

New Borough Pumping Engineer Begins Duties Saturday, March 12

Shatz Retires After Forty-six Years Service

John H. Miller, Lumber St., Mount Joy, has been named the new pumping engineer for Mt. Joy Borough water.

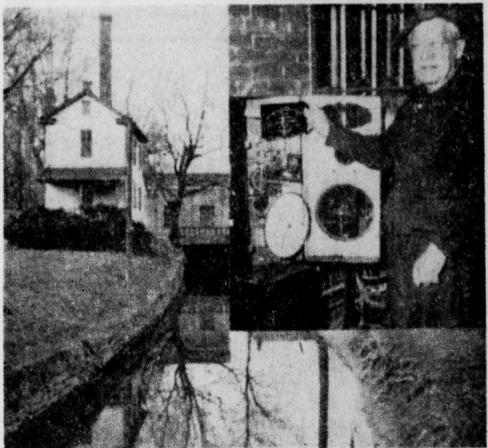
Mr. Schatz is retiring from his position after forty-six years of service to the community.

Upon retiring, Mr. Schatz will move from the house adjacent to the water works to home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown.

Mr. Miller was formerly an electrician at the Marietta T.C. Depot and repaired diesel locomotives.

The water works was one of the first large projects of the borough of Mt. Joy following its incorporation.

The announcement was made by the borough water authority which was created in 1950.



GEORGE SCHATZ



JOHN H. MILLER

Merchants Elect Officers For '55

John Way was elected chairman of the merchants' committee at a postponed meeting of the group last night at the firehouse.

A discussion was held on a sales promotion idea for April. Mr. Way appointed a committee for the project and has planned a committee meeting for next Monday evening, March 14.

Also discussed during the business meeting was the parking situation in Mount Joy. The next meeting will be held Tuesday, April 12.

TWO RECEIVE HONORS

Robert M. Miller, Florin and William Tyndall, Mount Joy are two of five county men to receive honors for the first semester in the mathematics course at Franklin & Marshall College.

Mount Joy Sportsmen Sponsor "Miss Outdoors" Candidate

Miss Roberta Wagner has been chosen as the entry of the Mount Joy Sportsmen's Association in the Lancaster County "Miss Outdoors" contest.

The Mt. Joy Sportsmen will award Roberta a United States war bond for being named "Miss Donegal" in the contest.

The "Miss Outdoors" contest will be held at the Lancaster County Sportsmen's Show, Mar. 15 thru 19. The Queen will be chosen from contestants the first night of the show and will reign over the rest of the festivities. She will remain queen for one year. The winner will be awarded a Hamilton watch.

This marks the first show that the local club has entered a candidate in the county-wide contest.

The regular monthly meeting of the association will be held

Peter Nissley Wins Legion Essay Contest

Peter Nissley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nissley, Mount Joy, is the winner of the American Legion essay contest at the Donegal High School.

His essay will now be entered in the county American Legion contest as the entrant from the Donegal School.

Grade School Sees Two Special Programs

Two special programs were held in the Mount Joy Elementary School Wednesday. In the morning "Jaison the Goldep Flea", a marionette show, was shown to the students of Kindergarten through sixth grade.

In the afternoon, Phillip Rowenolt, a junior high school student at the Donegal High School, put on a magic show for the students.



MISS ROBERTA WAGNER

Monday, Mar. 14, in the firehouse. At this time, a picture by Walt Disney entitled "Beaver Colony" will be shown. The public is invited to attend the meeting and view the film.

Small Children To Be Filmed For Hometown Show In April

All pre-school children and babies are invited to have their pictures taken free of charge for the "Hometown Movies" show which is scheduled to be held in the Mt. Joy Elementary School auditorium, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, April 13 and 14.

The local Veterans of Foreign Wars 5752 is sponsoring the show which will consist of movies taken of local people and activities and a series of old films taken of town residents as far back as 1939.

