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SEVEN CENTS

Mount Joy long has been proud of its successes in tennis and has taken prideful satisfaction in the fact that no other community in the area was more consistently a winner.

However, last year the sport dropped to a very low ebb and the town did not have a team in the league in which it normally played.

Thus, it is with anticipation that we report here that last weekend Mount Joy did put a team on the court again and won a league game from Middletown, 8 to 1

Some new blood to add to the older talent has given a boost to local prospects.

Mount Joy is observing its first National Library Week with a library of its own.

The new Library Center opened last fall and has been an instant success. And — with no group has the library activity been more of a hit than with the bright-eyed youngsters who pile into the Center on Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Between 40 and 50 are now attending the story hour, checking out books and beginning to learn that the world of books is a fascinating experience.

Last month, the center circulated 1942 books and this month appears to be headed for an even bigger figure.

Elsewhere is reported a mess which appears to center at the Mount Joy disposal plant. One wag observed

'Of This and That'

by the editor's wife

We wonder how many of our readers saw Walt Disney's movie, "Mary Poppins" while it was in Lancaster.

We hope that many of them did, for it was delightful, refreshing, completely wholesome and acceptable entertainment.

Today, when so many movies are of questionable character, and violate all standards of decency and good taste, it is heartening and good to know that "Mary Poppins" enjoyed a longer run in Lancaster than almost any other movie that has ever been shown there.

Not only was it appreciated by Lancaster Countians, though. It won more than its share of "Oscars" when those coveted awards were given out recently.

Such appreciation and such recognition give us en-

Help Launch Library Week

A delegation of 9 Mount Joy people participated Sunday, April 25, in a dinner meeting at Ephrata which marked the opening of National Library Week.

Sponsored by the District Library Center, the dinner was held at the Bergstrasser church.

More than 80 people from all parts of the county at-

tended, inspected the Ephrata library and the Historical Society's museum.

From Mount Joy attending the meeting for representatives of library boards and staffs were:

Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts, Henry G. Carpenter, Mrs. Donald Shaub, Robert Shank, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Ulrich, Charles Roth and Mrs. Alice Heilman.

State Inspects Sewer Plant

Reports of fish kills in Little Chiques creek and charges and rumors of irregularities at the Borough Authority sewage disposal plant have been much in evidence in the area the past few days.

Talk of ultimatums to the Authority, rumors of wells which have produced "bad odor water" and of breakdowns in the sewage dispos-

al plant all have been heard.

On Tuesday of this week a delegation of two was in Harrisburg and talked with state health officials relative to the situation.

The regional office of the state health department (in West Reading) had a man in Mount Joy this week to check the situation and the

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D.H.S. Band to Play at Fair

The Donegal high school band, under the direction of Morrell Shields, has accepted an invitation from Robert Moses, president of the New York World's Fair, to perform at the fair's popular Tiparillo band pavilion May 11.

A one-hour concert will be given by the 100-piece band, scheduled for 10:45 a.m.

The band will present its concert here on Saturday, May 1, at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. A trumpet trio will be featured, accompanied by George Bros-

ke. Trumpeteers will include James Metzler, Terry Hamilton and Gray Greiner. JoAnn Gish and Jill Schatz will play a flute and clarinet duet and Nancy Marley will be narrator for the program.

Four marches, including a routine by the majorettes, several novelty numbers and others will be included on the program.

The local concert also will have variety as the ninth grade chorus takes the stage and sings several numbers. Kathy Brown, Carolyn Blantz and Judy Emenheiser also will sing.

The Tiparillo pavilion last year served to present more than 300 musical and dance groups. The schedule for '65 is even more intense with nearly 700 performances expected.

Ellis On Panel

Gary L. Ellis Mount Joy R1, executive assistant to the commissioner of mental health, and Dr. Frank X. Hasselbacher, Camp Hill, director, Bureau of Mental Health Services, are the guest panelists on a special television show to "kick off" Mental Health Week in Pennsylvania.

