

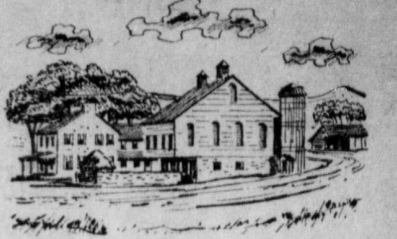
# The Mount Joy Bulletin

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## Board Hears Objections On Sewage Plant Site

### Local Area Exhibitors Win Prizes At Annual Pennsylvania Farm Show

#### Sam Balsbaugh Is Chosen Head Of Chamber

Samuel Balsbaugh was elected president of the local Chamber of Commerce for the new year at the annual dinner meeting of the group held at Hostetter's Pavilion Monday night.

Larmon Smith was chosen first vice president; Jay Meckley, second vice president; Maurice Bailey, secretary; and Carl S. Krall, treasurer.

The election was made following the election of five new members to the fifteen-man board. New directors include Clyde Gerberich, Jr., Jay Meckley, Paris Hostetter, Charles Ruhl, and Charles Fish.

Other members of the board include Mr. Balsbaugh, Daniel Wolgemuth, Paul Stoner, Clark Berrier, Melvin Weaver, Larmon Smith, Robert Fry, Mr. Bailey, Clarence C. Newcomer and John Booth. Outgoing directors were Adam Greer, James Heilig, Robert Hurst, George Keener and Walter Sloan.

Dr. Clyde Stein, dean of men at the Millersville State Teachers College, was the guest speaker. Dr. Stein spoke on "Let's Do Things On a Local Level". In his talk he elaborated on suggestions that "the bigger Washington gets, the smaller the local town gets" and "let's stop asking for federal handouts".

#### Volunteers Needed For Mothers March

Volunteers are needed for the Mothers' March on Polio for Mount Joy. This is the annual door-to-door drive which climaxes the March of Dimes and Dollars campaign. The campaign ends the end of January with the Birthday Ball to be held in the Moose Hall Ballroom Friday, Feb. 3.

The exact evening for the drive has not been set at the present time for the county but it will be during the last week of the month.

All volunteers are asked to contact Mrs. Warren Funk, E. Main Street, Phone 3-5564.

Exhibitors from the area have been awarded prizes in the Pennsylvania Farm Show in Harrisburg for tobacco, foods and sewing. Tobacco winners include Jay Hostetter, Manheim R1; J. Arthur Swarr, Landisville; James Bucher, Manheim R1; John Musser, Mount Joy R1; Trilda Jean Bucher, Manheim R1; Lizzie Snyder, Manheim R4; Donald Swarr, Landisville; Mrs. Mildred Nissley, Manheim R4; Landis Nissley, Manheim R4; E. Richard Zook, Manheim R1 and Albert Hostetter, Manheim R1.

Mrs. William S. Longenecker, Mount Joy, won fourth place for braided rugs; Mrs. Allen B. Shearer, Manheim R2, second in crocheted rag rugs; Mrs. Dorothy Hitz, Mount Joy, first in rolled cookies; Thelma Good, Mount Joy, fourth.

Mrs. Ruth Shearer, Manheim R2 and Mrs. Allen Shearer, Manheim R2, won numerous awards for dried vegetables and fruits. Judy Martin, Landisville won first for her cotton suit and Susan Newton, Landisville, won first for her wool skirt.

Richard Heagy, Mount Joy R1, received fourth prize in the Berkshire class; and Kenneth Newcomer, Mount Joy, placed twelfth in Berkshires. A. H. Weidman, Manheim R1, placed fifth in the 30-ear Hybrid Dent class of corn; Samuel Long, of Manheim R4, placed first in the Shropshire class of sheep; Henry Greiner, Manheim R4, placed third in the Hampshire Fat lambs; Miss Jane Greiner, Manheim R4, placed third in the Southdown Fat Lambs.

