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# D.H.S. Band The Mount Joy Will Give NY Concert

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SEVEN CENTS

One hundred and six Donegal high school bandmen, including majorettes, will participate next Tuesday, May 11, in an hour's concert at the New York World's Fair.

The group will perform from the famous Tiparillo band stand between 10:45 a. m. and 11:45 a. m., playing a concert presented last Saturday night at the high school auditorium.

Director Morrell Shields said this week that the concert will be amplified through the fairgrounds as desired by the Fair people next Tuesday.

There will be three busses of musicians and other band personnel, accompanied by a fourth bus which will transport members of the Band Parents Club, who are sponsoring the trip.

All will leave early Tuesday morning and return to Mount Joy late Tuesday night.

An invitation to play a concert in New York was received last fall directly from Robert Moses, head of the fair organization.

The program which will be a varied one, includes a flute and clarinet duet by JoAnn Gish and Jill Schatz, and a trumpet trio by James Metzler, Gray Greiner and Terry Hamilton, accompanied by George Broske.

## Joint Concert On May 15

A joint concert will be presented in the Donegal H. S. auditorium on Saturday, May 15, at 8 p. m.

Featured will be the Swing Choir, conducted by Mrs. RoAnn Lau, the Junior high school band conducted by H. Morrell Shields, and the Symphony orchestra, conducted by Ralph Lehman.

Appearing as part of the orchestra portion of the program (Turn to page 4)

## GOLF TOURNEY

The first Mount Joy Golf association tournament for the season is scheduled for Sunday, May 23, at the Cool Creek course. Tee off times are between 11 a. m. and 1 p. m. Current dues are now payable and score cards should be turned in, according to Association officers.

## Runnerup Champ In Spelling Bee

Patricia Charles, 14-year-old eighth grader at Donegal Annex, is runnerup champion in the county spelling bee, held Friday night, April 30, at Abraham Lincoln Junior high school.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Charles, of 822 Bruce Avenue.

Patricia stubbed her toe on the word "cardiac", spelling it "cartiac."

As second best in a field of 35 from all parts of the county, Patricia was winner of several nice prizes, including a portable transistor radio and a two-volume set of Encyclopedia Britannica World Language Dictionaries.

Also, if for some reason the champion, Margaret Hall, a 12-year-old at Penn Manor, cannot fulfill her opportunity to participate in an all-expense trip to Washington, D.C., for the national Spelling Bee, Patricia will be offered the chance.

Walter Rolfs placed 18th out of 36 contestants. It is interesting to note that in the past three years of this competition, Donegal has furnished a champion, Marianne Waters, and now a runner-up.

## Pre-Election Forum Wednesday Night

PUBLIC INVITED

The Pre-Election Forum, sponsored by the Mount Joy Junior Chamber of Commerce, will be held next Wednesday night, May 12, in the Friendship Fire Hall, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

And—all but five of the candidates who face opposition—have indicated that they will be on hand to participate.

The Forum is something

different in Mount Joy, designed to give the public an opportunity to meet the candidates, hear them talk, learn what they plan, if elected, and to discuss problems which concern the public.

Jaycees are working on the theory that the candidates are seeking support and votes from the public, asking to work for the public, and that as prospective employees of the public they should have an opportunity to appear in a public meeting.

There are 15 local candidates who have opposition in

the May 18th primary election. Ten have said that they will attend the Forum, speak and answer questions.

Those who have told the Jaycees that they will be on hand include: Robert E. Kline, William Mateer John E. Tyndall and Glenn M. Wolgemuth, all Republican candidates for tax collector; George Groff and James Spangler, G.O.P. candidates for council from the eastward; Clark G. Berrier and Simeon A. Horton, Republican candidates for council from the west ward and Henry F. Becker Jr., and James Roberts, candidates for tax collector on the Democratic ticket.

Those who have declined to take part in the Forum are: Peggy Brown, John W. Anderson, Frank Walter, James Hockenberry and Harold Milligan.

On the program to open the meeting will be Jack Horner of Elizabethtown, state representative, who will discuss something of the importance of local people becoming involved in local government.

Jay Greider will serve as chairman of the meeting.

Other members of the Jaycees' Forum committee are Leo Moore and Ray Bair, chairman.

## Open House Visitation

Nine homes in Mount Joy and immediate area will be included on the homes tour, which will be a new feature this year of the annual Memorial Day celebration.

Sponsored by the Mount Joy Rotary club, the tour will be held on Monday, May 31, which will be observed by most people and business as a holiday because Memorial

Day itself falls on Sunday.

The list of nine homes offer a selected variety of interest and appeal to those who have a special interest in homes.

Each, in its own particular way, offers something different, unusual and attractive. They range from small to large, new to old and will provide those who make the tour with fascinating ideas of home furnishing, decorations and arrangements.

The list of homes, as announced this week, includes:

Henry G. Carpenter, 5 Delta St., Mount Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Sarver, R.D. 2, Mount Joy; Mr. and Mrs. J. Richard Gerberich, 229 School Lane, Mount Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver W. Holmes, RD 1, Mount Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Abram B. Groff, R.D. 1, Mount Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Lichty, R.D. 1, Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. J. Eugene Eicherly, R.D. 1, Mount Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Heisey, 107 Poplar St., Mount Joy; Miss Blanche Speer, Schock Presbyterian Home, 37 East Main St., Mount Joy.

