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## Archery Demonstration Postponed To July 2

Because of inclement weather, the archery demonstration originally scheduled for Tuesday night at the borough park has been postponed until next Tuesday, July 2.

The Kinsey Arrow Shop in Florin will stage the demonstration as a preview for the summer playground's new archery program. The demonstration is scheduled for 6 to 8:30 p.m.

Tonight's special event will be a treasure hunt, beginning from the school playground at 6 p.m. There will be no playground next Thursday, because of Fourth of July holiday.

Several changes have been necessary in the playground's swimming lesson program because of the large number of children enrolled for the lessons. More than 140 children registered for the lessons Monday morning when the group traveled to the Twin Oaks pool for grouping according to ability. More than 50 were placed in the "head bobbers and floaters" class; more than 60 in the "learning to kick and arm strokes class" and 30 passed the beginners' test to be placed in the intermediate group.

Because the beginners class passed the 100 mark, it was necessary to divide the group into two sections. This week the more advanced beginners are being given lessons at the pool in the morning. Those 50 registered in the "head bobbers" will begin lessons. Also, since there are so many beginners, the length of lessons will be extended for them one or two additional weeks.

Both playgrounds are remaining open mornings while the lessons are being conducted. Mrs. Clyde Trippe has offered her services in assisting in the swimming lessons at the pool.

Milk machines have been installed at the two playgrounds and as soon as the electric lines are installed they will be ready for operation. Crafts were conducted by beginners groups on both playgrounds Tuesday afternoon. The children made paper bag puppets.

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Mrs. George Broske, first president of the new group for two years, was the installing officer. Mrs. Eugene Eicherly was installed as first vice president; Mrs. Robert Keller, second vice president; Mrs. Marlin Sinegar, recording secretary; Mrs. Charles Ryman, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Alex Mitzkovich, treasurer.

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The paper will be printed on Wednesday instead of Thursday but will be delivered on regular schedule, reaching local and nearby readers on Friday.

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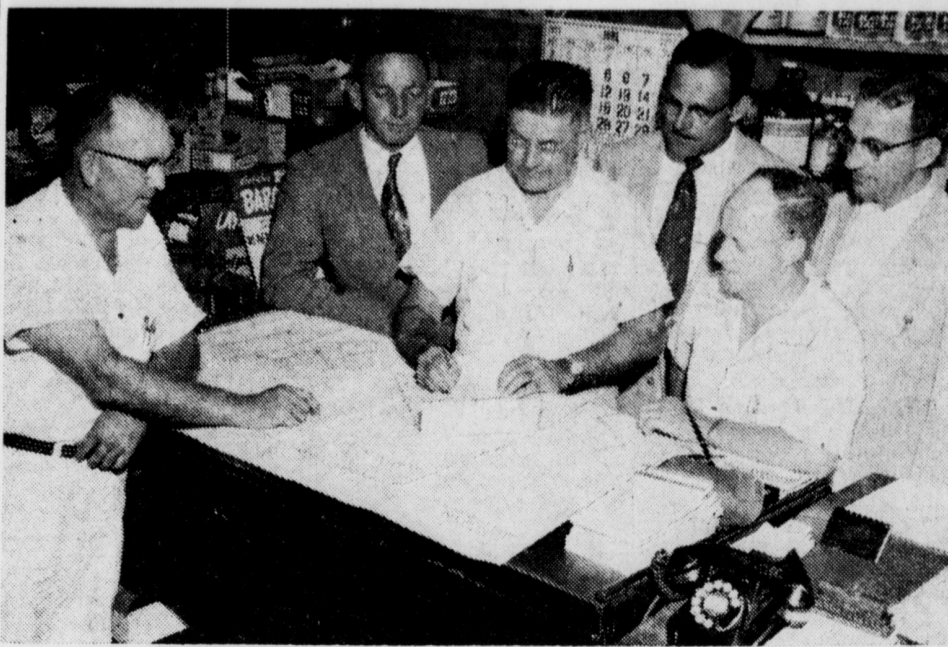
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## BEGIN CIRCULATING PETITIONS SEEKING FLORIN ANNEXATION



Daniel Wolgemuth is the first to sign one of the petitions now circulating in Florin favoring annexation into the borough. Among the advantages being sought is an extension of the sewage lines into the Florin vicinity. Martin Miller, on the left, is witnessing the signing as committee members John Hess, Clarence Hollinger, Reuben Goodling and Arthur Wolgemuth observe the signing.

