed around a plan providing for Girl Scout and Boy Scout facilities at each end, with a center section for other community needs. It might be possible later on, she said, to add kitchen facilities.

Robert K. Brown said: "If we decide in favor of a community building, we can't decide it tonight. I think they should go ahead with the Scout building."

Mr. Breneman suggested that a community building committee be appointed.

Dr. Thomas W. O'Connor asked: "Is there an acute need for a community building now? Why not go ahead with the Scout drive and appoint a committee to investigate further the community building project?"

On motion of Dr. Workman, Mr. Seiler was named chairman of the community building committee. Mr. Balsbaugh seconded the motion. Other members of the committee were nominated from the floor.

Plans for the Boy Scout drive will be continued, according to Mr. Gerberich, with the \$2,000 goal nearing. The house-to-house canvass, started Aug. 24, will be completed the evening of Sept. 13.

## The Mount Joy

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## School And Home Festival Sept. 10

### Eats, Entertainment Fun Scheduled For Annual Event

Good eating, entertainment and fun for all ages will be served up in heaping portions on Friday, Sept. 10, when the school and Home Association of Mount Joy holds its annual festival at the fire house.

On the menu will be chicken corn soup, chicken salad sandwiches, hot dogs, hamburgers, potato salad, baked beans, pies, cakes, hoagies, soft drinks, ice cream and coffee.

For the kiddies there will be a fish pond, pony rides and other entertainment.

Any parents of school children who have not been contacted for their help at the festival or for donations, may call Myrtle Nornhold if they wish to assist.

The association is appreciative of the generosity of the Friendship Fire Company for the use of their facilities and to the Pennsylvania Power and Light Company for its help.

Serving will begin at 4 p. m.

### LANDISVILLE MAN HEADS RED ROSE DHIA

A Landisville man, J. Lester Charles, Monday night was elected president of the Red Rose Dairy Herd Improvement Association. A member of the association since 1949, Charles was vice president the past year.

Retiring president, Robert Mast, Narvon R2, was elected vice president. Re-elected were Melvin R. Stoltzfus, Ronks R1, recording secretary, and Charles Long, Landisville, financial secretary and treasurer.

### Mount Joy Team Accepted By Central Baseball League

Mount Joy's proposed baseball team was accepted Tuesday evening by the Central City-County Baseball League. This action gives the Mount Joy Athletic Association the go-ahead signal for financing the team.

A meeting will be held tonight at the Farmers Inn at 8:45 for the purpose of selecting uniforms. The public is invited.

### CPL WILLIAM J. DERR COMPLETES NON-COM. OFFICER'S COURSE

I CORPS, KOREA — Army Cpl. William J. Derr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus S. Derr, 367 N. Barbara St., Mt. Joy, recently was graduated from the I Corps Non-Commissioned Officer Academy in Korea.

A supply specialist in Company B of the 7th Infantry Division's 707th Ordnance Battalion he received instruction in leadership of units, map reading and other military subjects.

Cpl. Derr arrived in Korea this March from an assignment at Fort Benning, Ga. He entered the Army in 1951.

### CAR OVERTURNS NEAR FLORIN

Mrs. Charles Reber, Lancaster, was injured Monday afternoon when the car driven by her husband skidded off the Harrisburg pike just west of Florin. She suffered a fractured rib, while Mr. Reber escaped with bruises. The couple was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, Lancaster, in the Elizabethtown ambulance.

### Mrs. Ben B. Hess, Mount Joy R1, Ill With Polio

Illness of a Mount Joy R1 woman yesterday was diagnosed as polio.

Mrs. Ben B. Hess, 23, was admitted to Lancaster General Hospital on Monday. She is the mother of two children, Stephen, 2, and Peggy, 6 months.

The Hess' have been staying with Mr. Hess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hess, Mount Joy R1. Hess recently accepted a teaching position near Souder-ton.

### ATTENDS NATIONAL UCM CONFERENCE

Clair L. Wagner, Jr., Mount Joy, last week attended a national conference of the United Christian Movement at Lake Geneva, Wis. He also attended a meeting of the World Assembly of Churches at Evanston, Ill. Chairman of the Faith Commission of the Pennsylvania United Christian Movement, Wagner is vice president of the youth department of the United Churches of Lancaster.