Mrs. Allen Shearer placed fifth in the apron class. Mrs. Allen B. Shearer won fifth prize for her tomato juice; Miss Jane Greiner, Manheim R4, won first prize in the dressed poultry carcass division and Samuel Long, Manheim R4, won second; Kenneth Young of Mount Joy, won first prize in the heifers one year to 18 mos. old. Mrs. Allen Shearer won fourth prize for her dried apples and Mrs. Ruth Shearer, of Manheim R2, won third prize for dried apples. They also won prizes for their dried peaches, dried corn, dried lima beans, dried Navy beans, dried Soybeans, and dried peas.

Five members of the Witness Oak Chapter, Future Farmers of America, of Donegal High School transported their animals to Harrisburg for exhibition in the Pennsylvania Farm Show last Friday. After a week-end of fitting their animals for entrance in the show ring Monday, Jan. 9, the judging of the boys' animals was announced.

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#### Retail Merchants Name Adam Greer As Chairman

Retail Merchants Committee of Mount Joy and Florin last night held a dinner meeting at Hostetter's Banquet Hall.

Adam Greer was nominated as chairman for the coming year, with James Roberts as secretary and Leonard Safko as treasurer.

John Way, who has been chairman since the organization was formed a year and a half ago, gave a report on the year's activities. Samuel Balsbaugh gave the treasurer's report.

Mr. Way declined nomination for another year, stating that he felt someone else should take over the responsibilities. Mr. Balsbaugh also declined because of his duties as Chamber of Commerce president.

Chairman Greer in accepting the nomination declared that he expected full support from the merchants in the planning and carrying out of promotions. After considerable discussion, it was voted to hold Sales Days on January 26, 27 and 28.

#### PREPARING FOR SEWERAGE

Mount Joy is being "painted red" this week! In conjunction with the sewerage plans, red markers are being painted on the curbs to indicate the place that gas lines enter the dwellings.

Holes are being drilled in the streets throughout the town also. This action is to find the rock formation prior to the laying of the sewerage lines.

#### Red Top Mill Is Sold

The announcement has been made that the Red Top Grain and Feed Company, Inc., North Market Street, has been sold. With the completion of the arrangements, the mill will return to the making of flour.

Details of the new company will be given next week.

#### LEAVES FOR FLORIDA

Mrs. Doris Byle will leave for a two-week stay in Florida with her father. While spending the visit, she also intends to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gable in Puerto Rico.



STUDENT OF MONTH—Nelson Hess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hess of Reems, is being honored by Mount Joy Rotary club as Student of the Month.

#### Local Jurors Named For Court Session

Local names are included in the 324 residents called to serve terms of Quarter Sessions and Common Pleas Courts by the Jury Commissioners.

Petit jurors to serve at the March 12 term of Quarter Sessions Court from this locality will be Dorothy Dourte, Manheim R2; Bertha Gibble, Manheim R2; Anna E. Ruhl, Rheems; Bernard Thome, Mt. Joy R2; Elmer F. Shelly, Manheim R2; Jacob Corll, South Barbara St.; Emma Mellinger, Mount Joy R1; John Germer, Jr., Marietta Avenue; John L. Schroll, East Donegal St.; Abram Weidman, Manheim R1; Thomas Tillett, Landisville; and Iola Hug, of Landisville.

Common Pleas Jurors will serve at the January 16 session of Common Pleas Court are Elmer F. Groff, Rheems; North Loucks, Maytown; Pauline Brandt, Maytown; Laura Heisey, Manheim R1; Charles Ashenfelter, West Main Street; James Vogel, Landisville; Ralph Saunders, Florin; Mary Lou Stehman, Manheim R1; and Eva Reigle, Columbia Avenue.

