

830 Handicapped Persons Served Through Society

Through your contributions to Easter Seals, United Campaign, special donations and the many hours of volunteer service, the Lancaster County Society for Crippled Children and Adults was able to give special treatment to 830 handicapped persons in Lancaster city and county. It is a real pleasure for me to report on a few of the many services you offered to your handicapped neighbors and friends in 1955.

Sixty-one (61) clinics were held so that the orthopedic surgeons, Dr. P. David Nutter and Dr. Marvin C. Goodman, the pediatricians, Dr. David B. Coursin and Dr. Charles H. Kurtz and the neurosurgeon, Dr. John L. Polcyn could examine, diagnose and prescribe for any crippled person. Any patient is eligible for this service regardless of age, race, creed or color, if he is financially unable to provide this for himself. Seventeen (17) operations were performed and 1,074 examinations were made by these busy specialists. The largest single diagnosis being Cerebral Palsy, (93) and next, Poliomyelitis (77). Besides the many visits to the brace mechanic—G. Zielke in Florin, Pa., 6 extra brace clinics were held. In addition to adjustments and repairs to braces 47 new ones were ordered.

4,338 visits were made to the patients for supervision and guidance in orthopedic problems by the orthopedic nurse, Mrs. Anna Thompson; teaching daily activities and self-help by the occupational therapist, Miss Joanne Haines, and reeducating or strengthening muscles by the physical therapist, Mrs. Constance Reilly. The greater part of these visits were made into the homes of patients, many of whom were unable to get to the Treatment Center at 129 East Orange Street, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

Because of crowded facilities, the Preschool Cerebral Palsy Center moved from the Burrows School, Lancaster Township to George Ross School, City School District. The same highly specialized services are available in psychological evaluation and guidance by Dr. S. June Smith, psychologist; kindergarten teaching and guidance by Mrs. M. Elizabeth Newton; speech by Mrs. C. E. Swezey; physical and occupational therapy by our staff. The center is open Monday through Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. with 21 children registered. It is a co-operative program of the Crippled Children's Society, the city and county school districts. Volunteers work hand and hand with the personnel at the Center. More volunteers could be used to help in this work.

In the Corrective Swimming Class, 11 children were given regular swimming instructions by Mrs. J. Haines Shertzer. A physical therapist from the staff attends all the sessions and plans which stroke should be emphasized to strengthen muscles for each child's handicap. This is a co-operative program of the YWCA, another Red Feather Agency.

Seven severely handicapped individuals enjoy weekly sessions at the Treatment Center in the Craft class. The main objective of the occupational therapist is to offer a recreational and social program for the class. However, several in the group are able to make articles which are saleable. Each person is required to do his best so no time limit is set for an article to be finished. If more money and space was available this program could be expanded.

It is with deep regret we announce the resignation of our excellent secretary, Patricia Connor. We are however, happy to announce that she has been replaced by Miss Frances Cope of Manheim, Pa.

Confident in the work of the Society by special donations of \$3,789.44 enabled us to finish our work at the end of 1955 without going into the "red."

The county seat of Wayne County has moved four times, finally settling at Honesdale.

