



Boro Council Faces 'Hot' Appointment

Although the Borough Council Monday night, at its December meeting held in the Friendship Fire Hall, did not make its 1963 appointment to the Borough Authority, the matter was discussed as one of the "hot" items for consideration.

The Council faces the responsibility of naming an Authority member to fill the seat now held by Frank Zink, for a five-year term.

Whether or not Zink is a candidate for the seat by re-appointment was not the 'hot' portion of the discussion.

When the question was opened, the name of John Toppin was suggested and discussed and the indication was

Let's put it this way. If you, as a citizen of this community want to read the laws of this borough, there is only one place you can see a copy.

That place is the original ordinance book, where they were recorded by the borough secretary at the time of passage.

At present there are three different books in which these laws are kept. The most recent books are in the personal custody of the secretary. A third, and more ancient book, is in the hands of the mayor.

None of the three are given more than the ordinary protection which we all give our possessions in our homes. In other words, the books are not kept in a safe or in any special way protected from fire.

We are not implying that either the mayor or the secretary are in any way negligent or careless in even a minor detail. This is just the way it is and the way it has been.

But, should something happen to these books, the laws of this borough would be lost. Oh, yes, some kind of law could be pieced together from old legal publications in the papers, from records of the attorneys of the county and from various other "make do" sources.

But, the originals and the official records would be gone.

If you think this is an over-drawn situation and that we are viewing with alarm, let us tell you that the three record books we are mentioning here are the ONLY records of borough ordinances.

A logical question arises. What about the other books? That's right—where ARE the other books? In the passage of the years they have become misplaced.

Those things happen. We know of a valuable church record which just dropped out of sight in the same way. It was no one's fault. It just happened.

That's what happens to old books and things unless they are safely and carefully stored according to a definite plan.

This business of borough ordinances is important.

For instance—it is a fact that the police department of Mount Joy does not even have copies of all criminal laws which it is expected to enforce. A move to correct that particular difficulty is being made as new ordinances are added. But—what about the older laws?

There are no copies of most ordinances available to the general public for inspection. If you as a citizen and taxpayer of Mount Joy wish to read a certain law, it would be necessary to speak to one of the officials who happens to be custodian of the book and make arrangements to see the book at their convenience.

If you wanted to read, re-read and to study the law at your convenience and leisure you are asking a big extra favor of our authorities.

We have no doubt that they are and will continue to be cooperative and helpful in

given that when nominations are opened—probably next meeting on January 7 his name will be presented.

Toppin served a five-year term, which expired a year ago. The seat was filled by the appointment of Bernard Grissinger.

Toppin had served the authority as both secretary and as president.

Other present members of the Authority include B. Titus Rutt, Henry Zerphey Jr. and Frank Germer.

The council voted to retain the one-quarter of one percent wage tax for 1963; voted a Christmas bonus to borough employees of 1 week's pay; looked with favor upon erection of a sign on east Main street notifying east-bound traffic that the "pavement narrows" and that there is a "narrow bridge"; voted \$230 to the Friendship Fire company, which is the final payment of a \$1,000 pledge to the firemen for '62; and discussed erection of 35-mile-per-hour speed signs along the length of the new Main street project.

The council noted that several bills for cutting weeds and grass for the 1962 season have not been paid and ordered that statements be given to justices of the peace for collection.

Decision was made to hold the annual budget making meeting of the council sometime in January.

Council heard details of certain "conditions" along Hopewell street and in a section at the back of some properties on the north side of Main street.

About 10 days ago a fire was discovered in that area and extinguished. However authorities were unhappy with the situation.

Fire Chief John Myers was given authority to take necessary action under a borough ordinance concerning fire hazards.

Marietta School To Present Yule Program

The pupils and staff of the Marietta Elementary School will present a Christmas program entitled, "The Spirit of Christmas", on Monday, Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Choirs representing the various grades sing appropriate music which accompanies the acting on stage. The three acts are titled, "Christmas Outdoors", "Christmas Indoors", and "The True Gift", which portrays the Nativity.

Collared choirs, attractive costumes, scenery and lighting add to the production.