Joseph Shaeffer, photographer for the group, has issued the invitation for all pre-school children, babies and their parents to appear in the film of the evenings shows entitled "Citizens of Tomorrow".

All parents who wish to have their children's moving picture appear in the film may contact

Mr. Shaeffer to make arrangements for a time. His phone number is 3-4604. He will come to the homes of the children but all shots will be out-of-doors movies.

Times that he would like to take the pictures are 10-11 a. m. Mondays through Fridays, Saturday afternoons and Sundays.

A time limit has been set up for the picture taking. Parents are asked to make the necessary arrangements so that all the pictures may be taken by April 1.

All the films of hometown movies remain intact after being used for a showing. The committee suggests that parents should think how these films will be appreciated the two nights of the show and ten years from now when a hometown movie program will feature the "small children grown up".

College Coach To Speak At Local Banquet

Bernie Santeniello, ex-football coach of Millersville State Teachers' College, will be the guest speaker at the sixth annual banquet of the Mount Joy Old Timers Association.

The affair will be held in the Mount Joy American Legion home on Friday evening, April 29.

Honored guests of the affair will be the members of the championship Donegal High School basketball team and the winning Donegal Junior High School basketball team.

Other business transacted at the executive committee meeting last Thursday night was the decision of the group to again sponsor a Midget baseball team and to hold the 2nd annual basketball game.

Since the award for the outstanding athlete has been eliminated, there will be awards given to past and present athletes of the community.

Invitations will be mailed on April 1 for the banquet. A custom of the past exists again this year—Persons do not need invitations to attend the affair but they do need reservations. It is suggested that persons send in their reservations as soon as possible after April 1.

Council Adopts Budget For 1955

The 1955 Mt. Joy Borough budget of \$55,589.97 expected receipts and \$55,575.00 expected expenditures was adopted by council members at the regular meeting of the group Monday night. A 10 mill tax on real estate and an \$8 per capita tax were included in the budget figures.

The group decided to adjust the rates of openings of the borough streets. Heretofore, a flat charge of \$5.00 was charged to any person or company who needed to open a street.

Also decided during the meeting conducted by Miller Wolgenin, president, was a ham smoker Friday evening, April 1; and a carnival some time during the three summer months.

The group decided to purchase three lapel pins; two fifty-year service pins for Martin Spickler and John E. Schroll and one honorary pin for K. T. Keller.

A rescue squad will be formed. (Turn to page 12)

O. K. Snyder, Jr. Named Jaycee President For '55

O. K. Snyder, Jr. was elected president of the Mount Joy Junior Chamber of Commerce at a



O. K. SNYDER, JR.

meeting Monday night at the home of Jay Eicherly. Other officers elected at the meeting held one day ahead of schedule because of the Donegal-Swatara Township basketball game were Harold Zimmerman, Jr., first vice president; Warren Hayman, second vice president; William Gassman, secretary; Mr. Eicherly, treasurer; Norman Garber, one year director and Burton Shupp, two year director. Nicholas Leitner, past president, will also be a one year director.

The election was conducted following campaign speeches by Mr. Snyder and Mr. Gassman. The winning candidate advocated a better sharing of the work of projects among the members; the retention of all members and the possibility of obtaining new members.

The installation of the officers will take place in April. Mr. Leitner had charge of the evening's meeting. He announced that a film concerning the Ground Observer's Corp of the U. S. Air Force will be shown at the next meeting.

Four committees were appointed and will begin making plans for the proposed projects of the next few months. William Gassman and Paul Stoner were named to the Road-e-o project; Bernard Grissinger and Charles Ryman, co-chairman of the junior tennis tournament with Marshall Dussinger and Elwood Rice; Mr. Leitner and Frank Young, co-chairman of the community picnic project, with Jno. Getz, ticket chairman; Jacob Corll, golf chairman; Earl Rhoads, games; and George Albert, transportation.

