



You know, of course, the story of how one fine spring day—the first of its kind after the long, hard winter—the workers look out the window and finally someone hollers, "Buffalo."

That is the signal for everyone on the job to pick up and go outside—and remain outside and off the job for the remainder of the day.

Well, Wednesday was the day for 1962.

Spring arrived. We do not know of anyone who actually heeded the cry, "Buffalo," but at least in the Bulletin shop the word was sung out big and loud at about 11 a.m.

The calendar man may say that the season "turns" on March 21—but actually, there comes some special day that the Lord himself appoints and sends in his due time.

From time to time the Bulletin reports from official tabulations which we request from the state highway department the volume of traffic which moves along Road 230.

Rotarians were told Tuesday noon that now there are more than 15,000 vehicles passing along this busy highway through Mount Joy every day.

The clubmen also learned that Lancaster county has more state roads than any other county in the Commonwealth but receives only slightly more than 1 per cent of the road money spent.

Readers, you will be interested to know that this week the Bulletin, as a publishing establishment has launched a new paper called the "Red Rose Valley Farm and Home News."

We like to think of it as a highly worthwhile service to both shoppers and advertisers in this area. In this instance, the area is something special.

Area includes virtually all of the big, rich western part of Lancaster county.

And, incidentally, the postage bill alone makes the "Farm and Home News" and publishing firm one of the big financial customers of the Mount Joy post office.

A thought to end on — you can't profit by your mistakes, there isn't much use in making them.

ATTEND CONFERENCE
Mrs. Naomi Houseal, Mrs. Betty Lutze and Roy Arnold, Donegal high school teachers, attended a meeting of Lancaster County business teachers, Thursday evening, March 22. The meeting was held in a conference room at the GALV TV station.

The business teachers are operating with NOMA (National Office Management association) so that the best available commercial students will fill the office positions of the future, and this cooperation was the main theme of Thursday's meeting.

ROUGH COUNCIL
The April meeting of the Mount Joy Borough Council will be held Monday night, April 2, in the Friendship Ball Room, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Men who win their wives soft soap often end up washing dishes.
If you want a job done, give it to a busy man. He will give it to his secretary and she will do it.

Begin Tree Planting In War Memorial Park

Planting of 15 trees will be the first step in a big program of beautification of Mount Joy's War Memorial Park.
In fact, within the next few days 15 trees are to be set in various parts of the area formerly occupied by the Mount Joy grade school.
At a meeting of the Community Council's War Memorial Development Committee, held Thursday March 22, plans were pushed for the early completion of the entire program and Memorial Day has been set as the target date for dedication.
Plans call for planting 15 trees, including 5 red oaks, 6 pin oaks and 4 little leaf lindens.
Several people already have indicated that they wish to plant "memorial" trees. Some will include bronze plaques indicating the person in whose memory the tree is planted and the donor.
All trees will be large enough to give them a good start and to insure good growth. Oaks will be \$70 and the linden trees, \$45. If the donors wish plaques, the cost of the plaque will be

PLANTING STARTS

Taking advantage of the fine, spring weather and acting swiftly to insure best results, planting of trees in the War Memorial Park began Wednesday morning of this week.
The landscaper wishes to get trees into the ground at once but decisions about memorials is not necessary immediately. Anyone interested should either contact Gerald Sheetz or Nettie Gerner.
The committee last week also ordered eight park benches.
Although a detailed design is not yet made for the monument, decisions have been made and an artist's sketch is being prepared. The monument will be built of white random rock and will be about six feet high in the center.
It will be landscaped with hemlocks.
A decision was made to delete from the original plan — at least for the present — a concrete walk from the Marietta street side of the park to the monument area.
With a specially styled talk, C Bickley Foster, director of the Lancaster County Planning Commission, gave the featured address.
Using maps and charts, Foster showed how the farmer is involved in "urban sprawl" and pointed out some of the problems which need to be faced up to meet the growing population of the area.
Foster mentioned such problems as population increase, sewage, water, schools, soil conservation as some of the matters needing consideration.
He said that Lancaster county has fewer trees than the city of Philadelphia; that sewage disposal is becoming an urgent matter; that urban development is taking the very best farm land we have; that when farmers sell a few development lots they actually are increasing their taxes, and that our fertile county is becoming a fertile subdevelopment.
The program was arranged and the speaker introduced by vice-president Lavern K. Mumma.

