

# SUMMER PLAYGROUND PROGRAM BEGINS MONDAY

The Mount Joy

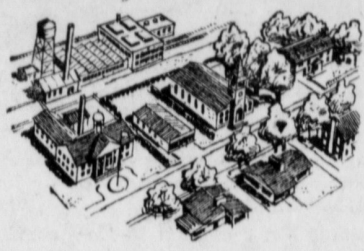


## BULLETIN

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### Sportsmen's Club Buys 22-Acre Farm

#### Club House, Other Plans In Making

Arrangements were made last night by the Mount Joy Sportsmen's Club for the purchase of a 22-acre farm and buildings from the estate of the late Harry Stauffer.

The plot is located adjacent to the Mount Joy water works. While details for development of the plot remain to be worked out, the club has several projects under consideration.

It is planned to convert one of the buildings into a clubhouse. Also in the planning stage are a shooting range and fish ponds, and under consideration is the stocking of small game.

The purchase was arranged at private sale under private terms.

#### Sample Fair Date Set By Scouts

A date has been set for the Boy Scout-sponsored Sample Fair to be held in Mt. Joy. The affair will be held Wednesday, Aug. 22, in the elementary school auditorium. In addition to the samples, door prizes will be offered. Tickets will be sold by the Scouts prior to the event.

Plans were also completed by the group to attend the Council Camporee at Camp Chiquetan Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The group will work together as a unit in competition with the other units.

The local Scouts also made plans to visit the Mannheim Scouts next Thursday, June 21. The special events of the evening will be a track meet among the two troops.

#### Board Sells Bonds To Renovate School House

The East Donegal Township School Board sold an \$80,000 bond issue to finance alterations and improvements to the old Maytown school at their meeting last Thursday night. The bonds were purchased by the local Union National Bank at an interest rate of three and one-eighth per cent.

Bids will be opened at a special June 21 meeting and work will be completed in time for the opening of the 1956-57 school term.

#### Ambulance Makes Four Trips In Week

Four trips were made by the new local community ambulance last week. Sunday, June 3, P. B. Hellig, W. Donegal St., was taken to the Lebanon Veterans Hospital by drivers Earl Zink and Ray Myers. Mrs. Robert Hoffmaster was the accompanying nurse. Tuesday, the vehicle transported the four accident victims to the Lancaster General Hospital. They were Ray Walker, Dauphin; Wendell Woodland and Milton Reeves, of Chester. Drivers were John Myers and Samuel Dock.

Friday, June 8, Mrs. Cyrus Foreman was returned to her David Street home from the Elmdale Nursing Home by drivers George Copenhaver, Thomas Markley and Richard Hoover. Saturday, June 9, Mrs. Charles Barninger was taken to the St. Joseph's Hospital by drivers John Myers and Ray Myers. Mrs. Hoffmaster was accompanying nurse.

#### Rotary Speaker Reports On Air Force Power

Reassuring words were heard by Mount Joy Rotarians Tuesday noon as Major Robert D. Wilcox, information officer of the Lancaster Air Reserve Squadron spoke. Taking as his subject "A Decade of Security Through Air Power," Major Wilcox highlighted the development of United States air might.

Pointing out that the Russians have more power than they tell the world, the speaker declared that the U. S. position in the air power race is based on superior planes and missiles, rather than an attempt to match the "competition" plane for plane.

Major Wilcox cited the Korean conflict as an example of the working of this policy. He said that the United States destroyed the North Korean air force in 10 days fighting.

When Russian migs were brought into the picture U. S. pilots rang up a 14 to 1 ratio of supremacy for their superb jets. Developments since then have given this country planes and weapons that make those of the Korean conflict appear antiquated.

#### Girl Scouts Leave For Trip

Twelve Girl Scouts from Troop 75; their leader, Miss Faye Wickelheiser; Mrs. Roy Packer and Miss Anna Mae Eby will leave for a week-end camping trip Friday, 2 p. m. Starting out with nose-bag lunches, the girls will spend Friday night at the Hillsgrove Girl Scout Camp near Williamsport.

Saturday, the group will hike to World's End State Park and then drive to Colton Point State Park near the Grand Canyon of Pennsylvania. The girls will return to Mount Joy Sunday evening.

Funds for the trip were earned by the girls through the annual Scout cookie sale and the sale of Girl Scout salted nuts. Their sponsoring organization, the Mt. Joy Lions Club gave them a cash donation toward the trip and the troop committee provided food for snack times.