## Plan To Join Water Systems

A study to determine the best way of tying the Mount Joy and Florin water systems together is to be undertaken at once, it was decided Tuesday night by the Mount Joy Borough Authority, holding its May meeting in the fire hall.

The Authority's consulting engineers, Gannett, Fleming, Corddry & Carpenter of Harrisburg, was authorized to seek the best methods to:

—Lay a connecting line from the Florin water system's spring to some point on the Mount Joy system. A 12-inch pipe is planned.

—Make necessary changes in the pumping station to serve the combined systems.

The two phases of the project are part of the plan to acquire the Florin Water system. Financing of both purchase and construction are expected to be handled through the same fiscal actions.

Reports of progress of installing sewers in the Florin area indicate that laying of pipe is 99 percent completed. Resurfacing of ditches is progressing and that construction of a pumping station on Donegal Springs road is about half done.

The Authority is taking another look at the possibility of building a sewer line on west Wood street to serve about twenty homes. Originally the Authority was told that the price of construction would be about \$39,000. Study of the problem from an entirely new angle will begin next week-end.

A delegation of more than 30 people, residents of East Donegal and Rapho townships, appeared before the Authority to question conditions at the sewer disposal plant and to ask what steps will be taken and when to remove sludge now lying in a lagoon east of the buildings. (Turn to page 8)

## Many Tons

Tons and tons of dirt, trash and small stones were swept from Mount Joy's streets this week as a rented piece of equipment toured the city on Monday and Tuesday.

The sweeper, accompanied by a borough truck to haul the dirt away and a police officer to keep the streets cleared of autos, worked very late Monday night.

This is the second spring that the borough has taken part in a "housecleaning" operation, using a rented sweeper.

The sweeper worked 20½ hours, removing 48 tons of material from Main street and a total of 65 tons from other streets.

Street Committee Chairman Simeon Horton said on Wednesday that almost all streets in the borough were swept and he expressed deep appreciation to the people of the community for their co-operation in keeping the streets clear during the time the sweeper was working.

## Germer Resigns From Authority

A resignation by Frank Germer from the Mount Joy Borough Authority was accepted Monday night, May 3 by the Borough Council.

He gave ill health as his reason for wishing to be relieved. His term would have expired January 1, 1966.

No action was taken to refill the position.

John Weidman, north Market street, was named to the position. (Turn to page 5)

## Golden Anniversary Day

Today, May 6, 1965—is a golden anniversary for Bachman Chocolate Manufacturing company!

On this day, in 1915, John A. Bachman, broke ground for his chocolate manufacturing plant here in Mount Joy.

Although somewhat the worse for its age, a treasured and precious photo taken at the scene still preserves the occasion.

On the spot which for 50 years has housed the business, the pictures show Mr. Bachman and several other men standing in several newly plowed furrows with two teams of mules hitched to slip scoops near at hand to

begin excavating for the new plant along the Pennsylvania railroad.

Although today marks the 50th anniversary of the plant in Mount Joy, it does not indicate the beginning of Bachman's business.

Prior to coming to Mount Joy, he started his chocolate enterprise in 1911 while still in school in Philadelphia.

Mr. Bachman was elected April 20, 1965, a member of the executive committee of the Chocolate Association of America. Throughout his business career, he has been active in the trade organizations on a national level.

## 'Of This and That'

by the editor's wife

May is a month of many activities in Mount Joy. Already the calendar is almost full!

Beginning with the Donegal May day program Thursday evening, and closing with the extensive Memorial Day celebrations, it looks as if this would be a busy time!

Donegal high school has many activities scheduled besides the May Day program—the band trip to the New York World's Fair on May 11, the Prom, the Honor Banquet May 14, to mention just three!

Sunday will be "Mother's Day" in churches and homes in Mount Joy. There are piano recitals scheduled that we know of... Flea Markets and Antiques Shows and sales nearby.

And in between times, everyone will be working on lawns and gardens, to have them at their prettiest and best when the year reaches its "high tide" in June.

Housecleaning will hit a frenzied peak, and hundreds of gallons of paint will be spread by both amateurs and professionals, in the next few weeks.

Yes, May is a busy time, but one of the nicest months of the whole year, we think!

A group of about 100 eighth grade pupils from the Donegal Annex thought May was a pretty nice month, when they left books behind them on Tuesday of this week to take a field trip to the mountains to gather fossils!

Chaperoned by six teachers, and filling three busses, they touched on four counties (Lancaster, Lebanon, Schuylkill and Dauphin) and had a perfectly gorgeous time!

We saw them as they were ready to leave early Tuesday morning. Knapsacks and canteens were numerous, jeans and blouses the order of the day. Faces were bright with anticipation, and arms were loaded with lunches, hammers, and pertinent paraphernalia.

We saw them when they arrived home Tuesday after- (Turn to page 8)

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. Newton Kendig

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