Rotarians Fete Farmer Friends; Hear Planner

Farmer friends of the members of the Mount Joy Rotary club were entertained Tuesday noon at the weekly luncheon meeting of the organization, held at Hostetters.
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Band To Give Concert April 7

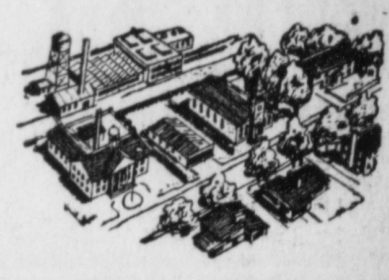
On Saturday, April 7, the Donegal high school band will present a concert entitled "Spring Tones," at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium.
The music has been selected from outstanding musical productions and from recent county, district and state band programs. The concert will also feature soloists and special section numbers, as well as the majorette squad.
Tickets may be obtained from ticket chairman Larry Moyer, or from any other band member. Other chairmen are Mary Wolf, decorations; Linda Shields, program; Lewis Hart, stage; and Carol Buchenauer, publicity. The entire production is in charge of H. Morrell Shields, band instructor at Donegal.

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Rotarians To Hold Triplet Meet

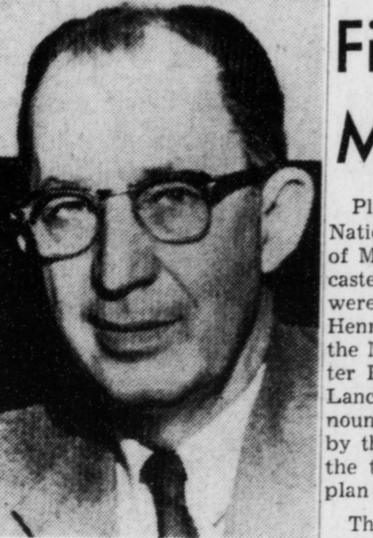
Rotarians of three communities — Mount Joy, Elizabethtown and Lititz — will hold their annual Triplets meeting here on Wednesday evening, April 4.
The speaker will be Ed Wimmer of South Fort Mitchell, Kentucky. A publisher,

Mount Joy Girl Wins Bid To Academic Honorary

Darla Kulp, a junior at Millersville College, has recently been elected to Phi Eta, the women's honor society. Admission to the sorority is based on scholarship, leadership, character and service to the college.
Darla is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Kulp, 119 West Main St., Mount Joy. She is active in the college band and is associate editor on the school newspaper, the "Banner".

Begin Pushing Financial Drive For Community Swimming Pool

Money with which to begin the Mount Joy Community Swimming Pool is beginning to be received!
With the financial campaign hardly off the ground as yet, something more than \$7,000 has been raised by sale of notes. As the days progress, the drive to raise the necessary funds will be intensified.
The Mount Joy Lions club, which is spearheading the swimming pool project, plans to launch a door-to-door drive within the next few days.
To lift the swimming pool project off the drawing board and into the lap of the construction engineers, the financial arrangements must be met.
The Lions will need 500 notes, each in the sum of \$100. That will insure the construction and work will begin swiftly.
While the recreation facilities of the immediate area have improved during the past years, the Lions point out, swimming in the local section still is limited to unsafe and unsanitary streams.
It is that need which has prompted the Lions to take the lead in helping to build a fine, new pool.
The notes now being sold will be redeemed at full value, the Lions explain, from profits of operation. They add, however, that money placed in notes is not tax deductible. Outright gifts to the project are.



ED WIMMER

First National Bank Proposes Merger With Lancaster County

Plans to merge the First National Bank and Trust Co. of Lancaster County with the Lancaster County National Bank and Trust Co. of Lancaster County were announced today by Lancaster and one in Quarryville. The Quarryville branch of the Mount Joy Bank and Trust Co. continues the business formerly operated by the Quarryville National Bank which became a part of the Lancaster County Bank last year.
The plan of merger is subject to the approval of the stockholders of both banks and the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States. The merger, the announcement said, would be effected through issuance of stock of the Lancaster County National Bank to the stockholders of the First National Bank and Trust Co. of Mount Joy.