The show, "Panel 8", will be aired on Saturday, May 1, from 5:30 to 6:00 p.m., and consists of a question and answer session covering all phases of the Mental Health program in Pennsylvania.

Authority Will Buy Florin Water System

Price Set Tuesday At \$307,000

Mount Joy's Borough Authority will buy the Florin Water company and "tie" it into the present distribution system, it was decided this week.

The price will be \$307,000.

Although it will take an official decision to finally spread upon the record, the plan of action was virtually finalized Tuesday in Philadelphia.

Three members of the Authority, plus their fiscal agent, met with representatives of the water company and discussed the proposed action from many angles, including

price. Acting on recommendation of its engineering and financial advisors, who supported the position that purchase is "economically feasible", the Authority agreed to the purchase.

Details of the transaction still are to be worked out with engineers, attorneys and bonding people.

Tuesday's decision amounted to the exercising of an option which the Borough Authority had held for several weeks and which would have expired the end of this month.

In a preliminary full dress discussion of the situation with attorneys, engineers and fiscal agents, tentative plans were laid — depending upon decisions made this week — to do three things:

—Buy the Florin Water (Turn to page 8)

Set Tentative School Budget

No tax increase for support of Donegal school district is anticipated for this year, it was indicated Thursday night, April 22, as the school board held its April meeting and tentatively passed the 1965-66 budget.

The present slated expenditures total \$1,759,015, of which \$865,700 will be raised locally. State and federal sources will raise the remainder.

While most budget items are increased some, the large-

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Select Contest Judges

Ed Cole, popular radio disc jockey, will act as the master of ceremonies for the 1965 Miss Mount Joy Contest, to be held in the Donegal Annex auditorium May 28 at 8 p.m.

The Mount Joy Junior Chamber of Commerce is holding the contest in conjunction with the Memorial Day weekend activities planned by the Community Council.

Judges will be Dr. Edward Lancaster, orthopedic surgeon, Lancaster; Mrs. Charles Millard, operator of Elizabethtown Studio of Fine Arts; Mort Rosen, President of Penna. Junior Chamber of Commerce; K. L. Shirk Jr., attorney and County Republican chairman and Doris W. Herr, speech instructor at Penn Manor high school.

Carolyne Blantz, Miss Mount Joy 1964, will present the crown to the winner this year.

Music will be supplied by Mrs. Ethel Broske and addi-

tional entertainment by the Royal Jeans.

The public is invited to attend.

Girls who are interested in participating should contact James Nissley for further details and application.

Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brown Jr., 34 W. Main St., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Saturday, April 24.

The couple was married April 24, 1915, at Trinity Lutheran Church, Mount Joy, with the late Rev. Howard Kern officiating.

Mr. Brown retired from Gerberich-Payne Shoe Co., six years ago. Mrs. Brown was organist at Trinity Lutheran Church, Mount Joy, for 40 years.

The couple has two children, George H. Brown III, 406 S. Delta St., and Bruce D. Brown, 127 New Haven St., both of Mount Joy; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Set Dates For Spring Street Cleaning

Spring cleaning of Mount Joy streets is scheduled to begin next Monday.

Simeon Horton, street committee chairman of the Borough Council, said that a rented sweeper is due to arrive Monday and to spend three days here.

Because it was not necessary to spread as much stone on the streets this past winter during slick and snowy times, it is anticipated that the cleanup will move along faster than last spring.

On Monday, the sweeper crew will work on Main street, Longenecker road, Marietta street, New Haven street, Donegal street and Donegal Springs Road.

Tuesday they will be on north and south Market street, north and south Barbara street, Columbia Ave., East Donegal street, north and south Jacob street, Mount Joy street and Poplar street.

The schedule on Wednesday will include New street, Detwiler avenue, High street

South Delta street, David street, Lumber street and Manheim street.

During the days indicated, motorists are urged by the borough officials and by the police department to refrain from parking in the areas mentioned.

Cooperation will make it possible for the clean-up to do a better and more complete job — one which will give the town an improved appearance and help in the spring "housecleaning."

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. John Gates

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