Petitions seeking annexation into the borough of Mount Joy are being circulated this week among the residents of Florin.

Following a committee meeting Monday night at the Wolgemuth Feed Mill, the area was divided into nine sections. Nine petitions are being circulated at the same time in Florin. John Renger, attorney for the group, announced that this is the first time there has been mass petitioning in Lancaster County.

Annexation into the borough is being sought by residents of portions of East Donegal Township and Mount Joy Townships, both second class townships. The land is contiguous to the borough of Mount Joy.

With the addition of the territory into the borough, the proposed new ward created would be known as the "FLORIN WARD".

Some of the immediate benefits to be gained through the annexation would be municipal garbage collection; police protection; adequate street lighting (included in borough tax); zoning laws, which would be extended to Florin; borough planning; numbering of houses, health laws; prompt snow removal and municipal sewage system. The Mount Joy plant has been designed with capacity to handle sewage from Florin. The system would be extended upon certification of those areas in which such extension would be economically feasible.

Other advantages would be derived over a longer period of time but the annexation will in no way have any effect in the schools.

It will cause no effect on the fire companies except that the Florin Company would be eligible for appropriations under public law of the state. Another matter which is out of the jurisdiction of the borough is the post office and mail delivery. The move would possibly create improved mail service.

The announcement was made at Monday's meeting that as of January 1, 1958, annexations in Pennsylvania will undergo a major change. According to a bill passed by both houses and now awaiting the governor's signature, no more portions of townships will be annexed into boroughs. After the deadline, only entire townships may be joined to adjacent boroughs. Therefore, since the proposed Florin annexation includes portions of two townships, the annexation would be completed before the deadline for the new law.

Area Doubled

The area of Mount Joy borough would be approximately doubled. Mount Joy's acreage is now 534,044 and the area being considered in Florin is 515,404. A new total would be 1,049,448.

A tentative plan for extending sewerage into the Florin area includes five miles of lines.

Beginning with the west side of Orchard Road, the line would travel northwest and then due west past the Howard Bernhard and John Melhorn properties. Approaching the state highway near the Wolgemuth Fruit Stand, the line would cross the highway and follow Spooky Nook Road to the intersection of Donegal Springs Road. From here the line would run east to the Crossroads church with a line traveling south as far as the Clarence Greider property and then east on Donegal Springs Road to the present borough line.

Following Monday's meeting, which was attended by 18 committeemen, Daniel Wolgemuth was the first to sign the petition. The first signature was recorded at 10:15 p.m. with Martin Miller as witness.

Because several polls have

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## Rotarians Are Told Latest Plans For Remodeling Schock Mansion

Mount Joy Rotarians finished one year Tuesday and began another.

Because July 1 is the beginning of the fiscal year of the organization, Mike Pricio, president during the past year, passed over the gavel to Ray N. Wiley, who assumes leadership of the group for the coming 12 months.

Retiring President Pricio was presented a handsome Rotary ring and Retiring Secretary Charles Ruhl was given a past-secretary's pin.

As the ending year began with a talk by Rev. William Swain, head of the Presbyterian Homes, so it closed Tuesday with a talk by the same man.

His remarks, as he termed them, were on his "favorite subject"—the chain of homes for aged women which is growing rapidly in southeastern Pennsylvania. At present there are seven homes in operation and the eighth is to be opened in Mount Joy, within probably a year.

Rev. Swain revealed that there are at least three others and perhaps four others being planned and may follow immediately on the heels of the Mount Joy project.

The speaker, who incidentally as a past district governor of Rotary, said that there are certain natural advantages of the Mount Joy location, which is the home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schock.

First of all, it is in the center of town, ideally located close to churches, movies, post office, restaurants and businesses of all kinds—all

of which is highly important to successful operation of homes for the aged.