#### Hess' Food Store Announce Winners

Hess' Food Store announced prize winners last week-end as follows: Doll, Harold Zimmerman, South Barbara street; electric corn popper, Mrs. James Brandt, R. 3, Elizabethtown; all steel wagon, Mrs. Vera E. Alber, 218 East Donegal street.

Outside Bar-B-Q, Betty Brosey, R. 1, Columbia; set insulated glasses, Irvin Naudman, 36 E. Main street; set juice glasses, Mrs. Dorothy Emenheiser, Marietta; Grocery baskets, E. H. Weidman, R. 1, Mount Joy; Marshall Dussinger, Pine street; Linda Mumm, East Donegal street; Mrs. William Insher, 333 Marietta avenue; Wilma Eaton, E. Main street.

TEENAGE ROAD-E-O STAGE CONTEST HELD. Mount Joy's teenage road-e-o winner Ronal Gowall scored 418 points out of a possible 565 points in the state contest of the road-e-o held Friday and Saturday at Hershey. The state winner is Richard F. Grubb, University Park who scored 505 points. John Kerestes, Monessen, was runner-up with 492 points.

#### Sewer Line Will Be Placed On Main Street

Although there had been discussion and rumors concerning the placement of the sewer line for the customers along Main Street, the situation was settled at the recent meeting of the borough authority. The original plan was to place the line in the middle of Main Street and this same plan will be used throughout the entire length of Main Street.

A highway occupancy permit has been received from the state department for such action although traffic is to be maintained at all times during the process.

Robert Rosser was elected vice president of the group and George Keener was elected assistant secretary and treasurer. Other officers of the authority are Samuel Miller, president; Grant Gerberich, Secretary; and William Batzel, treasurer.

#### Mrs. Eicherly Named District B.P.W. Officer

Mrs. Eugene Eicherly, East Main Street, has been named the corresponding secretary of District 7 of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs. Mrs. Eicherly will assume her new duties July 1 which include taking care of the correspondence of the district and keeping a file of the minutes and records of the district.

Her first official meeting will be a district council meeting Sept. 16. At this meeting all the district officers and club presidents will be a district meeting on Oct. 13 at which time members of all the clubs attend.

District 7 is comprised of B.P.W. clubs in an area from Harrisburg to Chambersburg to York to New Holland to Lancaster to Elizabethtown. The local club gains vote in district affairs by having a local member as an officer of the district.

#### Miss Nissley Graduated Mon.

Miss Sally Ann Nissley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon P. Nissley, 228 East Main Street received the degree of Bachelor of Science at the Simmons College Commencement Exercises at Symphony Hall, Boston, Mass., Monday, June 11. Miss Nissley graduated from the School of Home Economics. During college her activities included members of the Outing Club, Academy (Simmons honor society), secretary of the Home Economics Club, Christian Association and the Class Executive Board.

Simmons College granted 231 Bachelor of Science degrees and seventy Masters degrees at the fifty-first commencement exercises. Commencement weekend activities include a senior picnic, luncheon honoring married and engaged seniors, dance of Longwood Cricket Club, annual Class Day with traditional daisy chair exercises, garden party, planting of the class ivy, parents' banquet at Longwood Towers and Baccalaureate exercises.

#### Way's Appliances Announce Winners

Prize winners at Demonstration Days at Way's Appliances last weekend were: First, portable record player, Mrs. Frank Smeltzer, 111 N. Barbara St.; second, portable radio, Thomas Stohler, 105 N. Barbara St.

Friday's oven meal, Mrs. Elsie Frank, 11 Lumber St.; Saturday's oven meal, S. G. Phillips, Pinkerton Road. Cowboy suit, Tom Chunco, 131 Columbia avenue; cowgirl suit, Carolyn Packer, Pinkerton Road.

#### Auto Accident Injuries Fatal To Woman

Seven persons were hurt in a two-car accident Sunday night west of Florin near the Clearview Diner. A car driven by Mrs. Mary E. Frank, 62, 1520 Harrisburg Pike, swerved into the right lane of traffic and ran into an auto driven by Dean Robinson in which Mrs. Robinson and their four children were riding. The Robinsons, formerly of Florin, now reside along the Harrisburg pike, Elizabethtown R. 1.

Mrs. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and two of their children, Beverly and Deana, were admitted to the Lancaster General Hospital. The victims were transported there by the Mount Joy and Elizabethtown ambulances. The local Fire Company was also called to the scene in case of fire. Police said a small fire did break out in the Robinson car but was snuffed out almost immediately when the car's battery was disconnected.

Mrs. Frank died of injuries Wednesday. Funeral services will be held Sunday from the Orville Mennonite Home at 1:30 with interment in the Elizabethtown Mt. Tunnel Cemetery.