Peggy DeJesus sings Mary's solo and Karl Libhart is the solo Shepherd. A woodwind ensemble and brass octette are added features. Other special performers include Randolph Appley, Suzanne Eppley, George Williams, Ken Rohrbaugh, Rick Retew, Charles Huck, Richard Clark, Paul Loucks, Barry Harkins, Danny Howell, Scott Penwell, Bill Burris, Earl Hubbard, Susan Flowers, Sandra Frick, Jean Bryant, John Parker, Steve Sload, Rickie Smedley, Eddie Flowers, Jeffrey Mumma, Dennis Hay, Lynn Hoffman and David Gallo. Student assistants are Joe Luzader, James Packard, Glenn Shank, Gary Weber and Barry Detweiler.

Mrs. Mildred H. Sloan, Music Instructor of Maytown and Marietta Schools, compiled the production and will direct the performance.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Such matters but the law of the community should be easily and quickly available to everyone at any and all reasonable times.

Please understand that this is not a criticism of the way anyone is handling the situation. It is a good, hard look at the system by which valuable records are protected and how they are available.

We are not the only ones in the community concerned with this vital problem. There are councilmen and private citizens who are not happy with the present arrangements.

The keeping of original records safe and secure and yet making copies available to everyone at all times is well deserving of a more than casual thought by the citizens and taxpayers of the community.

Last week in the Farm & Home News we used a five-line filler item which asked the question—"Has anyone suggested moving Thanksgiving back to October—to clear the way for a greater shopping carnage?"

Walter Demmy, Donegal Springs road laughingly said, "Don't do that. It would get in the way of Halloween."

His "friends" are having fun this week with Judge Jim Hockenberry.

Serving as cook at a hunting camp in Perry county a few days ago, the judge put a batch of dried beans to soak on the stove one evening.

The next morning—you housewives already have guessed it—there were beans popping out of the kettle, oozing over onto the stove and even onto the floor.

Tribe Raps Elizabethtown Basketball Team, 53-37

After spilling a 10-point correct despite the fact that loss to Penn Manor last week it's too soon for standings to mean anything to say that Donegal is second in the Lancaster County Basketball League Tuesday of this week with a resounding win over Elizabethtown.

The big one Tuesday, played on the home floor, gave Donegal a whopping 53-37 victory as Jack Rice bombarded for 26 big points.

Thus, in the early season standing, D.H.S., coached this season by Jim Sarbaugh, stands 1 - 1. It's statistically

correct despite the fact that it's too soon for standings to mean anything to say that Donegal is second in the Section One standings.

Besides the 9 fieldgoals and 8 free tosses which Rice tossed in, Brown and Lippold figured in the counting.

Donegal took a 10 - 6 quarter lead and thereafter never slowed. In the third period the Indians upped their point production to 16 and as the final frame began led 39 to 25.

It was E'town's second loss of the young season.

The host JV's won 38 to 24.

Last week, against Penn Manor, Rice had 21 points and Linard 11, but the host winners won, 63 to 53, leading upon their 17 and 18 point rampages in the first two quarters. Donegal faced a 15 point deficit at the intermission.

The Tribe rallied and showed more scoring punch in the second half. However, the lead was too heavy to overcome.

Penn Manor won the JV game 33 to 23.

Friday night the Indians go to Hempfield for games at 6:45 and 8:15 p.m.

Boys and Girls Trip To N.Y.

Approximately 100 boys and girls together with 20 parents and Mrs. Madeline Edgett, reading teacher at the Donegal Annex, made a bus trip to New York City on Saturday, Dec. 8. The trip was arranged by Mrs. Edgett. They visited Chinatown, the Statue of Liberty, the United Nations building, St. John's cathedral, the Empire State building, the NBC studios and upper and lower New York.

Chaperones included Mr. Keener, Mrs. Wise, Mrs. Libhart, Mrs. Nornby, Mrs. Albert, Mrs. Greg, Mrs. Weidman, Mrs. Bender, Mrs. Brubaker, Mrs. McPherson, Mabel Baltzer, Mrs. Valle, Mrs. Grubb, Mrs. Meckley, Mrs. Fellenbaum, Mrs. N. Kendig and Mrs. B. Kendig.

