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## WILL BEGIN CONSTRUCTION WORK ON SEWER TREATMENT PLANT MONDAY

### Lions Club Host To Foreign Guests At Breakfast Here

Four Canadians and two women from Scotland were guests at the second annual Pancake Breakfast Saturday morning sponsored by the local Lions Club. Puzzling two automobiles' occupants by being stopped by local police, the persons were told that they could be the guests at the Pancake Breakfast then in session at the local firehall.

Included in the first group were Colonel and Mrs. C. S. Casto, c/o U. S. Embassy, Ottawa, Canada, and their two children, Donn and Carole. The second group included Miss Betty MacDonald, of Millbrook, Ontario, Canada, whose home address is 83 Bellmyre Ave., Dumfries, Scotland; Miss Madge McGlynn, 4 Tillamurn Road, Mewarthill, Lanarkshire, Scotland; Miss Marda Harris 45 Manor Rd. East, Toronto, Can.; Miss Rhena V. Gordon, 29 Mississauga Road North, Port Credit, Ontario, Canada. The four women of the second vehicle not only ate their breakfast but stayed at the firehouse to talk with the club members and other guests.

Two hundred, sixty persons were served "as many pancakes as they could eat", syrup, sausage, fruit and coffee in the breakfast from 6 a.m. until 12 noon, Girl Scouts of the troop sponsored by the club were also guests of the breakfast.

The Quaker Oats Company donated the Aunt Jemima Pancake Mix, the plates, place mats, posters, souvenir pins and lollypops for the affair. The Red Rose Dairy donated the milk; the Pennsylvania Power and Light Company, the use of the griddle plates; and the Vermont Main Syrup, a reduction on the cost of the syrup. The club also appreciates the use of the firehouse for the breakfast.

### PTA Hears Panel Talk At Donegal

"What will your child study next year?" was the subject of a Panel discussion held at the recent meeting of the Donegal P.T.A. meeting. The panel members, Wilbur I. Beahm, John Hart and Ralph Coleman, principals, Ragner Hallgren and Miss Lily Martin, guidance counselors, each discussed one of the five major curriculums, academic, business, industrial arts, agricultural and general.

To date 216 members have joined the new organization. Although there will be no meetings between now and the end of the school term, parents and interested citizens may still be included on the charter by paying their dues until the end of the school term in June. Dues may be paid to Mr. Hallgren at the school or to Mrs. Edward Brown, West Donegal Street, Mount Joy.

The Rev. Howard Bernhard, president, was in charge of the meeting. The Rev. Lester Koder pastor of the local Trinity Lutheran Church, was in charge of devotions for the meeting.

### WINS HANDY MAN CONTEST

J. W. Eshleman, Lancaster RI, was declared the "Handiest Man Around Town" at the Lancaster Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored "Farm, Home and Make-It-Yourself Show" Mr. Eshleman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eshleman of Mount Joy.

### To Report New Families Who Are to be Visited

Call MJ-3-9763

### New Banking Hours

Beginning this week, the local First National and Trust Company, Union National Bank Florin Bank and Maytown Bank will remain open Friday nights for business from 5 to 8 p.m.

Friday, April 13, is the first day for the new hours. Regular banking hours will be held each Friday closing at 2:00 p.m. and reopening at 5:00 p.m. There will be no banking hours Saturday mornings beginning April 14th.

Individual notices have been sent to the banks' customers announcing the change. Since

the change in policy provides for the elimination of minor holiday observances, more banking services will be offered to the communities.

Some of the days on which the banks formerly closed and will now remain open for business are Lincoln's birthday, Washington's birthday, Columbus Day, Flag Day and Veterans' Day.

Other communities where banks have adopted a similar policy of Friday night banking hours are Manheim, E. Petersburg, Lancaster, one bank in Columbia, Harrisburg, Lebanon and Campbeltown.

### Staffs Chosen At Donegal For Next Year

Miss Arlene Heisey has been chosen editor of the Donegal Hi-Lites newspaper for the school term of 1956-57. Miss Audrey Musser was elected news editor; Miss Cynthia Lehman, business manager; Miss Suzanna Walters, art editor; Miss Ruth Loewen, sports editor; and Miss Judy Naugle, feature editor.

Miss Mary Ann Felty was chosen editor-in-chief of the '57 Yearbook. LeRoy Kaylor was chosen business manager; Kenneth Appley, advertising manager; Miss Elaine Showalter, circulation manager; James Bailey, organization editor; Douglas Fish, photography editor; and Miss Nancy Royer, art editor.

The theme for the next year's book will be "Gay Nineties". The book will be published by the American Yearbook Co.