### MAE ZINK TO ENTER SCHOOL OF NURSING

Miss Mae Zink, 218 W. Donegal Street, will enter the Pennsylvania Hospital School of Nursing, Philadelphia, on Sept. 6. She is a graduate of the Mt. Joy high school, class of '54.

### MRS. ALMOS EARHART MARKS 89th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Almos Earhart, who is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Shelly, Mount Joy R2 celebrated her 89th birthday Monday. She appreciated the many cards and greetings which she received.

### GOING OUT OF BUSINESS

Mrs. Calvin Kramer, proprietor of the Margaret-Jean Shoppe, Mount Joy, has announced that she will be going out of business Sept. 18. All of her merchandise is greatly reduced at this time.

### Business Men To Meet Tuesday At Fire Hall

Plans for various promotions methods for increasing retail business in Mount Joy will be discussed at a meeting Sept. 7 at 7:30 p. m. in the fire hall.

The meeting is open to anyone in the community who is interested and all suggestions will be welcome.

### Urges Farmers To Take Part In ASC Elections

The Pennsylvania State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee today urged all farmers in the State of Pennsylvania to be sure and take an active part in the election of their community and county committees.

Mr. C. E. Cassel, chairman of the Committee, together with Committee members Ralph L. Culver and Robert Z. Torrance, issued the following:

"We realize it is very important that the very best qualified people be elected to the ASC community and county committees as it will be their duty to administer the farm program to be very best of their ability and in line with the way Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson has planned.

"We are aware that no organization is any better or can be operated any more efficiently than the members who have charge of its operation. We feel every farmer should be interested in having this program administered in the very best possible manner.

"You can be of service to yourself, to your community, and to your Government by taking part in this activity. You will receive your ballot by mail or ballots can be had at your ASC office. We urge you to mark your ballot and mail it at once to the ASC county office."

### Meeting Sept. 9 To Organize Cub Scouts

Cub Scout officers, den mothers and fathers and all parents interested in the formation of a Cub Scout pack will meet on Thursday, Sept. 9, 7:30 p. m. at the grade school building.

Scout officials point out that there is an urgent need for more den mothers and urge community support of the project.

### IGNORANT DRIVERS

Of the 60 million car drivers in the country, not more than 15 per cent had any formal training in driving. To train the new generation of drivers, 8000 high schools gave driving courses to more than 700,000 students last year.

### Physician on Call Sunday

For emergency if you cannot reach your own physician

Dr. John Gates

### Full Program Planned For Farm Show

A full schedule for the Mt. Joy Farm Show and Community Exhibit was outlined at a meeting of the directors Monday evening.

Activities will begin Wednesday, Oct. 13, at 7 p. m. with the judging of various exhibits and displays. At 7 p. m. there will be a parade.

On Thursday, Oct. 14, beginning at 10 a. m. and continuing through the morning and afternoon, livestock will be judged.

Crowning of the corn queen at 8 p. m. on Oct. 14 will be one of the highlights of the weekend.

Another big day is scheduled on Friday, Oct. 15. Corn husking eliminations will be held at 10 a. m. at the Musser Leghorn Farms. The corn husking finals will be held at 1 p. m. at the Musser farms.

Evening's entertainment on Friday will be provided by the Donegal high school band.

Two main events are planned for Saturday, Oct. 16. The annual Soap Box race will be held on Manheim street at 2:00 p. m. and at 12:30 p. m. the tractor driving contest will be held at the Red Top Mills lot. Entertainment throughout the afternoon and evening will be presented at the fair grounds by the Lebanon County Dutch Band.

Concluding events will be a banquet at Hostetter's Pavilion at 8:30 p. m., Oct. 20.

Next meeting of the directors will be held Monday evening, Sept. 13, at the Mount Joy Farmers Cooperative Association office.

### Open House Sept. 13, 14, 15 At New High School

Open House for the new Donegal High School has been set for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, Sept. 13, 14 and 15th between the hours of 6 and 9 P. M.