Members of the annual Dawn Party-committee are Mr. S. Oner Mr. Zimmerman, Mr. Hayman, Mr. Ryman, Mr. Snyder, Warren Foley, Michael Pricio, Charles Johnson and Gerald Hostetter.

Donegal Earns District 3 Playoff; Route To Saturday's Game Listed

Donegal High School will play Palmyra High School in the district 3 basketball championship game Saturday night at Albright College, Reading. Tickets will be on sale at the office of the Donegal High School until Saturday noon (or as long as they last). The winner of this game will move into inter-district play-off games before reaching the eastern regional finals.

A route to follow to arrive at

the college is as follows: It is suggested that drivers take Rt. 222 into Reading. After crossing the bridge bear right at the fork and the street is Binghamon St. Proceed on Binghamon Street to Tenth Street. Turn left on Tenth Street which has a traffic signal and is a one-way street; proceed to end of 1600 block (a dead end) at Exeter Street turn right and travel on Exeter Street for three blocks to another dead end which is 13th Street. Turn

left on 13th Street and by traveling one block on 13th Street, drivers will arrive at Albright College.

On the return trip, drivers cannot come back to the bridge on 10th Street since it is a one way street going the opposite way. Persons should come back to Binghamon Street on 9th St. It is a one way street in the proper direction back to Binghamon Street. Eleventh Street does not lead to Binghamon St.

Joycees Welcome Two Families To Mount Joy

Two new families were welcomed into Mt. Joy last week by the local Joycees. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Witmer, West Donegal Street, were welcomed into the borough by the committee. The Witmers and their two children moved here from near Allentown.

The second family visited were the Mr. and Mrs. Russell Floyd family. The Floyds moved to Mount Joy from Manheim R2. The Floyds have one child, a ten-week-old girl.

Mrs. Warren Hayman, Mrs. John Landis and Mrs. Nicholas Leitner visited the two families.

This project is made possible through the cooperation of the merchants and businessmen of the borough. If citizens know of any newcomers into the borough, a call to Mrs. Warren Hayman would be appreciated.

Fireman In Accident Enroute To Fire

Richard Kepple, a Mount Joy fireman who missed getting a ride on the firetruck, collided with a truck, on the way to a grass fire Tuesday afternoon, at 1:35. The Mount Joy Friendship Fire Company was called to extinguish a fire at the farm of John Bullock, located between Mount Joy and Columbia.

Marilyn Myers, chief hose director, took charge of the men in the absence of both the fire chief and assistant fire chief. He said that the blaze was confined to dry grass but that the cause could not be determined.

Mr. Kepple attempted to pass a truck on the right but in doing it sideswiped the truck and crashed into a parked car. Damage to the parked car owned by Earl Wolgenin, Mt. Joy R1, was set at \$1,100; \$300 to Kepple's car and \$75 to the truck operated by Maris Gainer of Mount Joy.

State Police said that Gainer made no signal that he was about to turn.

Mr. Kepple was treated at the office of Dr. Thomas O'Connor for brush burns and lacerations. State police will continue their investigation.

ATTENTION RESIDENTS OF MOUNT JOY BOROUGH

The early morning collection service that was placed in effect on February 18th, as ordered by the District Managers Office of the Post Office Department is hereby cancelled. The 7:00 a.m. collection was ordered cancelled by the District Managers Office effective March 7. The collections will be made by the carriers on their daily trips as heretofore.

ELMER L. ZERPHEY

"I don't want to see any more of the kind of purchasing power that means dollars watered down through government deficits, borrowing, and inflation."—Charles R. Sligh, Jr., NAM Executive Committee Chairman.

Eighteen To Be Inducted Into Honor Society

Eleven seniors and seven juniors of the Donegal High School will be inducted into the National Honor Society Friday afternoon, 2:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The honored students chosen for the society are Helen L. Bucher, Sonja Carver, Ruth Drescher, George Franke, Helen Gorman, Doris Groff, Marian Kline, Jay Metzler, Kay Metzler, Sara Jane Portner and Karl-reen Raffensperger, seniors; and Lynne Fackler, Carol Ginder, Marlene Mumper, Peggy Wolfe, Miriam Nell, Miriam Roland and Sampho Stephanis, juniors.