Contestants In Bulletin Subscription Drive



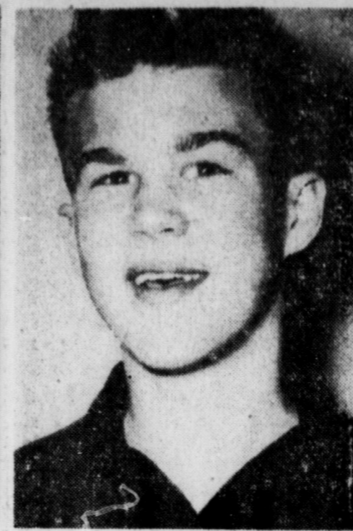
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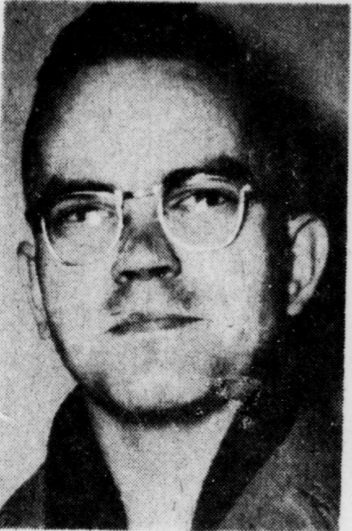
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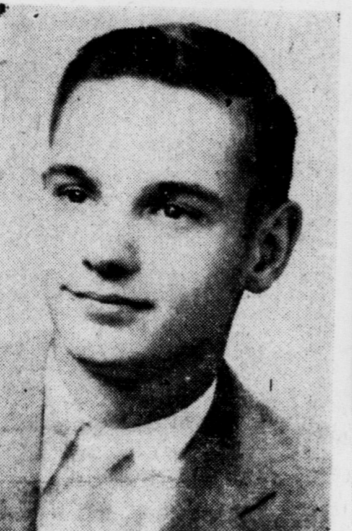
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Four To Be Elected To Farm Bureau Board at Meeting

Four members will be elected to the board of directors of Lancaster County Farm Bureau at the organization's 21st annual meeting on Feb. 15.

Charles C. Burkins, general manager of the cooperative said the meeting would begin at 10 a. m. at the Guernsey Breeders Sales Pavilion at Ronks.

Burkins said the guest speaker would be Kenneth Hood, assistant secretary of the American Farm Bureau Federation, Chicago. Hood formerly served as an extension agriculture economist at Penna. State University.

The nominating committee has announced the following slate of candidates for the directorships:

Northeastern district — Samuel E. Heisey, Sheridan R1, incumbent; and Herbert M. Royer, Lancaster R5.

Northwestern district — Abner H. Risser, Bainbridge R1, incumbent; and Paul M. Wolgemuth, E-town R3.

Southeastern district — Howard D. Wagner, Quarryville R2, incumbent; and James R. Wood, Nottingham R1.

Southwestern district — Mark S. Hess, Lancaster R6, incumbent; and Christian K. Neff, of Millersville R1.

Additional nominations may be made from the floor of the meeting.

GOLD BADGE AWARDED

Both Ronald Eberle and Patty Northold were awarded the gold badge for the week among the sixth grade patrolmen. They will share the badge for the week because they helped a small child who had fallen on the ice.

Four special merits were also awarded to outstanding patrolmen. Merits were received by Patty, Ronald, Connie Anderson and Cynthia Tripple.

NAVY RECRUITING LOCAL MEN TO TRAIN IN SAN DIEGO

The Navy will fly a group of local men to San Diego, Calif. for Recruit Training as the "Swamasters", according to word received today from Chief L. J. Stevens, in charge of the Lancaster Navy Recruiting Station.

The "Swamasters" will be a special company of local Navy recruits who will train together and will be assigned to the Navy Aviation program, upon completion of training. The "Seamasters" derive their name from the worlds first jet seaplane, the Martin "Seamaster."

Immediately after their enlistment at the Glen L. Martin Aircraft Company in Baltimore, Md., at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, Feb. 28th, the group, comprising men from Maryland and Central Pennsylvania, will board planes for the flight to San Diego, California.

Every member of the company, according to Chief Stevens, will be assigned to Aviation, and those qualifying either at the local office, or later, will be assured an Aviation trade school.

Quotas for the "California Bound" group will be fairly large, and there should be vacancies for all desiring to "spend the winter in the sun" but in case these vacancies fill up, they will be accepted on a "first-come-first served basis."

ROSE SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

The Elizabethtown Rose Society has elected the following officers: President, Mrs. S. A. Shaeffer; vice president, Raymond Baum; secretary, Mrs. Palmer McNelly; treasurer, A. S. Hoffman.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 23.

The society is planning a bus trip to the Philadelphia Flower Show on March 12. Any of the officers may be contacted for reservations.