After Sept. 5, Sunday tours will be discontinued, and the public is invited to inspect the building on the dates of Open House.

"The interest of the public in the building now and during construction has been most gratifying. Visitors all agree that this is one of the most beautiful and useful buildings to be seen anywhere.

## Area Schools Ready To Open Next Week

### HIGH SCHOOL

On Wednesday, Sept. 8, all pupils will report to the Donegal High School. At 8:30 A. M., pupils will report to the auditorium. School will remain in session all day since the buses that transport high school pupils will also transport elementary pupils.

The Cafeteria will be open the first day of school. Pupils may either bring their lunches or buy food in the Cafeteria, however, all pupils will eat in the lunchroom. A complete lunch may be purchased for 25c or separate items may be purchased.

Bus schedules have been set up and are indicated on maps which are posted in the following store windows in Mt. Joy.

Newcomer's Garage, Hostetter's Hardware, Mount Joy Bulletin and Hess Food Store. In Marietta, maps have been placed in the following stores: Westenhofer's Grocery, Groff's Grocery, Rapp's Restaurant and Shireman's Garage.

Students living in the area of a certain color on the maps placed in various stores in the community must board the bus at one of the several designated stops in that color area.

No student should expect to ride a bus in any area other than his own as this would overload the bus in that area. School transportation of pupils is the same as Public Utility Transportation. If you want to ride along, you must be at the correct stop on time.

### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Everything is in readiness for the opening of the Mount Joy elementary school which will be in session this year in the old high school.

Teachers will report at the school Sept. 7, while the pupils are expected to be in classes Sept. 8 at 8:20 a. m.

### EAST DONEGAL SCHOOLS

The schools of East Donegal Township will open on Sept. 8 at 9 A. M. All students will report to the rooms assigned at the close of school with the exception of the fourth grade students who live in the Florin area. These students will report to the Washington School instead of the Maytown School as was previously announced.

Teacher assignments for the 1954-55 term are as follows.

Washington School  
Grade 1 - Miss A. M. Eby.  
Grade 2 - Mrs. Kline  
Grade 3 - Mrs. Beahm  
Grade 4 - Mrs. Myers  
Maytown School  
Kindergarten - Mrs. Brandt.  
Grade 1 - Mrs. Hicks and Mrs. Kaylor  
Grade 2 - Mrs. Bender and Miss Greider  
Grade 3 - Miss R. Eby and Miss Dohner  
Grade 4 - Mrs. Schlitzer  
Grade 5 - Mrs. Martin and Mr. Yohn  
Grade 6 - Miss Mischlich and Mrs. Muir  
New students will report to the office at Maytown School