Second, the home is wonderfully well arranged on the first floor for the basic needs of a home of this kind.

The first floor will include two large living rooms, remodeled and enlarged dining rooms and a fine kitchen. The famous Schock dining table will be preserved and may become one of the features of the Mount Joy home. On the second floor there will be several bedrooms and the third floor will be given over to storage and for overnight guests and quarters for employees.

The present garages will be made into a "sick bay" for those who may need medical attention. A new building will be constructed back of the present location of buildings which will be taken down. In all, some 24 women will be taken care of in the home. A matron's apartment will be located on the second floor.

Rev. Swain appraised the Rotarians with the statement, and the backing figures, which summed up mean, that "old age is a woman's world."

Fifty percent of the women in this country above 45 years of age, he said, are not living with their spouses. And, 62 percent of women above 65 are not living with

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## Class Of '42 Holds First Reunion

Fifty-eight persons attended the first reunion of the Class of 1942 of the former Mount Joy High School Saturday night at Aunt Sally's Kitchen, Elizabethtown. Guests of the class for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. William Nitrauer, Neffsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Brandt, Maytown. Mr. Nitrauer had been high school principal when the class was in high school; and Mrs. Brandt, elementary principal when the students were in school.

Gifts were awarded to the former students. Mrs. Weld Carter (the former Evelyn Kuhn) received a prize for traveling the greatest distance. Mr. and Mrs. Carter drove 220 miles from New York State to attend the event. Three members tied for having the most children; Mrs. Paul Stauffer (former Mary Myers); Mrs. Richard Yohn (former Arlene Hendrix and Mrs. Ralph Alleman (former Fern Sears). Mrs. Ernest Burgland (former Kathryn Seifert) received a gift for being the most recently married. Following the suggestions of the guests, Lt. Colonel Kenneth Key was awarded a prize as the student who changed the most; and Mrs. William Gassman (former Mary Stoner) received an award for the student who changed the least. Ragner Hallgren, president of the class, presided as master of ceremonies. Each former student spoke of his

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## Florin Lions Install Officers

Irvin Gerber was installed as president of the Florin Lions Club at the Monday night meeting of the group. Reuben Goodling was installed as first vice president; Sidney Smith, second vice president; Charles Johnson, third vice president; Arthur Wolgemuth, secretary; Dr. Hugh Coleman, assistant secretary; Jay Snyder, treasurer; Woodrow Fitzgibbon, taster; Earl Rhoades and Elmer Ginder, directors for one year; Benjamin Staley and John Hess, directors for two years. Harry Lutz, deputy district governor, of the Wheatland Club, was the installing officer. Arthur Sprecher, zone chairman, also attended the meeting.

During the business meeting, the group announced the second trip to Philadelphia to see a national league baseball game. The trip is scheduled for Saturday, July 20. A watermelon sale will also be held next month. Lions will conduct the sale Saturday, July 13. Clarence Hollinger, outgoing president, was in charge of the meeting.

Incoming president Gerber presented outgoing president Hollinger with the gavel used during the past year as a memento for his year's service. He was also given a past president's pin.

CHRISTMAS TO BE DISCUSSED

Plans for community Christmas lighting will be discussed at a meeting next Monday, July 1, 8:30 p.m., at the home of Clayton D. Aument, 22 West Donegal Street. The Mount Joy Christmas Lighting Committee has been organized for four years. Through the efforts of the committee and the organizations it represented during the past four years, the borough received original Christmas decorating units, time clocks for uniform lighting and a community Christmas tree.

The Monday night meeting is called to plan for the 1957 lighting program. Two members from each organization are asked to attend the meeting.

It's bad enough to be a quitter. But it's worse to finish something you never should have started.

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## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Brubaker, Salunga, a son, Thursday, in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth S. Crillis, Manheim R2, a son, Thursday, at Lancaster General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Pickel, 350 Main Street, Landisville, a son, Thursday, at Lancaster General Hospital.

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Physician On Call Sunday Dr. David Schlosser Fourth of July Dr. John Gates