DONEGAL BAND CLUB MEETS AT SCHOOL

By-Laws of the Donegal High School band club were approved at the regular meeting of the group Monday night, in the school. The canvass of business and individuals for donations toward the uniforms is nearly complete. Only in the borough, the canvass is not completed.

Souvenir plates of Donegal High School are still available. The group is selling them at \$2 each. Samuel Harnish, president, was in charge of the meeting.

WCTU MEETING

Local W. C. T. U. will meet in the E. U. B. Church on Monday Feb. 13 at 7:30 P. M. During the program a film will be shown and everyone is invited.

4-H CLUB PRESENTS TROPHYS AT BANQUET

Henry Greiner, Manheim R4, was among the four Lancaster County 4-H'ers to be presented with a trophy by M. M. Smith, county agent at a banquet held last Friday at the Armstrong Cork Company auditorium.

Henry was given the trophy because he exhibited the reserve champion lambs and steer at the state fair last month. The affair was the annual Red Rose 4-H Baby Beef and Lamb banquet.

Y-TEENS CHOOSE STUDENTS

Miss Susan Fellenbaum has been chosen as the I.C.C. (Inter Club Council) representative from Donegal High School Y-Teen Club. She will attend the mid-conference. Miss Esther Wolgemuth has been chosen as the alternate.

Lancaster County Extension Service Plan Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of our Lancaster County Extension Association will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 14 at 6:30 P. M. in the social room of the First Presbyterian Church, 136 E. Orange St., Lancaster.

The meeting will provide an opportunity for County Extension Workers to give brief reports of the educational program conducted during the year. In addition, there will be a short business meeting of the Association including the election of an Extension Executive Committee.

The Rev. James R. Carroll, minister of the Central Presbyterian Church, Buffalo, N. Y., will be the guest speaker. The Rev. Mr. Carroll is known to many Lancaster Countians since he served as pastor at Chestnut Level Presbyterian Church for a number of years and also was an active 4-H Club Leader in the Southern part of the County. We are fortunate to be able to secure him as guest speaker. To add variety to the program the very popular 4-M Holstein Quartet will present several numbers.

This event will start with an evening meal requiring advance reservations; tickets may be secured from any member of the present Executive Committee or from this Extension Office. Reservation deadline is noon on Friday, Feb. 10.

ATTENDS SALES SCHOOL

John E. Tyndall, local representative of the Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, Nationwide Mutual Fire Insurance Company and Nationwide Life Insurance Company at Florin, Pa., is one of 40 agents who attended the Sales Training School being conducted by Nationwide Insurance of Columbus, Ohio from January 22 to January 27, 1956.

Honor Roll Is Announced At Donegal High

Six senior high students were placed on the first honor roll for receiving all "A's" at the Donegal High School for the third report period. They are Lina Iwanoski, Barbara Thome, Tony Martin, Sandra Koser and Patricia Charles, sophomores. Forty-one junior high school students were named to the first honor roll. They are Rhoda Hess, Robert Brandt, Sally Schroll, Jean Heisey, Helen Felty, Patricia Brenner, Barbara Shuman, Darla Kulp, and Chytha Lehman, juniors; Ninth graders: Joan Shuman, Jane Brubaker, David Nissley, Joan Sheaffer, Harriet Hawthorne, Karen Baker, Robert Hopple, Patricia Johnstin, Jay Lehman, Samuel Grove, James Bennett, Patricia Phillips, Carol Cupper, Joanne Zuch, Carole Garlin and Beverly VanDine, eighth graders.

Linda Sumpman, Carol Gratch, Barbara Brown, Jean Collier, Marion Gerlitzki, Rachel Ann Nolt, Deanna Walker, Peggy Brill, Cheryl Brown, Fay Lucas, Joanne Martin, John Martin, Linda Hayden, David Johns, William Young, Lorraine Felty, seventh graders.