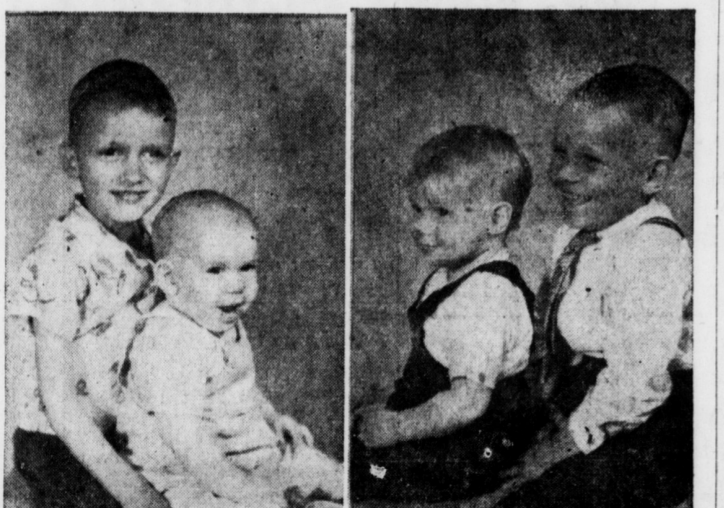
### Bus Schedules Listed

MOUNT JOY		Leave High School	
Mr. Johnson's Bus - From Donegal High School to Main Street traveling toward Lancaster - left turn on Jacob Street - left on Mount Joy Street - left on Barbara Street to Main St. - out Market Street to High School.	8:17	Stop No. 1, Columbia Avenue on Delta Street	8:15
Leave High School	7:57	No. 2, Jacob Street on Columbia Street	8:16
Stop No. 1, Main Street on Jacob	8:02	No. 3, Columbia Avenue on Barbara Street	8:17
No. 2 High Street on Mount Joy Street	8:03	No. 4, High School	8:22
No. 3, Barbara Street on Mt. Joy Street	8:04	From Donegal High School to Florin - out highway toward Lancaster - right turn on New Haven Street - turn right on W. Donegal St. to Crossroads Church - to High School.	
From Donegal High School take Crossroad leading to Pinkerton Road out Pinkerton Road to Marietta Street - turn right on Marietta Street - turn left on W. Market St. - left on New Haven St. to High School.	8:16	Leave High School	8:10
Leave High School	8:16	Stop No. 1, Mueller's Greenhouses	8:13
Stop No. 1, Pinkerton Road	8:18	No. 2, Newcomer's Garage	8:16
No. 2 Brubaker's	8:19	No. 3 Water Tower on Donegal Springs Road	8:18
No. 3, Zeller's	8:20	No. 4, High School	8:22
No. 4, West Donegal Street on Market Street	8:22	EAST DONEGAL	
No. 5, New Haven Street on W. Donegal Street	8:23	Leave Johnson's Garage	7:35
No. 6, Marietta Street on New Haven Street	8:24	Stop 1, Heagy's	7:38
No. 7, High School	8:27	2, Ruhl's Late	7:39
From Donegal High School - out Marietta Street - turn right on Delta Street - left on Columbia Ave. - right on Jacob St. - right on New Street - right on Barbara Street to Columbia Ave. - to Delta Street - to High School.		3, Myer's	7:40
Leave High School	8:16	4, Ginder's	7:43
Stop No. 1, Pinkerton Road	8:18	5, Young's Lane	7:45
No. 2 Brubaker's	8:19	6, Greider's	7:46
No. 3, Zeller's	8:20	7, Landis Quarry	7:47
No. 4, West Donegal Street on Market Street	8:22	8, Kauffman Herr's	7:48
No. 5, New Haven Street on W. Donegal Street	8:23	9, Longenecker's	7:54
No. 6, Marietta Street on New Haven Street	8:24	10, Zeager's	7:55
No. 7, High School	8:27	11, Shepler's	7:56
From Donegal High School - out Marietta Street - turn right on Delta Street - left on Columbia Ave. - right on Jacob St. - right on New Street - right on Barbara Street to Columbia Ave. - to Delta Street - to High School.		12, Crossroads	7:57
Leave High School	8:16	13, Roland's	7:59
Stop No. 1, Pinkerton Road	8:18	14, Donegal Church	8:00
No. 2 Brubaker's	8:19	15, Spook Hill	8:05
No. 3, Zeller's	8:20	16, Crossroads Church	8:06
No. 4, West Donegal Street on Market Street	8:22	(Turn to Page 2)	



FISHING FUN—While vacationing in Florida, Claude Rehner and son, Dougie, Mount Joy, and Ray Newcomer and son, John, Tampa, Fla., caught this nice catch of grouper and grunts while deep-sea fishing 60 miles off the Gulf of Mexico. The catch totaled 38 fish the grouper weighing 2 to 10 lbs. each. The two young fishermen got their share, having caught eight and nine themselves. Dougie also caught a 2 pound snapper. While visiting the Newcomers, the Rehners also enjoyed underwater ballet at Weeki-Wachi, dog races at Daytona, dinner at Louis Pappas famous water front restaurant, swimming at various beaches and a visit at historic St. Augustine. Left to right: Ray Newcomer, Claude Rehner, Dougie Rehner and John Newcomer.

### "Citizens Of Tomorrow"



COUPLETS—Tom, 5 years old, and Dennis, 10 months, sons of the Charles Pennells, Mount Joy, and Johnny, 5 years old, and Dennis, 20 months, sons of the Paul Hays, Maytown.