Entrance into the society is based on a percentage of the total senior and junior classes. The Donegal Chapter at the present time has seven members who were chosen last year when they were juniors. They are Peter Nissley, Loretta Gartin, Alan Kugle, Barbara Martin, Ann Young, Shirley Gerlach and Donald Raber.

The seven members will be in charge of the induction ceremony. The Rev. C. E. Franke, pastor of the Marietta Methodist church, will give the address. Donald Raber and Peter Nissley will play a trumpet duet, and Barbara Martin will play a piano solo and the procession and recessional on the auditorium organ.

Miss Catharine Zeller is the chairman of the National Honor Society committee and committee members are Mrs. Margaret Bernight and Mrs. Betty Lutz.

The seven original members will conduct the induction ceremony at Paradise High School Friday, April 15. Miss Zeller announced.

The destroyer is one of the oldest ship types. It has kept pace with modern developments since the 1870's.

Seven Directors Named By Local Rotary Club

Mount Joy Rotarians Tuesday noon elected seven members to the board of directors. They are: Robert Hurst, Charles Ruhl, Jos-



JAY METZLER

eph Shaeffer, Sam Balsbaugh, Charles Fish, Michael Pricio and Larmon Smith.

Election of officers will take place at a meeting of the directors later this month.

Speaker of the day was Morton Eugene Wildy, world traveler. Mr. Wildy also spoke before the students at Donegal high school. Mr. Wildy emphasized the importance of building up countries economically. He pointed out that communism wilts when a nation is prospering economically. The speaker pointed to Greece and Turkey as prime examples of countries that we have aided out of economic serfdom as among the strongest bulwarks against communism.

Mr. Wildy suggested that the United States should be willing to pay a living wage for the products, and that there should be an ever increasing foreign investment program.

Jay Metzler was the honored guest of the club's luncheon. He was chosen "Student of the Week" at Donegal.

Public Hot Cake Breakfast To Be Held By Local Lions Club

Mount Joy Lions will sponsor a "Hot Cake" breakfast in Mt. Joy Saturday morning, Mar. 26. For the first time, a public breakfast is being featured in the borough. The affair will be held at the local firehouse. Tentative plans call for its beginning at 7:00 a.m. with a menu consisting of hot cakes, sausage, coffee and fruit juice.

Henry Zerphey has been named chairman of the project. His committee of Lions include David Myers as co-chairman, John Landis, William Batzel, Howard Sutter, Raymond Knorr, Maurice Bailey and Paul Gingrich, club president.

TWO WIN GOLD BADGE

Two boys were awarded the gold badge award at the Mount Joy Elementary School this week. The two are Glenn Peifer and James Harnish. The two were given the honor because they found a small boy, not of school age, who was hurt and took him to his home.

Senior Extension Club Hold Annual Banquet

Approximately 100 persons attended the first annual banquet of the Lancaster Senior Extension Club last Saturday at the Witmer Firehouse. John Naugle, Gettysburg, gave an illustrated talk on "A Summer in Switzerland".

Elvin Hess, Jr. served as the toastmaster; Jahe Greiner, banquet pianist; group singing was led by Norman Kolp; Kathryn Bowers, Dorothy Johns and Alma Shank sang trio songs; Eleanor Griffith gave a reading. A boys quartet consisting of Raymond Denlinger, Aaron Landis, Stanley Longenecker and John Stoner sang and Dorothy Metzler played a marimbo solo.

The banquet committee included Miss Jeanette Breneman, Mount Joy R2; James Endslow, Marietta R1; Robert Harnish, Conestoga, R2; Elcanor Griffith, Ephrata R2; and Herbert Coyler, Lancaster R5.