Postmaster Gives Hints On Christmas Mailing

Postmaster Zerphey put his "Mail Early for Christmas" Campaign into high gear today.

The postmaster said, "We are ready for an all time record Christmas mail. Every facility of the Post Office is being expanded to render maximum service. Extra trucks and personnel have been added, and special mailing schedules will be set up to insure prompt handling of tremendous flood of both incoming and outgoing mail."

"However," the Postmaster continued, "the vast volume of Christmas mail is only a part of our problem. When names and addresses are carelessly written and packages are poorly wrapped, 45 Columbia ave., Mount Joy or have insufficient postage and Carole Jane Epler, of Wood street, Florin.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lloyd Mitmer Mowrer, of Marietta, and Mary Louise Sutter, Wood street, Florin.

Ralph William Rice Jr., of packages are poorly wrapped, 45 Columbia ave., Mount Joy or have insufficient postage and Carole Jane Epler, of Wood street, Florin.

The Mount Joy



BULLETIN

SIXTY-SECOND YEAR, NO. 28

MOUNT JOY, PA., THURS DAY, DECEMBER 13, 1962

SEVEN CENTS PER COPY

Boy and Girl Of Month



JUDITH ANN KIPPLE

Judy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Kipple, 156 Manheim Street, Mount Joy and is a senior in the business course at Donegal high school.

Her high school activities have included: Hocksy 9, 11, 12; Rifle 10, 11, 12; Tennis 9, 10; Junior Play Committee; Senior play; Newspaper Staff 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Student Council Alternate 12.

She is a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church, Mount Joy, where she teaches Primary Sunday school class. She also has taught in the church Bible school for the last two summers.

Judy plans to attend college next year to prepare for a business education career.



GLENN MUSSER

Glenn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Z. Musser, of Mount Joy R1. He is a senior in the vocational agriculture course and plans to farm after graduation and possibly attend college at a later date to study agricultural engineering.

He is a member of Cross Roads Brethren in Christ Church, where he is treasurer of the high school Sunday school class and secretary of the summer Bible school. He sings in the church quartette and chorus.

His activities have included: FFA 9, 10, 11, 12; Keystone Farmer Award 12; Chaplain FFA 10; President FFA 11; Jr. Advisor FFA 12; County FFA Reporter 12; Honor Banquet 9, 11; Wrestling 9, 10, 11; Baseball 10; Chorus 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Varsity Club 11, 12; Penna. Holstein Frisian Association All Penna. Junior Calf Award 10; American Institute Cooperative Convention Rep. 11; County Red Rose Farmer Degree 11; County 4-H Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Community 4-H Club 12 Song Leader.

Jaycees To Hold Shopping Tour For Children

Boys and girls of the Messiah home will be guests of the Mount Joy Junior Chamber of Commerce Saturday for their annual Christmas shopping trip.

Each child at the home, accompanied by a Jaycee and a trip through the cash reservoir supplied by the Jaycee organization, will make a trip through the business district to make what purchases he wishes.

Later the youngsters will go to the Friendship Fire Hall and be assisted with gift wrapping by the Jaycees.

And, as a final attraction for the day, they will be treated at the Lincoln restaurant by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holtzman. For many years the children were guests of the late Frank Tyndall.

The 1963 shopping tour is in charge of Tom Zimmerman, Jaycee president Ray Bair said.

Expect Tree Decisions By Committee On Jan. 2

A decision as to what kind of trees and where to plant them along Mount Joy's Main street is expected on January 2.

Arrangements were made Wednesday night at the December meeting of the Community Council, held at the home of President George Albert, for all preliminary information on the tree project to be in hand by that date.

At the January 2nd meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. James Roberts, the tree planting committee will not only decide what kind of trees and where they are to be planted but hope to make arrangements with a nurseryman for purchase.

George Groff, co-chairman with Irvin Smith of the tree committee of the Community Council, reported that the project is going well, is being accepted and that those in charge of contacting property owners are making their calls.

