

SEWER PLANT PLAN NEARLY COMPLETE

Retail Merchants Will Give Prizes Valued At \$600 At Spring Sales Days Next Weekend

Many Special Values Will Be Offered Shoppers

Mount Joy-Florin Retail Merchants will present gifts valued at more than \$600 in a three-day shopping jubilee Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 21, 22 and 23.

Final details for the event were worked out at a meeting of the committee Tuesday night at the fire house.

Tickets will be distributed in the stores of the participating merchants, starting Thursday, April 21. Anyone may secure a ticket by simply asking for it, signing his name on the ticket, and dropping it in one of the containers.

The gifts will be awarded at a drawing Saturday night, April 23, at 9:30 p.m. at the parking lot at the rear of the First National Bank & Trust Co. John M. Booth, chairman of the committee, arranging for the drawing will have the lot lighted.

Heading the list of prizes are a television set and power mower, with 44 awards of \$5 each to be presented in certificate form good for purchases in any of the participating stores. Also to be presented will be a \$150 watch, donated by Lancaster Newspapers, Inc.

It will not be necessary for the winners to be present at the drawing.

The Bulletin is cooperating with the merchants in the publishing of a special Sales Days edition.

Also discussed were parking and store hours. The committee authorized the appointment of a special committee to study the overall parking conditions.

Proposal to keep stores open on Wednesday afternoon of Memorial Day week, since the holiday will fall on Monday this year, was approved.

Directors Elected At Meeting Of Building And Loan

Three directors were re-elected into the Mount Joy Building and Loan Association at their twenty-seventh annual meeting of the group Wednesday night in the lobby of the First National Bank and Trust Company. The directors are J. Willis Freed, George Keener and Reuben Fellenbaum.

E. M. Bomberger, secretary, gave the report of the year in which he announced the total assets were \$445,000. This is an increase over last year's total. The association has a new series, Series 55, of available shares as of April 1. The shares may be purchased at any time. Shareholders received more than 5% on their investments this past year. Series No. 31's earnings will be distributed June 1.

Following the annual meeting the directors held a re-organization meeting at which time they re-elected their officers; Grant Gerberich, president; Henry Eby, vice president; E. M. Bomberger, secretary; Reuben Fellenbaum, treasurer; Bernard J. Myers, Jr., solicitor; and John H. Fellenbaum, auditor. Other directors are Dr. E. W. Newcomer, Christ Walters, John Booth, Mr. Eby, Mr. Gerberich and Mr. Bomberger.

The association was started in Mount Joy, April 1, 1928.



Left to right: Front Robert Buchenauer, Ronald Schofield; back Harold Etzell, Jr., Jerry Buchenauer. —Photo by Robt. Zeiters

Explorer Scouts Prepare For New Mexico Trip

Four Boy Scouts of Mt. Joy Troop No. 39 will be members of the Lancaster County group to travel to Philmont Boy Scout camp, New Mexico, in August. The four, Jerry Buchenauer, Robert Buchenauer, Harold Etzell, Jr., and Ronald Schofield,

Stehman & Herr Open Garage In Florin

A general repair garage opened Monday in Florin by Paul Stehman and Calvin Herr of the Mount Joy Atlantic Service Station. Stehman and Herr announced that Cletus Kaylor will be the head mechanic and will be assisted by Eugene McMullen.

The garage is located on the north side of West Main Street beside Gager's Tavern. Formerly the garage had been operated by Donald Emenheiser but has not been in operation since December.

Before the garage was opened for business this week, repairs were completed on the exterior and interior of the building. A picture window was placed in the office room of the garage and new overhead doors were installed. The "face lifting" was completed with the addition of white shingles on the front of the building.

Parents Accept Vaccine Offer; Also To Be Offered Commercially

One hundred per cent of the parents of first and second graders in Mount Joy are in favor of the mass polio vaccination it was announced. The National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis will offer the vaccination free of charge to all first and second graders with parental consent. This consent was received by Charles Heaps, principal, from all parents.