Cancer Drive Set To Open April 2

During the week of April 2nd, Mount Joy folks can expect to have a Cancer Crusade call upon them for a contribution to help fight cancer as the annual crusade of the American Cancer Society begins.
These volunteer workers believe sincerely in joining actively in the fight to control cancer and believe this to be a life-saving mission.
Here are some facts about the American Cancer Society. The A.C.S. supports a research program. Over a million Americans, alive today, have been cured of Cancer and the American Cancer Society sponsored research can take its share of the credit. A.C.S. supported the development of the "Pap Smear" which is used to diagnose uterine cancer. This test has already saved the lives of thousands of women because it can detect this cancer at its earliest and most curable stage. Other research programs in the news is the link established by the A.C.S. between smoking and lung cancer.
Through divisions and units the American Cancer Society provides information centers to which anyone may turn for guidance. Dressings, transportation, sickroom supplies and other special equipment are made available for cancer patients.
Mrs. Lester Roberts, Public Education Chairman of the Mount Joy Unit of the American Cancer Society is organizing the campaign this year. She is assisted by Mrs. Arthur Sprecher, Mrs. Elam Bomberger and Mrs. James Hostetter.

FLORIN NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Mumma left on Tuesday for South Dakota where they will visit with his family.
SP5 Richard E. Mumma arrived home from Germany on Thursday, March 22 after completing a tour with the 10th Engineer Battalion at Kitzinger, Germany. Mumma was awarded the Good Conduct Medal.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Becker Jr. entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brandt, Rev. and Mrs. Henry Becker Sr., Jerry and Dorcas and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Buffenmyer and children to supper Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hess and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. William Smith at Elizabethtown R.D. Saturday evening.
Mrs. Jane Glatfelter, Mt. Joy visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kauffman on Sunday.
Mrs. Mary Shonk had the misfortune of falling on her way home from work Monday evening.
Rev. Howard Bernhard is holding a series of meetings for a week in the Church of the Brethren at Petersburg West Virginia.
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Barnhart and son of Lancaster, called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shetter Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Buckwalter and Mrs. Susan Miller, visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eshelman at Lancaster R.D. Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hauer and children, Fred Hauer Sr. of Lancaster, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vogel and family had their supper at the Country Kitchen Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Cassel Mumma entertained the following to supper on Sunday: Rev. and Mrs. Henry Becker and daughter, Dorcas; Mr. and Mrs. John A. Eshelman and daughter, Linda; and Mrs. Margaret Bowers and son, Raymond.
Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Kreider and family, of Manheim R.D. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kreider and family of Mt. Joy RD visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shoemaker and family on Saturday evening.
The following persons called on George Mumper, Sr. over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Frey of Lancaster, Perry Co., Mrs. War-

B.P.W. Observes 7th Birthday Anniversary

Birthday greetings and best wishes were the order of the day when the Business & Professional Women's Club celebrated its seventh anniversary on Monday, March 26, for their seventh annual celebration. Mrs. J. Robert Keller, club president, presided.
Mrs. C. Raymond Gilbert, the hospitality committee and executive officers were in charge of the program.
Forty-six members and guests sang "Happy Birthday To Us", enjoyed an evening of music and song, followed by slides. Charter members of the club stood to be recognized.
The speaker of the evening, Mrs. Cressie Keith, a teacher at Grandview Elementary school, Florin, spoke on "Life in the Day Care Class". Her colorful classroom slides clearly portrayed the work being done with 22 severely mentally handicapped children whose ages range from five to sixteen. Helping Mrs. Keith in this program of helping children meet present day realities is Mrs. Dorothy Spickler, R.N., and Matron of the class.
Two vocal solos were given by Sue Martin and piano duet by Sue Eshleman and Janet Horner.
The girl of the month is Brenda Pardee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorin F. Pardee, South Market St., Florin. Both Brenda and her mother were guests of the club.
Mrs. James Shaeffer gave a report on the St. Patrick's Dance and invited everyone to the public card party on Tuesday, April 3.
Mrs. Herbert Sarver has again invited the club to give their Senior Girls Tea at her home June 3.
The birthday cake from the evenings affair was given to the Day Care Center.
Charter members of the club are:
Mrs. Samuel Balsbaugh, Mrs. John Booth, Mrs. Geo. Broske, Mrs. Robert Brown, Miss Edna M. Charles, Mrs. Eugene Eicherly, Mrs. Charles Graham, Mrs. Adam Greer, Mrs. Earl Koser, Miss Elsie Lefever, Mrs. Vera Newcomer, Mrs. Simon Nissley, Mrs. Michael Pricio, Mrs. Lester Roberts, Mrs. David Schlosser, Miss Dorothy Schock, Mrs. Paul Shreiner, Mrs. James Shaeffer and Mrs. Lois Stotz.
The hospitality committee in charge of the program included: Mrs. C. Raymond Gilbert, Chairman, Mrs. Jay Meckley, Mrs. Samuel Balsbaugh, Mrs. Catherine Bennett, Mrs. Hans Helms, Mrs. David Schlosser, Mrs. Kenneth Smith and Mrs. John Way.