A nurseryman attended the Wednesday night meeting and discussed the merits and advantages of several different kinds of trees, including different kinds of locusts, mountain ash, pin oaks, different types maples, etc.

ONE OF 400 IN College Field Period Project

Miss Wendy H. Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric A. Olson, 232 S. Market St., is one of more than 400 students from Keuka College, Keuka Park, N. Y., participating in the college's yearly fall field period.

Keuka College students left their campus studies on Nov. 16 to participate in work and study projects in off-campus study locations in 17 states, Washington, D. C., Canada and France. Field Period runs through Dec. 22. Keuka students will resume their classroom work on campus Jan. 7.

This year marks the 20th year for the Keuka Field Period. Although the program was inaugurated in '42 admittedly as somewhat of an experiment, off-campus work and study experiences have become an integral part of Keuka's liberal arts plan of education.

The normal sequence of experiences for the current Field Period call for freshmen and sophomores to undertake a work and study project in a community agency. Juniors and seniors hold regularly paying jobs or engage in other work relating to their vocational choice.

Miss Olson is currently at the Elizabethtown Crippled Children's Hospital. She is receiving credit for a community service Field Period requirement.

In addition to the yearly fall field period, study and work experiences are offered Keuka students during summer months. The cultural experience in religion and the arts is a new requirement that will be offered for the first time this summer. It will be available to sophomores.

NEW ARRIVALS

Lloyd and Flora (Ness) Ankney, Mount Joy R1, at Columbia hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane S. Malm of Drexel Hill, Pa., are the parents of an 8-lb., 9-oz. son, John David, born on Tuesday, Dec. 11, at Lankeau hospital in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Malm was formerly Sally Ann Nissley. Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nissley of Mount Joy are the maternal grandparents.

At least three persons are needed for a good talk. It's pretty difficult for two persons to have a complete conversation. They need a third one, not present, to talk about.

MORE DEER KILLS

John Melhorn, Donegal St. got a 90-pound spike buck in Potter county the first day of hunting and Ken Roth of Rheems, who was hunting in the same party, shot a 3-pointer, weighing about 110 pounds.

Lavern Kaugh, Dover, the third man in the group, shot a 126-pound, 5-point buck.

George 'Prince' Albert, of New Haven street, killed a nice spike buck in Perry county on the opening day about 7:15. It weighed about 125 pounds.

Two more Mount Joy men, hunting in Juniata county, brought home deer. They were Jerry Leonard, Frank Street, and Art Brubaker, of Park avenue.

Billy Dommel reports getting a 110-pound spike buck in Perry county.

John L. Zerphey killed a 3-point deer in Perry county weighing about 110 pounds.

Authority To Try Massive Flush Operation On Water System

The problem of "muddy" water in Mount Joy is to be tackled with a "massive" flush operation.

Decision to do an intensive "flush job" on the water mains was made Tuesday night as the Borough Authority held its December meeting.

The Authority, at least for the time being, has decided against a temptation to place the muddy water problem exclusively in the hands of an engineering firm with instructions to "do what is necessary."

As outlined Tuesday, the Authority within the next few days, if the weather is mild enough, will give the mains of the community a king size flushing according to the best plan it can devise to clear out dirty water.

Fire plugs and other openings are to be tapped and given an opportunity to expell the water which is giving trouble in many parts of the borough.

The plan, as outlined, will call for use of perhaps several plugs at one time.

The problem has plagued the Authority for many weeks and it has struggled to correct the situation. However, recent reports are that instead of improving there are reports of "muddy" water in sections which before were not involved.

A certain amount of patience has been exercised by both water consumers and the Authority for it was believed that the Main street rebuilding project may have disturbed the water lines enough to cause a temporary unpleasant situation.

However, since the street was virtually finished, the problem has continued.

The Authority was confronted at its November meeting by some 15 citizens of the New Haven area who reported a very bad condition.

At the same time, Donegal Springs Road customers were complaining.

Tuesday night, two filters taken from the home system of a Donegal Springs Road resident showed massive contamination in relatively short periods.