Dr. Thomas O'Connor, Dr. David Schlosser and Dr. John Gates have volunteered their services to Miss Sadie Brooks, school nurse, in giving the vaccinations in the Mount Joy Elementary School. Several local nurses will also assist in the 3-day shot periods.

Other Children Vaccine Available

Vaccine will be available to children other than those in the first and second grades on a commercial basis. Parents inter-

are members of the Explorers Crew of the troop.

The Lancaster County group will arrive at Philmont August 1 and leave August 13. Henry Fischer, a veteran Philmont, will be one of the three adult leaders who will accompany the group from the county.

Exploring with back packs, the Scouts will push north for 81 miles on the Northbound Expedition. After the first day's shakedown, the Scouts will leave for Carson - Maxwell Base Camp where Kit Carson's old home still stands. The next day will include a hike to the Olympia for basic training in how to live on the trail. On the third day, they will saddle and ride horseback upcountry to Abreu Base Camp.

After this, the next stop is Raydo Base Camp near Raydo River; then to Comanche Trail Camp. The next day, the boys will have reached the top of Philmont mountain, 11,600 feet. The same evening they will reach Comarroncito Base Camp and spend a day there with the forester or the geologist or explore Hidden Valley.

Other places that will be visited are Harlan Trail Camp; Dean Canyon Camp and Bent Camp.

Since the boys are earning their money to cover the cost of the trip, they express their thanks to all the persons who have helped in their fund-raising projects.

Sample Fair Tickets Go On Sale Saturday

Tickets will go on sale this week for the Sample Fair to be held in the local elementary school auditorium Monday, evening, April 25. According to Mrs. Myrtle Normhold, co-chairman, tickets may be purchased at Gainer's Restaurant or from the following committee members: Mrs. Walter Brandt, co-chairman; Mrs. John Wealand, Brown, Mrs. Irvin Smith, Jr., Mrs. Charles Shoemaker, Mrs. Jay Hostetter, Mrs. Asher Beamenderfer, Mrs. Martha Germer, Mrs. Art Sprecher, Mrs. Bruce Mrs. Aldus Hanna, Mrs. George Brown III, Mrs. Jay Meckley, and Mrs. Clyde Triplett.

There are 200 tickets available and when this number is sold, no admission can be granted because the number of samples acquired is in conjunction with the number of tickets sold. Approximately fifty local and national samples will be given to persons attending plus a luncheon.

Following the collection of samples and luncheon, seventy door prizes will be awarded to members of the group.

Mount Joy Lions Will Celebrate Tenth Year

Mount Joy Lions will celebrate their tenth anniversary next week at their meeting at Hostetters' Pavilion.

Earl D. Bausman, past international director from Pittsburgh, will be the guest speaker. Music for the anniversary occasion will be furnished by the Pennsylvania Farm Bureau male chorus of Harrisburg and the Elizabethtown Lion Club Quartet.

Guests of the affair will be wives and friends of Mount Joy Lions Clubs and Earl Horst, of Myerstown, district governor.

Pre-School Exams To Be Given Next Month

Pre-school examinations will be given in the Mount Joy Borough School next month. The tests will be given in the regular kindergarten sessions in the elementary building.

According to reports, it is believed that children who will be taking this test are now in kindergarten. If there are any parents who have children who are not attending kindergarten in Mount Joy this year who expect to enter them in first grade in the fall, they are asked to contact the Mount Joy Elementary School office, 3-9211. Charles Heaps, principal, will arrange a time for the examination to be taken.

ROTARY CLUB SEES FILMS ON ATOMIC BOMB

Mount Joy Rotarians Tuesday noon saw films depicting the 1946 Atomic bomb tests. The pictures were shown by L. James Stevens, chief naval recruiting officer at Lancaster.