### MAIL BOXES PAINTED

Local mail boxes took on the "new look" this week when they were changed from the previously standard green to red and blue with white lettering.

### Marble Tournament Plans Near Completion For Town

Plans have been completed for the V.F.W. Post 5752-sponsored Marble Tournament for Mount Joy and vicinity. This event is held on a local level in conjunction with the national V.F.W. Last year 30,000 boys under fifteen years of age entered the contest.

A local winner will be escorted to the department tournament in York, Saturday, May 26, 1 p.m. A department winner will then compete in national competition in Tallahassee, Florida, Friday and Saturday, June 22 and 23. This trip is an all-expense-paid trip for the winner with a chaperone provided by the state department.

The Mount Joy contest will begin April 17 when students of the grades will play for grade winners. The grade winners will compete in the local play-off contest Saturday, May 12. A raindate of May 19 is also named. The post announces that transportation will be provided for all children needing it following the matches both after school and at the Saturday playoff.

The first three winners will receive medals and the winners of each grade will also receive prizes. Both the winner and the runner-up will go to York for the department playoff; the winner to play, the runner-up as alternate.

Letters are being sent home to the parents of the boys giving instruction on how the boys

### Fund Total Announced For Ambulance

The ambulance committee reports that collections to date for the new ambulance fund total \$3,263.07. The announcement was made at the Thursday night meeting of the local fire company.

The trustees and financial secretary were instructed to transfer funds into two \$500 U. S. government savings bonds for the relief fund.

Six new members were accepted into the company. They are The Rev. E. M. Moyer, the company's chaplain, John H. Chard, John K. Snyder, Earl Goodling, J. C. Musser and Geo. H. Hudnick.

The parade committee will attempt to locate the company's original hook and ladder truck. If the men can find the vehicle they will parade it in the Lititz Centennial parade celebration in July. Ray Myers, fire chief, reported answering three fire calls during March. Earl Zink, president, was in charge of the meeting.

### ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Henry G. Carpenter, E. Main Street, was admitted to the Lancaster General Hospital on Tuesday as a medical patient.

### CARPENTER HURT

Elwood Young, 174 Manheim Street, suffered fractures of both heels when he fell about 12 feet from a scaffold on Friday afternoon. Mr. Young is employed by Elmer Ginder, of Florin. Following treatment at the Lancaster General Hospital, he is recuperating at his home.

### Patrol To Be Feted To Skating Party

Safety patrol members of the local elementary school will be treated to a roller skating party Thursday, April 19, by the School and Home Association. Parents are invited to also attend the party which will be held at Playland, near York. Parents who wish to meet their children following the party may come to the school at 11:15 p.m.

### Sample Homes Are Being Erected

Three sample homes are being erected on the new building development owned by Paul A. Martin, Inc. The first will be started next Monday. Two others will be built within the next few weeks.

According to officials of the company these homes will each be a different style. Following the erection of the three, homes will be built in the development as they are ordered and sold. The capacity of the area at the present will be 75 homes

### Dr. J. N. Newcomer Named Co-Inspector On Lancaster Staff

Dr. J. Nelson Newcomer, local veterinarian has been appointed co-inspector on the Lancaster City veterinary staff. He has been engaged as Pennsylvania Bureau of Animal Industry inspector at Salisbury, Pa. for the past 14 months. He will work in conjunction with Dr. C. M. Silemeyer, York, Pa., and Dr. Victor Ballou, Lancaster, Pa. in the inspection of food products entering Lancaster City.

Dr. Newcomer is a University of Pennsylvania graduate, class of 1935 and attended Mount Joy local schools as well as Lebanon Valley college. He was engaged in practice for 2 years with his father before entering inspection work. His father, Dr. E. W. Newcomer holds an enviable record of 48 years in the practice of Veterinary Medicine.

Dr. J. N. Newcomer is a member of the American Veterinary Medical Association, Pennsylvania State Veterinary Association, and past secretary of the Conestoga Veterinary Club, locally.

### College Men Talk To Grade Students

Owen Bricker, Lancaster and Reaver Goehring, Donerville talked to the fifth and sixth graders of the local elementary school last week in conjunction with the geography lessons of the western states. Mr. Bricker a sophomore at Franklin and Marshall College, and Mr. Goehring, who is working for his Masters degree at the University of Maryland, were two of five men who toured the west last year.

The men showed the class equipment that they used and souvenirs that they brought back with them. Included were their geiger counter which they used to hunt uranium and a collection of pistols and rifles. The children asked questions concerning the states being studied.