Jurors drawn to serve at the March 26 term of Common Pleas Court are Lloyd Cooke, Florin; Elsie Brill, North Barbara Street; Abram Eshleman, Mt. Joy R2; Christine Brown, Delta Street; Ethel Culp, Maytown; and Isaac Wagner, Florin.

#### OFFICES ARE MOVED

The offices of Wiley and Ruff Insurance Agency, Clarence C. Newcomer, law offices, and Daniel Garman, investments offices, have moved from their former location. The move was made two doors west of the former offices on the north side of East Main Street.

First List of Nominees in THE BULLETIN

**"Everybody Wins"**

Subscription Contest

Early nominees are listed below in alphabetical order. Next week's issues will show relative standing up to date.

C. F. Auker	R. D. 2, Mount Joy, Pa.
Gerald F. Becker	R. D. 2, Mount Joy, Pa.
Abram Bradley	R. D. 1, Mount Joy, Pa.
Marie Brandt	R. D. 2, Mount Joy, Pa.
Mrs. Helen Brosey	R. D. 2, Mount Joy, Pa.
Jim Brown	32 West Donegal St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Joann Brown	209 East Main St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Mrs. John Dunk	Florin, Pa.
Kitty Gephart	23 South Barbara St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Arthur Gish	R. D. 2, Mount Joy, Pa.
Mrs. Michael Gratch	Maytown, Pa.
David Greer	Maytown, Pa.
Charles C. Groff	32 Old Market St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Mrs. Rav Haug	218 W. Main St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Bernell Heisey	107 Poplar Street, Mount Joy, Pa.
Martha Hess	R. D. 1, Mount Joy, Pa.
Charles R. Kepple	214 N. Barbara St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Sandra Mateor	214 Mount Joy St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Anna M. Mumma	116 S. Market St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Bruce C. Myers	107 W. Main St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Earl W. Meyers	206 N. Barbara St., Mount Joy, Pa.
G. F. Naugle	124 Delta St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Mrs. Ralph Rice	45 Columbia Ave., Mount Joy, Pa.
Edwin D. Ruhl, Jr.	304 S. Arch St., Elizabethtown, Pa.
Harold Ruhl	2425 Old Phila. Pike, Lancaster, Pa.
Jam's Rutt	166 New Haven St., Mount Joy, Pa.
John F. Shrum	West Wood St., Florin, Pa.
John E. Tyndall	N. Market St., Florin, Pa.
Joe M. Wolgemuth	R. D. 2, Mount Joy, Pa.
Charles D. Waltz	15 Lumber St., Mount Joy, Pa.
Jerry Williams	209 W. Donegal St., Mount Joy, Pa.

Additional entries received will be included among complete list of entries to appear in next week's issue.

Get In The Race Today And Be A Big Prize Winner February 25th

### Engineers Say Location Is 'Most Economical'; Residents Give Views

Objections to the proposed site would not care for future development to the south. Site Adequate, Engineers say

Engineers Michels and Miller stated that the plant and site selected would take care of any foreseeable development.

Chairman Mumma reminded Mr. Rengier that the zoning Board of Adjustment could only rule on the site under question and could not be concerned with alternate sites.

Mr. Rengier also commented that it might be true that a sewage treatment plant if operating perfectly would give off no objectionable odors. He stated, however, that no plant is perfect and that there would be times therefore when there would be odors.

Mr. Hedrick objected on the grounds of odors that might rise from the plant at times.

"Would any of you want to own property adjacent to a sewage plant?" asked Mr. Haines, expressing the opinion that properties in the area would be depreciated.

V. F. W. Opposes

Mr. Ginder said that location of the site would interfere with the V. F. W. plans and that the V. F. W. is opposed.

Chairman Mumma asked if the Authority owned any of the property involved or had options. On a negative answer, Mr. Mumma then queried: "How can we listen to this exception if the Authority does not own the property? It seems to me the legal way would be for the Authority to have options before asking for a ruling."

