



by R. A. R.

Leaves are falling, mums are blooming and there is a morning crispness in the air. That's enough to say that winter's coming.

But, if you need further proof, notice that the state highway boys already have begun to spot their snow fences along the roads. Some iron posts already have been driven to hold the slatted wooden fences.

If you haven't noticed, Donegal high school now makes a new and different appearance at night. The new, ornamental lighting system authorized months ago by the school board, has been installed.

Latest progress report on the United Fund drive still shows the collections for the 1965 campaign lagging.

Mount Joy, the report shows, has only 62.4 percent of last year's total reported for this year.

In light of that fact, it will be interesting to see how a much-discussed Mount Joy 'community drive' works out.

A strictly local drive to meet strictly local needs has been much discussed the past two or three years and seems due for some decision before too long — possibly in November.

Funds for Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, playgrounds and possibly others would be included. Similar local drives already are being made in other Lancaster county boroughs.

## 'Of This and That'

by the editor's wife

A McGuffey first grade reader, a flax "winder," and an ornate piece of furniture that looks as if it might have graced a lodge hall — these are the "treasures" we gleaned from an antiques sale here in Mount Joy this week at Keller's Auction Gallery.

The McGuffey reader we will put on the shelf, after we have read it through. The beautiful flax winder will become a companion to the flax spinning wheel which we found at a sale several months ago, and the gorgeous walnut and rosewood "cupboard" or chest, or whatever

it is, will find a home in the front office of the Bulletin. We have a feeling it will become a real "conversation piece!"

It was made in Philadelphia many, many years ago, and the workmanship is superb. A decoration on the front, which looks as if it were painted, is in reality an inlaid design of different kinds of wood. The piece is heavily carved, with fluting and more elaborate designs. We shall try to learn more of its history—but for the present, we shall just enjoy its unique and ornate beauty. Visitors are welcome — perhaps someone will know what it is!

A woman who has lived in Mount Joy for 12 years and is now moving to Oklahoma, dropped in at the Bulletin office this week.

It was Mrs. Marlin Waltz, Birchland Avenue. Regretfully she is leaving her "wonderful neighbors" and friends in Mount Joy.

And do you know what else she will hate to leave behind when she moves to Oklahoma? (Turn to page 5)

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# The Mount Joy

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## Open Lighted Firing Range At Sports Farm

Switches were thrown on Tuesday night for the first use of a fine, new and unusual addition to the facilities at the Mount Joy Sports Farm.

Within the past few days, work has been completed on a dazzling bright lighting system which makes possible after dark trap shooting.

Under planning for more than three months, the new system includes fifteen 500-watt lights which flood the entire field.

It was necessary to install special lines and equipment to handle the project.

The nearest lighted trap shoot field is at Myerstown and Mount Joy Sportsmen have gone all-out. President Martin said, to make the local installation the finest.

## To Curtail Mail Armistice Day

Thursday, Nov. 11, Armistice Day — will be a holiday for mail service.

Postmaster Elmer Zerphey said this week that there will be no window service at the Mount Joy postoffice or at the Florin station.

There will be no city delivery or rural delivery.

Incoming mail is due to arrive about 9 a.m. It will then be sorted and then placed in lock boxes. The lobby at both Mount Joy and Florin offices will be open. Mail which normally arrives at 4 p.m. will not be sorted until the following day.

## Halloween Parade Saturday Night

The 1965 Mount Joy Halloween parade, sponsored by the Mount Joy Lions club, and complete with 8 bands, will be held on Saturday night, Oct. 30.

The parade will form at Market and Columbia at 6:30 o'clock and step off a half hour later.

Henry Zerphey is chairman and Charles Hershey is co-chairman. Others assisting on the general committee are Lou Sperla, Ralph Albert, Wes Swiegart, Dick Beach, Bill Batzel and Bill Eby.

One of the features will be the appearance of the King and Queen of the parade — Betsy O'Connor and Barry Brubaker.

It's a discouraging thought, but in case of rain, the parade will be held on Monday, Nov. 1.

The 4-division parade will include the Lancaster Shrine band, the Penn Manor high

## Parade Route

Parade will form at Market and Columbia and move west on Marietta avenue; north on New Haven to Main; east on Main to Barbara to Poplar; south on Poplar to Donegal Annex, where prizes will be awarded.

school band, Miss Mount Joy, the Billiettes, Bainbridge band, Lancaster Catholic band Kaydettes, Kiltit Band of York, Dauphin lodge marching units, floats, Columbia high school band and Donegal high school band.