### Ambulance Called For Two Calls During Week

The local community ambulance was called to make two trips during the past week. Monday, April 2, Mrs. Clyde Coen, New Haven and W. Donegal Streets, was taken to the St. Joseph's Hospital by drivers John Myers and Christ Charles. Friday, April 6, Elwood Young was taken to his Manheim St. home from the Lancaster General Hospital by drivers Marilyn Myers and John Myers.

### Named To Dean's List

At the Founders' Day Convocation of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, that 75 students had, through high academic achievement in the first semester, been placed on the Dean's Honor List.

George E. Franke, a member of the class of '55 at Donegal High School was one of the freshmen honored.

### Naval Reservist Is Advanced In Lancaster

James E. Craul, Pine Street, was one of eight men affiliated with the two surface divisions of Naval Reserve Surface Battalion 4-19, Lancaster Naval Reserve Training Center, to pass examinations for advancement in rating as of April 1.

### Spring Concert April 20

"One World of Song" will be presented by the senior high and junior high mixed choruses of the Donegal High School on Friday night, April 20, 8 p.m. in the school auditorium.

The program will consist of music from France, Italy, Germany, Russia, Czechoslovakia, Norway, Austria, Scotland, Ireland, Mexico and the United States. Included will be songs by Palestrina, Franck, Mozart,

Bach, Greig, Irving Berlin, Rodgers and Hammerstein and folk songs.

Soloists will be Joanne Stehman and Asher Halbleib. Accompanists for the junior high chorus are Darla Kulp, Dolly Boyles, Sandra Eshleman and Gwen Witmer. Senior high accompanists are Barbara Thome, Dorothy Fletcher, Asher Halbleib, Judy Naugle, Mary Ann Felty, Arlene Heisey and Audrey Musser.

The boys' and girls' ensembles called the Donegalads and Donegallassies, the girls' trio and boys' quartette will sing several selections. The girls' trio consists of Mae Keener, Miriam Roland and Barbara Thome. The boys' group is Tom Zimmerman, Ronald Gotwalt, Douglas Fish and Ronald Hawthorne.

The production will be directed by Thomas G. Wolfgang, vocal instructor.

### Building' Loan Group Elects Directors

Three directors were re-elected into the Mount Joy Building and Loan Association at the twenty-eighth annual meeting Wednesday night in the lobby of the First National Bank and Trust Company. These directors are Christ Walters, John Booth and Elam Bomberger.

Mr. Bomberger, secretary gave a report of the past year in which he announced the total assets were \$482,911.06. This is an increase over last year's assets of \$37,236.13. The association has a new series, Series 57, of available shares as of April 1. The shares may be purchased at any time. Shareholders received more than 5% on their investments during the past year. Series 33 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; Mr. Bomberger, secretary; Reuben Fellenbaum, treasurer; Bernard J. Myers, Jr., solicitor; and John H. Fellenbaum, auditor. Other directors are Dr. E. W. Newcomer, John Booth, J. Willis Freed, George Keener and Christ Walters.

The association was started in Mount Joy April 1, 1928. At the present time, there are 205 shareholders in the corporation. A major service of the corporation has been the lending of money to finance homes. In the past year the group financed 21 homes.

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### Council Members Attend Convention

Last Friday, the Senior Student Council of Donegal High School was represented at the Southern Convention District Student Council held at Hanover by Ronnie Jean Reese, Lina Iwanowski, Gary Zeller and Kenneth Appley.

Ronnie Jean served as chairman of a panel discussion and summarized the discussion at the general meeting and banquet.

### Jaycees Again Sponsor Teen-Age Road-E-O

Plans were completed for the annual Teen-Age Road-e-o for teenagers in the area who have not reached their twentieth birthday. The local Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the event for the third year.

The teenager must have a valid operator's license and must not have had a moving traffic violation within the past six months to be eligible. Paul Stoner, Jr. is chairman of the affair for the JayCees. Marshall Gemberling, driver instructor at Donegal high school, will assist at the school; Gerald Hostetter is in charge of judging and examinations; O. K. Snyder, prizes and presentation of awards; Mr. Stoner, course lay-out; Charles Johnson and Charles Drace, automobiles; and Warren Hayman, publicity.

The winner of the local contest will compete in the state contest which will be held in Hershey this year, June 9. The Pennsylvania Motor Truck Association is assisting the state JayCees in sponsoring the state contest.

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### Cast Chosen For Grades' Operetta

Main characters have been chosen for the local elementary school's spring operetta, "Sliding Down A Moonbeam". Carol Buchenauer, Patty Nornhold, Dennis Naugle, Connie Anderson and Linda Shields will portray the Perry children, Irene, Claire, Charles, Joan and Susan. Other characters are Lois Flory, Lewis Hart and John Gates who will be Janice, Jerry and Tom Stanton; Thomas Meckley, the sandman; David Brandt, Ginkgo; Janet Nissley, Christopher; and Janice Berrier, Mrs. Perry. The production will be held Tuesday, May 1.