To this Mr. Michels answered that the Authority had not considered it wise to attempt to acquire the property until certain the project was going ahead. He said that the authority will do all in its power to acquire the property on a fair and equitable basis, but that it could as a last resort, all else failing, secure the property through court action.

Compensation Suggested

Mr. Mumma asked Mr. Michels how much it would cost to locate the plant further down the creek. Mr. Michels answered "very much." Then Mr. Mumma asked: "How much in dollars?" Mr. Michels said \$100,000 would be the very minimum, with the figure more likely being closer to \$150,000.

Robert Resser, Authority member, pointed out that the community as a whole must be considered. He recognized that property values might be affected and said he felt sure that the Authority would expect to compensate the property owners.

Mr. Brown repeated the opposition of the V. F. W. and expressed the opinion that the people of Mount Joy probably would not object to spending an additional \$100,000 in a project which it has been estimated will cost around \$1,500,000 to have the plant located further down the creek outside the borough.

Mr. Michels said that if the plant were located outside the borough it would be only a matter of time before the site would be annexed.

Mr. Mumma, after asking for any further comments, adjourned the meeting with assurances to Authority representatives that the board would give its decision in a few days, well aware of the importance of as little delay as possible.

To Report New Families Who Are to be Visited Call MJ-3-9763

## Race Is On In Bulletin Subscription Contest

By Royce and Era Crow Contest Managers

All around Mount Joy buzzed with excitement the past week as the greatest prize giving event of all was announced in the pages of this newspaper. Hundreds of people looked forward to seeing the first prize 1956 Chevrolet which is soon to be on display at the Newcomer Motors, Inc., showroom of Mt. Joy.

The Physician On Call Sunday Dr. John Gates

A number of contestants came in and entered the contest and more will be interviewed this week and entered in the great "Everybody Wins" contest. Many more contestants are still needed to properly cover the territory in the short time allotted the contest. In addition to this Chevrolet sedan, worth \$2,450.00 there is a second grand award of \$750.00 in cash and four big cash bonus awards. In addition to this, every active participant will receive a weekly commission check for 20 per cent (or \$1.00 out of every \$5.00 collected) of his or her subscription sale.

Therefore there can be no losers, as everyone who works gets paid. This contest is not a guessing game, a puzzle solver or a "drawing" and requires no investment of any kind on the part of the contestants, now or later. Entries will not be asked to answer some "jackpot" question, write a letter on "Why I like this Newspaper" or put a "lucky ticket" in a bowl. No, there are no "catches" or hidden purses in this contest. It is purely and simply a contest based on effort alone and the participant who earns the most votes on the sale of subscriptions to this newspaper will win the Grand Prize award.

It is as simple as that. Here's What To Do Now, let's be brief and tell you what to do. The contest office is located in the office of The Bulletin at Mount Joy. The phone number is 3-8671. If you would like to take advantage of this liberal and altogether attractive offer, simply drop into the contest office or give us a ring on the phone. A representative of the Liner Circulation Service has been engaged to handle this contest and is here to explain to any and all who care to learn, whether or not you enter the contest. After you have read the de-

tails you will be handed an entry blank. If you think the deal is a good one you may sign the entry blank and obtain a subscription receipt book. From then on you are a representative of this newspaper for the duration or until February 25th. If you like this idea, come on in and you have the assurance that it will cost you nothing to try what in all probability may be the best step you have made in your life. Special offers are made to the early starters, too. This Is Entry Week. Think! Then make up your mind to win, set action to your determination and get in. Let

a pencil, a receipt book, plus the will to win, lead you right into the driver's seat of that wonderful Chevrolet. This is known as Entry Week. Next week, when the first standing of contestants is published marks the real beginning of what promises to be a most exciting and interesting race. Those who jump right in, take full advantage of the special offers in votes, will make a good showing in the first vote tabulation. In truth, you could be the leader, which, in theory at least might mean "one foot on the runningboard". But time is important. Please do not delay any longer!