There will be cash prizes as follows: For individuals — most comical, most original and fanciest; For couples — most original and most com-

ical; for groups (three or more) Fanciest, most comical and largest group in costume.

Prizes will be distributed at the Donegal Annex building, where a combo will entertain while the judges are reaching their decisions.

In addition to costumed marchers, prizes will be given for non-commercial floats.

The four division marshalls are: John Weidman, Paul Gingrich, Frank Eichler and Lloyd Myers.

Committee chairmen in charge of various phases of the big parade undertaking include: publicity, Charles Ashenfelter; traffic, George Copenheaver; prizes, John Presto; school and entertainment, Jay Meckley, parade contribution drive, Dick Beach; lighting and parade routes, Art Sprecher; convertibles, Jim Hollinger, king and queen, Bill Eby, and judges, H. Schafer.

## Donegal Hi Holds Gala Homecoming

### CROWN QUEEN

Lilli Ann Wivell, Donegal high school senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wivell, Columbia R1, was crowned queen Saturday, Oct. 23, at Donegal's homecoming.

John Frecht, president of student council, placed the crown on Miss Wivell at festivities prior to the Donegal-Cocalico football game.

Other candidates for the crown were Miss Joan Aument, Miss Mary Effley, Miss Yvonne Forry, Miss Sharon Fryberger, Miss Linda Gainer, Miss Charlene Heaps and Miss Karen Hoffman.

Homecoming activities began Saturday morning with hockey and soccer games between varsity and alumni teams.

James Nissley was elected president of the alumni asso-

ciation succeeding Samuel Harnish. Other officers named were Charles Gerber, vice president; Caroline Boltz, recording secretary; Betty Jean Mumma, corresponding secretary, and Gerald Wagner, treasurer.

Mrs. Mary Wagner was named one-year board member and Mrs. Mildred Peifer and Samuel Harnish, 3-year board members.

A dance was held at the school Saturday evening.

### CONVENTION DELEGATE

Mrs. Vera Newcomer, 216 East Main street, is one of nine registered nurses of the area elected as a delegate to the 61st annual state-wide convention of the Pennsylvania Nurses association, Oct. 26 - 29 at the Penn-Sheraton hotel in Pittsburgh.

### TEAM WINS

Homecoming always is a little more satisfactory when the football team wins!

And—that's just what the Donegal Indians did for the Alumni on Saturday afternoon, October 23. They went to work early in the first period and rolled headlong to a 49-20 triumph over Cocalico.

It was the Tribe's second win of the '65 season.

The quick start saw three touchdowns pushed across in the opening period, converting extra points on each one. No quarter was barren. The second saw two more of the same kind and one each followed in the third and fourth

It was a good day for line bucking, for passing and for winning and a tremendous (Turn to page 7)

## Observes 99th Birthday On Thursday

What do you do when you are 99 years old?

Well, you don't just sit and rock. Or, you don't just sit. Not if you are Miss Maria Hoffman, who lives on the Marietta road near Donegal high school.

On Thursday (Oct. 28) she will observe her 99th birthday. It probably will be a relatively quiet marking of a very unusual milestone, for her friends and relatives are looking forward to the big one next year.

But, as quiet as the observance may be on Thursday, it's a good bet that Miss Hoffman will be doing some of what she has been doing a lot of this past year.

As a member of the Cross Roads Brethren in Christ church, she does not go to the sewing circle meetings much any more, but—

One of the projects of that group is to prepare receiving

blankets for distribution when needed. To make the blankets prettier and nicer, one of the chores is to put some fancy work along the sides.

So, the blankets are taken to Miss Hoffman and she crochets the edges.

Someone asked her the other day, "Do you know how many you have done this year?" "No," she scoffed, "I don't bother to keep count."

"But, we do," one of the women of the sewing group said. "It's 163."

Miss Hoffman explained it simply, "I must be busy."

## Time to Change



Don't forget — Saturday night is the end of Daylight Saving Time in this area for 1965. Sometime before Sunday morning, clocks, watches and any other timepiece should be turned back one hour.

### BANKS TO CLOSE

All banks in Mount Joy will be closed all day Tuesday, November 2, which is election day.

The banks include the Union National Mount Joy bank and the Mount Joy and Florin banks of the Lancaster County Farmers National bank.

# VOTE NEXT TUESDAY

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