#### Florin Plans First Summer Carnival

Saturday, July 16, the first of a series of three carnivals will be held at the Florin firehouse grounds. The program, scheduled to begin at 7:30 will include Virgil Neal and his Oklahoma Travelers, which features western and modern music.

The specialty of the menu for the evening will be chicken corn soup in addition to a full line of refreshments. Donations will be accepted for admission. There will be free parking.

#### Koser's Jewelry Shop Awards Watch

Following a "watch" contest at Koser's Jewelry Store, the winning name was drawn Tuesday afternoon. The contest was one in which all names of Donegal High School graduates for whom watches were purchased at Koser's were placed in a box. The name drawn received the money paid for the original purchase and was won by Charles Groff, Old Market Street. Mrs. John C. Nissley drew the lucky name Tuesday at the store.

#### ACCIDENT VICTIM DIES

Roy A. Walker, 69, Dauphin R. 2, died in St. Joseph's Hospital Tuesday of injuries received on June 5th in a head-on collision east of the borough. In the same accident his wife was killed instantly.

#### Polio Vaccine Is Available To 19-Year-Olds

Local doctors have received information from the state health department permitting the use of polio vaccine for children through the 19th year. The communication reads in part:

"After careful analysis of the reports of use of vaccine which most of you have sent in to our Poliomyelitis Unit, we know that this supply will permit us to modify our present plan to include protection for the next most susceptible group - children from 15 to and including 19 years of age. This letter will be your authorization to include within the established priority group every child from birth to and including 19 years of age and women who are pregnant.

"May I repeat, for emphasis, my recommendation that poliomyelitis vaccine continue to be used throughout the entire summer."

Berwn F. Mattison, M.D. Secretary of Health

#### Rose Show Prize Winners Named

The third annual rose show of the Employees of The Union National Mount Joy Bank was held in the lobby of the bank on Tuesday, June 12, 1956. In addition to the usual class of exhibition blooms, there were classes in arrangements for both men and women. A special class of arrangement having the theme, "In Union There is Strength" was instituted this year.

Prize winners were as follows: Best rose in show, Mr. Carl S. Krall, Cashier. Highest number of points, Mr. Krall. Composition, "In Union There is Strength": First, Mr. Krall, Second, Mrs. Cleo Shank, Third, Mr. Norman H. Sprecher, Asst. Cashier. Line Arrangement of Roses: Women—First, Miss Martha Ebersole, Second, Mrs. Charles Heaps, Third, Mrs. Linnea Longenecker. Men—First, Mr. Krall, Second, Mr. Charles Heaps, Third, Mr. Lineaus W. Longenecker. There were 92 exhibits displayed by the employees of the Maytown and Mount Joy offices.

C. Stuart, Smith, M. D., regional representative of the American Rose Society, judged all classes except those for arrangements which were judged by Mr. N. C. Rohrock both of Elizabethtown. Mrs. Ruth C. Kravbill and Miss H. Florence Miller assisted by other women employees were responsible for the arrangements and placing of the displays. Mr. Lineaus W. Longenecker prepared all posters and classification cards.

#### Sportsmen Award Prizes; Buy Trout

Six prizes were awarded at the Monday night meeting of the local Sportsmen Association. The winners were Robert Leiberher, Marietta Avenue; Clyde Nissley, Marietta Avenue; Mrs. Roy Blough, Elizabethtown R. 1; Curtis Reich, East Main Street; and Miss Peggy Hess, Florin.

The men also decided to purchase 10,000 fingerling trout to raise at the Roy Breneman farm at Donegal Springs. Elwood Martin, president, was in charge of the meeting.

#### Tax Rate Set For School

An increase of 8 mills was announced for the 1956 Mt. Joy Borough School tax at the June meeting of the group. The tax on real estate this year will be 43 mills over last year's 35. A head tax of \$10 remains the same from last year.

The budget figure tentatively announced is \$227,074.24. Last year's figure was \$207,722.56. The increase in the tax is due to the need for increase in the Donegal High School finances which are shared by the borough, Mount Joy Township, East Donegal Township and Marietta. A mandatory raise for teachers' salaries and an increase in the cost of operations.

Also decided in the business meeting was to paint the second-floor hall and west stairway of the elementary school plus the renovation of unused room for a fifth grade. The former art room located in the basement will be the fifth grade which will be taught by Mrs. Robert Rosser. The report was given that work will begin on the emergency lighting system in the near future. The proposed budget will be on display at the elementary school for anyone who wishes to see it.