SUFFERS STROKE

Eli Ament, local automobile dealer, has suffered a stroke and is at the General Hospital in room 563.

FIELD FIRE

Friendship Fire company was called Wednesday afternoon to extinguish a field blaze near the Keystone barn, on Road 230, east.

Ten Students In Youth Day Activities

Ten Donegal high school students participated Tuesday, March 27, in the annual Youth Day in Government activities as a result of voting held last week.
Eight went to Lancaster and two went to Harrisburg. Sponsored by the Mt. Joy Junior Chamber of Commerce, the "Youth Day in Government" began with primary elections and was climaxed with a "general" election on Friday, March 23.
The final balloting was done on official voting machines which are owned by the county and regularly used in the borough of Mount Joy.
The project was in charge of John W. W. Loose, social studies teacher at D.H.S.
Loose accompanied eight youngsters to Lancaster on Tuesday, where they visited the county jail, toured the Lancaster Newspapers plant and WGAL-TV station. They had noon lunch at the Odd Fellows hall.
The group included Arthur Schneider, David Smith, Donald Zielke, Denny Naugle, Ray Livingston, Mary Wolfe, Roger Richards and Charles Suloff.
Making the trip to Harrisburg were David Greer and Harry Brooks.
Mrs. Lester Roberts, Public Education Chairman of the Mount Joy Unit of the American Cancer Society is organizing the campaign this year. She is assisted by Mrs. Arthur Sprecher, Mrs. Elam Bomberger and Mrs. James Hostetter.
Volunteer workers include West Ward — Mrs. Charles Etsell, Mrs. Coleman Sittes, Mrs. Mark Mumma, Mrs. George Berryhill, Mrs. James Forrey, Mrs. Paul Shetterman, Sr., Mrs. Edward Grimsey, Mrs. Elwood Mateur, Mrs. Winfield Foreman, Mrs. Walter Brandt, Mrs. Eby, Mrs. Miss Anna Mae Eby, Mrs. Gerald Sheetz, Mrs. Richard Kepple, Mrs. Ralph Alleman, Mrs. Raymond Gilbert.
East Ward — Mrs. Simon Nissley, Mrs. Ruth Balsbaugh, Mrs. Shirley Hoover, Mrs. Thomas O'Connor, Miss Mildred Way, Miss Joan Kline, Mrs. Nancy Newcomer, Mrs. Claudette Miller, Mrs. Carl Haus, Mrs. Pat Gible, Mrs. Helen Wealand, Mrs. Betty Bitzer, Mrs. Wm. Gassman, Mrs. Henry Zerph, Mrs. Marcia Landis, Mrs. Ray Bair, Miss Jean Eberle, Mrs. Lester Hostetter and Mrs. Robert Beech.
Mrs. George Shatto, Mrs. Joseph Taylor, Mrs. Harold Etsell, Mrs. Clyde Brill and Mrs. Merrill Johnson.

Postal Worker On Retirement

Claude B. Henderson, 465 East High Street, Elizabethtown, after 32 years of service in the various departments of the post office, retired February 3.
He was presented an honorary certificate by Postmaster B. L. Ream on March 16. The certificate signed by J. Edward Day, Postmaster General and J. J. Doherty, regional director, reads:
"Honorary recognition is accorded Claude B. Henderson for devotion to duty in the course of an honorable career in the United States Postal Service."
"This citation, tendered upon the occasion of retirement from active duty, conveys official commendation from the Postmaster General and a cordial expression of esteem from co-workers in the service."
Mrs. Henry Zerph was named first vice-president; Mrs. Jere Mackinson, second vice-president; Mrs. Patrick Moran, secretary; Mrs. Jas. Thorbahn, treasurer; Mrs. John Miller, orphanage; and Mrs. Roy Packer, Mrs. Gene Newcomer and Mrs. Ray Bair, directors. Mrs. William Arnold has been appointed historian of the group. Mrs. Ray Bair is immediate past president.