The cast of main characters are all students of the sixth grade except John and Lewis, fifth graders and Janet, first grade. Barbara Stehman will be the student director and promoter. Mrs. George Broske will direct the production.

Several choruses will sing throughout the two-part operetta. Students of the first grade will compose the chorus of Planet Imps; second grade, the chorus of Raindrop Soldiers and Fairies of Dreams; third grade, Dancing Stars; fifth and sixth grades, chorus of Stars. Between the acts, a chorus composed of voices from the third and fourth grades will sing.

### CORRECTION

Owen Phillips, Mount Joy, was apprehended by state police for driving with an expired inspection sticker. The Bulletin incorrectly stated last week that he was prosecuted for driving too fast for conditions.

### Rotary Hears Talk On Vision

Dr. Henry S. Kane Jr. Tuesday noon addressed the Mount Joy Rotary club on the subject, "What Is Vision." Dr. Kane was introduced by Dr. John H. Stauffer.

The speaker gave interesting accounts of the development of super sight for special fields for the armed forces in courses at Ohio State University.

He told of work that is being done to develop faster reading levels and predicted continuing progress.

### TEACHERS ATTEND BUSINESS SEMINAR

Saturday, April 7, the four commercial teachers of Donegal High School attended a seminar at Elizabethtown College. This meeting was a joint session of business men, secretaries and commercial teachers. The topics covered by speeches and panels included: 1. Building effective communications between the school and office; 2. What employers expect of employees; 3. How to have a connecting link between school and business.

Faculty members who attended were Roy Arnold, Mrs. John Day, Mrs. Norman Housel and Mrs. Frank Lutze.

### Contracts Awarded, Bond Bid Accepted At Joint Session

Awarding of contracts and acceptance of a bid for bonds last Thursday night signalled the green light for Mount Joy's sewer project.

This action was taken at a joint meeting of Mount Joy Borough Authority and Borough Council. Necessary resolutions of both bodies covering the project also were passed.

Construction work on the sewer treatment plant will begin on Monday, Engineer Joseph A. Michels informed The Bulletin this morning. Work on laying the sewer lines is expected to begin before the end of the month.

With three major contractors on the scene, Authority members are looking hopefully at a Jan. 1, 1957, completion goal, although unfavorable weather could cause delays.

C. C. Collings & Co., fiscal agents, submitted a bid covering the \$1,370,000 issue. Other members of the offering syndicate are Eastman, Dillon & Co., Reynolds & Co., Blair & Co., Schmidt, Poole, Roberts and Parks and Rambo, Close and Kerner, Inc.

Dated May 1, 1956, \$435,000 of the bonds are due May 1, 1962, and carry 3% coupons; \$150,000 with 3 1/2% coupons are due May 1, 1971, and \$785,000 with 3 1/2% coupons are due May 1, 1996.

Contracts were awarded as follows:

North side sewer lines — \$408,911.05, Andrew R. Palombo, Pittsburgh.

South side sewer lines — \$299,689.20, C. & T. Affiliates, Inc., Collingswood, N. J.

Sewer treatment plant — \$324,241, R. M. Luff Construction Co., Willow Grove.

Electrical work, \$11,631.61 Martin Electrical Service, Elizabethtown.

Plumbing and heating, \$3,600, Harry A. Ressler, Mountville.

Paving \$25,720, B. R. Kreider & son, Manheim.

Union National Mount Joy Bank was named trustee.

### Robert Reisch Leads Instrumental Pupils

H. Morrell Shields, instrumental instructor at Donegal High, released the first four place standings of students in the instrumental program.

Robert Reisch, East Main Street, is leading the students in first place, Karen Baker and Kay Kauffman are tied for second; Kathleen Goodall and Jackie Rohm, tied for third; Barry Barnhart, Barry Trostle, and Joann Bixler, tied for fourth.

At the present time, seven students are working on more than one instrument. They are Richard Bowers, Robert Reisch, Douglas Fish, Jackie Mariner, Judy Naugle, Jacob Zeller and Gary Zeller.

### TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

Elementary teachers of the Mount Joy School will attend the district PSEA dinner meeting tonight in the Elizabethtown School. A panel discussion will be one of the features of the evening on "Teacher-teacher relationships". Charles Heaps local principal, and Miss Lily Martin, guidance counselor at Donegal High, are local members of the panel.

### The Physician On Call Sunday

Dr. Thomas O'Connor