#### Class Of 1921 Has Reunion

The members of the class of 1921 of East Donegal High School held their 35th reunion June 7th at the home of Mrs. Hazel Crankshaw.

There were six girls and one boy in the class and they graduated June 7, 1921. Six of the seven members and four of their five teachers were present.

After reminiscing and playing games, refreshments were served. The following persons were in attendance: Miss Mary Glattacker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Felty, Mrs. Henry Earhart, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Singer, Mrs. Hazel Crankshaw, Miss Emily Longenecker, Miss Esther Hurlinger, Mrs. Charles Burd, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Haines.

#### HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Arthur Martin who recently underwent an emergency operation at the Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital has returned to her home in Maytown.

#### Awarded Degree At Penn State II.

One Mount Joy girl was among the 37 Lancaster County students who received degrees at the Pennsylvania State University Saturday morning. During the commencement exercises Miss Mary Ann Spangler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Spangler, Park Avenue, received a Bachelor of Science degree in Home Economics.

#### Parents' Night Is Planned

Parents and the public are invited to attend Parents' Night at the local Girl Scout Day Camp next Wednesday, June 20, 7:30 p. m. at the new camp site. During the evening's program each unit will participate. The evening will be climaxed with the sailing of lighted candles down the Little Chiques creek while the girls sing "Peace, I Ask of Thee of River".

Using a new site this year, the camp is located at the Little Chiques School Playground. Each unit has its own work table and cooking fire circle. A sleeping area has been established and prepared by the senior girls.

Program plans for the Brownies include the making of bug houses, book-markers using wild flowers and stationary with leaf prints. Intermediate plans include the working on a weather badge by the one unit. In conjunction with this activity the girls will predict the weather each morning in camp, will measure the dew, and rainfall and take temperature readings.

Another intermediate unit will work on the adventure badge, outdoor cook badge and campcraft badge and also do soap carving.

A third unit will work on the camp craft badge, do tin can crafts and make straw mats and a fourth unit will set up a primitive unit in camp. The senior girls will take the part of program aids.

Wednesday and Thursday the Brownies and Intermediate spent a day at the Heisey Ranch. Mrs. Warren Foley, director, urges girls to bring jeans and rubbers to wear during the remaining morning sessions because of the heavy dew at the camp site.

#### Two Honored At County Luncheon

The United Auxiliaries to the Lancaster General Hospital earned \$22,395.70 for the hospital's linen fund during the past year, it was announced at the annual luncheon meeting last Thursday at Hosner's.

Mrs. Eric Olson, past president of the local group gave the response to the address of welcome by Mrs. Elmer Z. Delp, president.

Mrs. Flory Newcomer, Mt. Joy, was one of ten women named for having given over 50 hours of service in the children's ward. Citations for 100 hours or more for volunteer work in the hospital included Mrs. Frank Young, Sr., for work in the snack bar. Pianist for the meeting was Miss Esther Walters, E. Main Street.

#### Graduated From University of Penn.

Benjamin W. Brown II, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown II, 301 East Main St., graduated from the University of Pennsylvania Wednesday, June 13th at 10:15 a. m. in the municipal auditorium near the campus in Philadelphia.

Mr. Brown received his Bachelor of Science in economics in a class of approximately 2,200 seniors at the two hundredth commencement.

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., United States Representative to the United Nations, delivered the address and received the honorary degree of doctor of laws during the exercises.

#### Local Girl Named Runner Up

Miss Miriam Roland, Mt. Joy R. 1, was runner up in the sixth annual Lancaster County Roultry Queen contest. Saturday at Litz Springs Park. Miss Roland, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Roland, is a 1956 graduate of Donegal High School. For her title she received prizes luggage, pearls and a travel clock.

Miss Nancy Newcomer, of Litzitz, was crowned queen at the sixth annual chicken barbecue.

#### Lions Hear Hamilton Head Watchmaker

Landisville—Salunga—The Landisville Lions Club heard Richard W. Slough, head watchmaker at the Hamilton Watch Company, give an illustrated lecture on the time zones of the world at a meeting of the service club at Kaufman's Tea Room, East Petersburg, last Monday night.

Mr. Slough, with the watch company for 37 years, is the holder of a patent on a time zone watch, recently put on the market by Hamilton.

Plans are being made by the club to attend the Allenberry Playhouse during late summer.

#### Firemen To Stage Carnival

Mt. Joy Friendship Firemen made plans to stage a carnival on the street in front of the firehall June 30 at their regular meeting last Thursday evening. Marilyn Myers was named carnival chairman.