Joycees Elect New Officers

Mrs. Donald Gible, 114 Columbia avenue, Mount Joy was elected president of the local Joycees at a meeting recently. Mrs. Gible, a 1959 graduate of Donegal high school is employed at Wyeth Laboratories and is a member of Trinity Lutheran Church.
Mrs. Henry Zerph was named first vice-president; Mrs. Jere Mackinson, second vice-president; Mrs. Patrick Moran, secretary; Mrs. Jas. Thorbahn, treasurer; Mrs. John Miller, orphanage; and Mrs. Roy Packer, Mrs. Gene Newcomer and Mrs. Ray Bair, directors. Mrs. William Arnold has been appointed historian of the group. Mrs. Ray Bair is immediate past president.

BIRTHS

Thomas O. and Dorothy (O'Toole) Markley, Florin, a son, Thursday, March 22, at St. Joseph Hospital.
Bernard W. and Marilyn (Bernhard) Mumma, Mt. Joy R2, a son, Friday, March 23, at General Hospital.
Carl E. and Doris (Bitner) Floyd, Rhems, a son, Saturday, March 24, at St. Joseph Hospital.
Gerald and Kathryn (Kopp) Miller, Mount Joy R1, a son, Wednesday, March 28, at Osteopathic hospital.

Community Chest Begins Three-Year Cutback

Beginning this year, Mount Joy's Social Welfare organization will begin a three-year reduction in its activities until it finally becomes strictly a "welfare" agency.
The plan for reducing of the local group's activities was outlined Tuesday night at a joint meeting of its officers with representatives of the Lancaster County Community Chest.
In years gone by, the Social Welfare operated as an independent agency. Later it became affiliated with the Community Chest organization and made money contributions from chest collections made locally.
Later, all United Funds campaign money contributed here went straight to Lancaster and a pre-determined amount was returned to the Mount Joy Social Welfare to operate local projects.
Included was welfare, recreation, Boy Scouts, etc.
However, the Lancaster representatives said Tuesday that money to operate the welfare budget only will be returned in the future. Currently that budget amount is \$650.
However, to ease the cut of funds for Boy Scouts and recreation, the county will withdraw local support one-third each year over a three-year period.
In the meantime, local support for those two activities supported previously from United Funds must come from some other sources, the Lancaster officials said.
They suggested a local fund-raising effort sometime in the spring or early summer.
Last year Mount Joy brought something like \$5,400 to the Community Chest.

Band Parents Club Meets

The use and function of a percussion group of the senior high school band will be the opening feature of Donegal High School Band Parents Club monthly meeting on Monday night, April 2, at 7:30 o'clock in the senior high school band room.
The main subject for discussion will be the making financial plans for the coming uniform fund ham supper on May 5.
Every Donegal Junior and Senior High School Band parents is invited to attend and participate.

To Play Drums In Band Concert

Gary Zeller, senior at Lebanon Valley College, in Annville, and son of Mr. and Mrs. John Zeller, Pinkerton road, will play the snare drums in the Symphonic Band concert to be presented at the thirteenth annual music festival at the college, Thursday evening, April 5. The concert will be held in Engle hall. Dr. James M. Thurmond, associate professor of music, will be the conductor. Harold T. Brasch euphonium artist, will be the guest soloist with the band in Tschaiowsky's "Dance of the Swans". He is a former soloist with the United States Navy Band.

FALSE ALARM

Friendship Fire company was called Tuesday to the General Cigar company's warehouses in the old cotton mill when an automatic alarm system tripped the fire signal. There was no fire.

the weather by sam miller

Markets will be on the upgrade trend during the first week of April. Mid month may be the wettest of the month. Be careful of auto and airplane wrecks around these dates—April 1, 6, 7, 13, 14, 20, and 21. Very dangerous are the days of 27, 28 and 29.

Weather, March 29, cloudy chance of some rain; 30 and 31, partly cloudy, mild; April 1, clear, cool; 2 and 3, mostly clear and cool; 4 and 5, light showers; 6, light showers and cool; 7, partly cloudy; 8, rain; 9, cloudy warmer, some wind.