CLASSES TOUR PLANT

The Physics and Chemistry classes of the Donegal High School toured the Bethlehem Steel Company in Steelton in conjunction with their studies.



IN GREENLAND—Pvt. Donald E. Zerphney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Zerphney, 152 Manheim St. is now stationed at Sondrestrom Air Base, Greenland. He entered the Army last October, taking basic training at Fort Jackson in South Carolina and an 8-week course of clerk typist in business administration.

Florin Lions Plan Auction; Name Nominees

A Community Auction will be held in Florin by the Florin Lions Club it was announced at the regular meeting of the group Monday night at the Clearview Diner. John M. Hess was named chairman of the project. He said that tentative plans call for the auction to be held at the Florin Hall in May.

Officers were nominated for the new year of the club. Mr. Hess was nominated president; Clarence Hollinger, first vice-president; Irvin Gerber, second vice; Reubin Gooding, third vice; Arthur Wolgemuth, secretary; Charles Johnson, assistant; Robert Johnson, treasurer; Jay Snyder, tail twister; Clayton Eshleman, lion tamer; Donald Staley and Sidney Smith, directors for two years and Woodrow Fitzkee, director for one year. The election will take place on Monday, April 25, and the new officers will take office July 1st.

Prior to the business meeting, an auction was held among the members as a fund-raising project for the convention fund. Harvey Johnson was the auctioneer and took charge of the wrapped items which had a minimum value of \$1.00. Two packages had \$5.00 bills in addition to the items in the packages but the group was not told which ones. Packages sold from \$4.50 to \$8.00 each.

C. Arthur Wolgemuth was named delegate to the state convention in Pittsburgh and John Hess, delegate to the National convention in Atlantic City. Benjamin Staley will be the alternate to the national convention. Mr. Staley, president, had charge of the meeting.

Local Man Renews Drive For Tax Legislation

Clarence Schock announced Monday that he will renew his drive for legislation to exempt from inheritance tax bequests to charitable, religious and educational institutions.

He formerly started his campaign to do away with the 15% inheritance tax on public bequests two years ago when the 1953 legislature was in session and gained widespread support for his program.

Club Completes Plan For Ponds For Fishing

Plans were completed for the club's fishing projects at the regular meeting of the Mt. Joy Sportsmen's Association Monday night. According to the plan, the pond located on the Joy property at the eastern end of Mount Joy, will be ready for "junior" fishing by July 1.

The pond will be stocked with pan fish such as perch, sun fish and crabs fishes. The water in this pond is piped from the Little Chiques Creek. The other pond which is being prepared by the Sportsmen for junior fishing is located near the Florin orchards on the north side of Florin. This pond, according to present plans, will be ready for use next year. First the pond has to be cleaned. This is being completed by C. Robert Frey at the present time. Following this, since the pond is spring fed, the pond will have to remain idle to check the water level over an extreme dry time of the summer months before fish may be stocked in it. When completed, this pond will be available for skating in winter months. Paul Diffenderfer is chairman of this project.

With the opening of trout season this week, the Sportsmen again are offering prizes for the largest fish caught through the remainder of the year. Separate prizes will be awarded for boys and men. A complete list of the rules and fish to be caught for prizes will be listed next week. Elwood Martin, president, was in charge of the meeting.

Joycees Entertain Home Children At Easter Party

Residents of the Messiah Children's Home, Mount Joy R1, were guests of the Mount Joy Joycees Saturday afternoon for an Easter party. The nineteen children were driven from their home to the Mount Joy Elementary School where the party was held in the auditorium and in the playground to the rear of the school.

Supper was served to the children before returning to the home from an Easter-decorated table. Placemats were large white bunnies and individual favors also were placed on the tables. Prizes were awarded to the children who won the egg rolls and the jelly-egg hunts. Mrs. Harold Zimmerman, Jr. was chairman of the affair.