The Authority, backed by the opinion of its consulting engineer, has ruled out—for the present—the possibility of a broken main. They point out that when a line is broken and water under pressure is flowing out of the line through an opening, mud or other material of contamination just can not reenter the mains at that spot.

Expect To Hear Court Action In 'Annex' Case

Monday, Dec. 17, is the date set for another of many legal hurdles in the Florin "annexation" case.

On that day attorneys for parties concerned are to appear in court and present their arguments to the court, supporting their respective positions.

Attorneys involved represent those people who have petitioned for annexation to Mount Joy; those people opposing the annexation; Mount Joy twp., East Donegal twp. and Mount Joy borough.

Whether or not the court will issue a final determination on Monday is not known. However, there are those well versed in the procedure who believe that it may be a few days before a decision is made.

Too, it has been hinted that it is possible an appeal might possibly be taken to superior court by one of the interested parties.

If the case is not heard in argument court next week, it would not be likely to go before court until the middle of February.

Expect To Hear Court Action In 'Annex' Case

Monday, Dec. 17, is the date set for another of many legal hurdles in the Florin "annexation" case.

On that day attorneys for parties concerned are to appear in court and present their arguments to the court, supporting their respective positions.

Attorneys involved represent those people who have petitioned for annexation to Mount Joy; those people opposing the annexation; Mount Joy twp., East Donegal twp. and Mount Joy borough.

Whether or not the court will issue a final determination on Monday is not known. However, there are those well versed in the procedure who believe that it may be a few days before a decision is made.

Too, it has been hinted that it is possible an appeal might possibly be taken to superior court by one of the interested parties.

If the case is not heard in argument court next week, it would not be likely to go before court until the middle of February.

Mount Joy Yule Lights And Community Tree Up

Mount Joy's Christmas lights are all ablaze!

Art Sprecher, Chamber of Commerce lighting committee chairman, said this week that the Christmas wreaths, the greeting signs and the community tree are all installed for the 1-962 season.

Two changes are evident this year.

A brand new "greeting" sign has been installed at the west edge of the borough, between Mount Joy and Florin which matches the one which has been displayed for several years at the east end of the old cotton mill.

This year the community Christmas tree—after many years on the lawn of Dr. Mary Bowman—has been erected on the grounds of the Trinity Lutheran church.

Cut and erected by the borough crew, the tree this year came from the property of Clyde Nissley on Marietta avenue.

And—as has been the custom in recent years, it was decorated by the Mount Joy Jaycees.

A final tour of the 1962 system was made Monday night and a few missing and burned out light bulbs were replaced, Sprecher said.

Florin Christmas Program Dec. 22

The annual Florin Community Christmas Carol program will be held Saturday, Dec. 22 at 7:30 p.m. in front of the Florin Branch of the Lancaster County National Bank.

The familiar carols will be sung by the group; the Christmas message will be presented by Rev. Benjamin Thuma, pastor of the Brethren in Christ church and special music will be given by the chorus of this church.

The usual Christmas treat will be given to those in attendance.

All are invited to attend and to participate.

Letter to the Editor

G. C. Murphy Company Mckeesport, Penna. November 28, 1962

Dear Mr. Rainbolt:

We understand you went before the council president and the mayor to plead for retail merchants to have the parking meters free until January 1st, and approval was granted, this action will thus encourage people to shop the Mount Joy retail establishments.

It is indeed rare, but gratifying to find an individual who will plead for the merchants of Mount Joy because when the merchants are prosperous the whole town benefits.

We value and appreciate your efforts on behalf of the merchants of Mount Joy. We look forward to bigger and better outlooks for Mount Joy and with your type of splendid cooperation, we believe this will come about.

Sincerely,
F. P. Waldron
District Manager

As a public service, The Bulletin lists the following physician, who may be reached for emergency service or by those who are unable to contact their family physician:

Sunday
Dr. Thomas O'Connor

Some 18,000,000 school children across the world get a daily CARE lunch or glass of milk.

November 29, 1962
Dear Mr. Rainbolt:
The presentation of the