Forty-three students of the senior high school were named to the "B" honor roll. They are Joan Schneider, Joyce Martin, Joanne Landis, Lynn Fackler, Samho Stephanis, Miriam Nell, Louise Horning, Carol Ginder, Miriam Bell, David Bomberger, Jan Shope, Betty McKain, Emily Nissley, Peggy Wolfe, Miriam Roland, James Pennell, and Asher Halbleib, seniors; James Shank, Eunice Hess, Phyllis Wolgemuth, Elaine Showater, Dorothy Noll, Arlene Heisey, Nancy Royer, Betty Baugher, LeRoy Kaylor, Glenn Hess, juniors; Geri Strickler, Aglaia Stephanis, Janice Hoffman, Robert Buchenauer, Janet Sheaffer, Ruth Krall, Jane Sweitzer, Patricia Mumper, Jean Mumma, Patricia Mihalik, Kay Bauserman, John Bender, Mary Smith, Joan Gilbert and Robert Shireman, sophomores.

Eighty-four students of the junior high school were named to the second honor roll. The ninth graders are Harry Thomas, Donald Zeller, Judy Kyle, Nancy Simmons, JoAnn Thome, Norma Eichler, Linda Felty, Carolyn Showalter, Edith Weaver, Joyce Berrier, Lois Franke, Joanne Hart, Judith Heisey, Marlene Metzler, Sylvia Mumper, oan Wenger, Daniel Fitzkee, Lawrence Wittle, J. Musser Wolgemuth, Sally Ann Hollinger, Jackie Mariner, Ronald Sager, Larry Pardee and Donald White.

Eighth graders are Gary Gilliam, Donald McGarvey, Bruce Shetter, Grace Yeagley, Raymond Riley, Ronald Pennell, Marie Ebersole, Evelyn Esbenschade, Emalou Grable, Nancy Pennell, Peggy Sload, James Zuch, Donald Clark, Thelma Good, Anna Spangler, Ronald Corll, Charles Shaffner, Judith Barriek, Joanne Darrenkamp, Nancy Fellenbaum, Kathleen Goodall, Charlotte Wolgemuth, Rita B. Johnson, Linda Kleiner, Ardis Wolgemuth, Robert Cunningham, Carl Hamlin, Daniel Mower, Robert Woods, Mary Sutter and Jean Wolgemuth.

Seventh graders are Carol Rapp, Donna Charles, Jeanette Appleby, John Matterna, Kenneth Brubaker, Carol Goepfrich, Glenn Peifer, Dennis Fuhrman, Sandra Barnhart, Stanley Kamkowski, David Smith, Carol Marley, Sandy Miller, Charles Cunningham, John D'ek, James Phillips, Anna Rapp, Rebecca Richards, Clayton Showalter, Carole West, David Hess, Jere Koser, Phyllis Brown, Kathleen Gutshall, Sandra Roberts, Kathleen Sload, Kenneth Shearer, Mary Lou Goodling, and Debra Weatherwax.

Tickets Go On Sale For Lion Minstrel Show

Two additional end men complete the six stars of the coming Lions Minstrel Show to be held in the Donegal High School auditorium, Friday and Saturday nights, February 24 and 25. Grant Miller will play Sachmo and Charles Ashenfelt will be Rasputin.

Miss Janet Gibbons, a physical education instructor at Donegal High School, is teaching the chorus to do a "chair dance" for the event.

Tickets are now on sale for the show. Adult tickets will sell for one dollar and students tickets, sixty cents. There will be no reserve seats and the tickets will entitle the purchaser to use them either night of the show. Members of the local club are now selling the tickets.

SCHOOL SLOW SIGNS PLACED IN BOROUGHS
School, Slow signs are appearing in the borough compliments of the 7-Up soft drink company. Lee Holtzman secured them for use in the borough to remind motorists when school children are crossing the streets.



Harrisburg—Fred Waring, famous choral director and television star, will serve as Campaign Chairman for the 1956 Cancer Crusade to be conducted next April throughout Pennsylvania by the American Cancer Society.

This announcement was made in Harrisburg today by James M. Brittain, Esq., Pennsylvania Division President. "Mr. Waring who served as head of the 1955 educational and fund raising Cancer Crusade is the first man to serve twice as State Chairman for the Cancer Crusade," Mr. Brittain stated.