Air Ambulance Service To Be Offered At Donegal Airport

Plane rides for \$100 will be a featured attraction of the re-opening of the Donegal Airway, Inc., located between Mount Joy and Maytown. The rides will be featured both Saturday and Sunday, April 16 and 17 it was announced by Pharis Landis and his son, John. The airport is re-opening on a year-round basis and will feature four types of air service, seven days per week.

The Donegal Airport will operate an air ambulance service. This service will be unique in this part of the state and will be one of the approximate six operating in Pennsylvania. Not being new at this type of service Mr. Pharis Landis, has gained experience in this type of work



Miss Doris Groff, senior at Donegal High School, has been chosen to represent the school at the Pennsylvania State Laurel Festival June 17 and 18. She was chosen for her beauty, poise, charm, personality, general appearance and behavior. The festival, sponsored by the Wellsboro Chamber of Commerce, is held in honor of the state flower, Mountain Laurel. A State Laurel Queen will be chosen from the candidates.

Kindergarten Registration Is May 5th

Parents of children who expect to enter the Mount Joy Public School Kindergarten in September of 1955 are requested to bring their children to the Mount Joy Elementary School for registration, Thursday, May 5.

Only children who will be five years old before February 1, 1956 will be registered; (Children who were born on or before January 31, 1951 may register).

Parents are requested to be sure that each child has a birth certificate or similar acceptable evidence of birth to present for registration. The child must have a vaccination certificate to present at registration or by the first day of school.

The hours of registration are from 8:30 a.m. until 3:45 p. m. in the grade school office, Charles Heaps, principal announced.

Only children whose parents reside in the borough of Mount Joy are eligible to attend the school.

TENDERFOOT SCOUTS

Two new boys were admitted to the Mount Joy Boy Scout Troop 39 at the meeting of the group Monday night. David Smith and Duane Ramsey were admitted to the troop at Tenderfoot Scouts.

Engineer Says: Can Be Available At Next Meeting

Following the transaction of the water business at the April Borough Authority meeting on Tuesday, Chairman Sam Miller threw the meeting open to a discussion of the proposed sewer system. In this discussion all the members of Council took a lively part. The Engineer, Joseph Michels reported that the surveys which are required for the design of a sewer system are approximately 80% complete, the portions not completed are largely those areas of the borough which have seen recent development and expansion. He presented completed plans for the treatment plant, the details of which had been discussed at previous meetings.

Before any contracts may be advertised, or work undertaken, specific approval for the project must be received from the State Health Department. The Engineer reported that his associate has been in conference with the State Engineer on the preliminary phase of the treatment problem and that in general, the plans have been drawn to meet those recommendations. A preliminary report presented to the Authority, will now be presented to the State Health Dept. for approval. The report is complete except for certain financial data which usually accompanies such a document. This data will be gathered shortly and at the next Authority meeting the reaction of the State Health Department will be given.

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Donegal To Be Represented At District Band

Miss Sara Jane Portner, senior at Donegal High, will represent the school in district band this weekend at Millertown. Franko Goldman will be the guest conductor in the band in which Miss Portner will play snare drum.

She also played in the county orchestra, district orchestra and state orchestra this year. She and one other student, Renate Platzoder, represented the school in district orchestra; she and six others from Lancaster County played in the state orchestra concert and she and seven other from Donegal played in county orchestra.

She began her music career in Marietta in the fifth grade. In the former high school, she played in the school band and also attended district orchestra in her sophomore year. Other experience gained was her television appearances with the Latin American Band of the school over the York television and Lancaster television stations. H. Morrell Shields is music director in charge at the school.

Wolgemuth Resigns As Local Fire Company President

Miller Wolgemuth, president of the Mount Joy Friendship Fire Company, submitted his resignation from his office in the company at the regular meeting of the group last Thursday evening.

Mr. Wolgemuth's resignation will become effective Thursday, May 5. He had previously been president of the company for the past four terms and 3 months of the 1955 term. No one was appointed to fill the office at the present time.