Twenty-five men attended the meeting which was called to order by Earl Zink, president. The Rev. E. M. Moyer, chaplain, offered the invocation. A report was given by the ambulance committee. A balance of \$11,315.04 was named (which includes the money borrowed from the bank) before the initial purchase was made following the payment of the bills amounting to \$9,495.99, a balance in the account remains \$2,165.45.

Two new members were accepted into the company. Charles Groff and D. Richard Will. Also decided during the business meeting was to make an attempt to have a private telephone placed in the firehouse.

Donations were received amounting to \$180. Of this total, \$100 was received from the Mt. Joy Twp. supervisors; \$75 from the SICO Co. and \$5.00 from Miss Carrie Ney.

A varied list of games will be held with special emphasis on activities in which a large group of children may play at the same time. One new game will be added for the older girls, rockey. A craft program will also be followed.

#### Florin Lions Plan Summer Events

Plans have been completed for the summer activities of the Florin Lions Club. Tonight the members are holding a ladies night - Square dance at the Stone Barn near Millersville. This event takes the place of the regular meeting for this week. Installation of new officers will take place at the June meeting at Clearview Diner.

Friday, July 6, is the date set to attend a night baseball game in Philadelphia. The members will leave Florin by bus at 4:30 p. m. to see the Phils play the Brooklyn Dodgers. Since the members will not fill the entire bus, any interested persons may go with the group that night. They are asked to contact Clarence Hollinger to make arrangements.

The two other July activities include a visit to Camp Chique-an Monday, July 9. There will be no meeting at the regular restaurant that night. The second annual watermelon sale will be held Saturday, July 14 in Florin, surrounding towns and countryside. The men will travel by truck to sell the melons that Saturday.

#### CELEBRATE 40TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Frank of Maytown, celebrated their 40th anniversary on June 8 with a surprise party given them by their five children: Henry, Anna, wife of Russel Flowers, Catharine, wife of John Winters, Edith, wife of Charles Flowers, Elsie, wife of Carol McNice. The couple also have twenty-two grandchildren and 2 great-grandsons.

#### ANNOUNCES NEW LOCATION

Daniel E. Garman, real estate, announces the new location of his office. This new location and larger quarters are in the "little yellow house" along U. S. route 230 one mile east of Elizabethtown. His new phone is E-town 7-1197.

#### Plan Events At Park And School Site

Mount Joy's borough playgrounds will open Monday. Although two playgrounds will be maintained as previously announced, all the children will register at the Mount Joy Borough Park the first day. Following the lay of registration, the playgrounds will be held at the borough park and at the elementary school playground. Children on the north side of the highway will attend the borough park and children on the south side, the school playground.

Registration cards will be presented to each child to be filled out by the parents and returned to the directors. Information needed on these cards will be the child's name and address, age, who to notify in case of accident, preference of physician, any comments of individual handicaps in the child, whether or not the child has the school insurance policy and the desire of the parents to have the child go swimming one day a week to a pool.

In addition to the regular days' schedules from 9 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 to 3 p. m., special events and play-periods will be held each Tuesday and Thursday evening from 6 to 8:30 p. m. Special events will be a trip to Governor Dick, near Mount Gretna; trips to the Hershey State Police Barracks to see the weekly revue; visits to the Columbia and Marietta playgrounds; swimming lessons for two weeks of mornings at the Hershey Pool; swimming one afternoon per week; two evening dances; and evening events such as father-son night, mother-daughter night, bicycle decoration contest, bicycle rodeo, hobby shows and pet shows.

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#### Child's Auto In Borough Now

The Thunderbird child's auto is now on display at Turner's Shoe Store, East Main Street. The car will be awarded to some child in the future. For details on how children may have a chance at winning the motorized car, parents are asked to stop at the local shoe store.

#### The auto had been on display at Columbia, Horner's store and is now in the Mt. Joy store where it will remain for a few weeks.

ENLIST IN AIR FORCE. Two local men were among the forty-four county recruits to enlist in the U. S. Air Force this week. James Pennell, 116 West Main St., who graduated from Donegal High School two weeks ago; and Kenneth W. Good, Mount Joy R. 2, a Donegal graduate of 1955 were the two among the group.

The men were taken by bus to the Harrisburg State Airport and from there they were flown to Lackland Air Force Base, at San Antonio, Texas.

#### KILLS 40 INCH RATTLER

While trout fishing near Slate Run, Lycoming County last Saturday, Paul Fitzkee encountered a timber rattlesnake which was coiled, snake which was coiled, ready to strike. Mr. Fitzkee shot the snake which measured forty inches and had 13 rattles.

Men who live there, say this is large for that locality.

#### Physician On Call Sunday

Dr. Newton Kendig