



# The Mount Joy

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SEVEN CENTS

Mount Joy Rotary club, as do all Rotary clubs around the world, places a high value on community service — especially service by its individual members. Rotary believes that men should render a service to their communities as one of their principal responsibilities of citizenship.

It has become a custom in the Mount Joy club to recognize such outstanding service by the presentation of a rose — a symbol and a token only, of course — but nevertheless a public recognition of a job well done.

Last week such a presentation was made to Dr. David Schlosser, a long-time member of Rotary, who this month resigned from Donegal school board after 19 years of service.

Whether or not it is common knowledge within the community, we do not know. But, it is a fact that school board members serve without pay — giving countless hours of time, energy and thought to the manifold and fantastically complex problems of public education.

Not only has Dr. Schlosser been a member of the board of education, he has served as president—an even heavier responsibility and duty.

Appropriately, the presentation was made by John G. Hart, a professional schoolman, former principal of Donegal high, and now assistant supervising principal in charge of curriculum. Who better than a school administrator understands the high role played in the American system by a conscientious member of the school board?

The Bulletin, too, speaks for the community when it adds its voice of appreciation and thanks to Dr. Schlosser for his long, faithful and valuable service to the schools of our community.

We've been waiting 10 years for this announcement.

The Mount Joy Chamber of Commerce has ordered, according to its president, Harold Keller, big "Mount Joy" signs to erect at the edge of the borough, welcoming visitors and travelers.

## Tribe Wins First Half

Donegal's football Indians were on the war path during the first half of Saturday afternoon's game against Hempfield.

In the second half they tripped up somewhere and then in the final seconds of the ball game fell flat on their faces and bowed to a big 33-20 score.

Played on the home field, the game looked very "Green"—a bright Irish green the color of Donegal—during the intermission with the scoreboard showing a hefty 20-7 lead as the result of a touchdown in the first and a pair in the second period.

But, in the third, the sky fell in and the Knights of Hempfield rolled across three markers to a 26-20 lead as the players exchanged goals at the end of the quarter.

Final humiliation came with about a second remaining when still another counter was driven across from the four.

Donegal took to the air Saturday with good results, stacking up 183 yards on a nice .529 percentage of completions. It was the best day of the three-game season from the airways.

The three big TD's in the first period came as Quarterback John Hay forwarded to Mike Kyler. Bill Sprecher booted both the Donegal extra points by placement. Hempfield, on the other hand, used the infantry-system attack, slogging along on the ground for 378 yards by rushing and driving hard at the Donegal line.

This week the Tribe has an Oct. 1 date at Solanco, taking to battle a record of two losses and a tie.

## Two are Injured In Cycle Crash

James R. Hess, 19, of 57 E. Main St., Mount Joy, and a passenger, Bonnie Shoemaker, 16, Mount Joy R2, were injured when their motorcycle collided with a car on Route 141 in front of Donegal high school near Mount Joy Thursday evening, Sept. 22.

Both were taken to the General hospital where Miss Shoemaker was admitted to the intensive care unit with possible head injuries and lacerations. Her condition was listed as serious. Hess sustained multiple cuts and bruises and was held for observation.

Trooper Theodore Downs said Hess was operating the cycle east and collided with a car driven by William Parke Jr., of 801 E. Market St., Elizabethtown.

## Sisters Burned In House Fire

Two sisters, Misses Margaret and Mary Landis, 232 N. Market avenue, were burned Saturday morning, Sept. 24, at their home when sparks from a lamp ignited a fire.

Miss Margaret, 63, had burns of both hands, right leg and hair while her sister, 73, a semi-invalid, had burns of both legs and feet.

Damage to the house was estimated at about \$250.

The fire apparently started when a lamp at the foot of the sofa where Miss Mary was sleeping sparked and set fire to clothing hanging from a clothes rack on the wall. The clothing burned and dropped onto her legs, awakening her.

## INSTRUMENTAL PROGRAM

A total of 107 children are enrolled for instrumental music instruction in grades 4 through 6, in the Donegal School district, according to Morrell Shields, teacher in charge. The program includes the formation of a small band at each elementary building in the district, with a combined band playing for special occasions during the school year.

There are also 252 third-grade pupils beginning instruction this year on the flute.

Boxing's "Golden Trio," so far as earnings are concerned were Joe Louis, Jack Dempsey, and Gene Tunney, in that order, while Max Schmeling made the record for a foreign boxer. Louis made his the hard way in a long succession of fights, whereas Dempsey gathered in over \$2,500,000 for six fights, and Tunney earned over \$1,700,000 in just three fights.

## New Arrivals

Carey E. and Carroll (Hostetter) Daveler, 140 Broad street, Salunga, a son, at the General hospital, Lancaster.

Hensel K. and Ruth (Merkley) Witmer, Mount Joy R2, a daughter, Thursday, Sept. 22, at the Lancaster St. Joseph's hospital.

Frank and Joan (Schneider) Good, 35 Detwiler Street, a son, Sept. 25 at St. Joseph's hospital.

## Files Suit Against Gas Line

A Mount Joy area land owner is one of three in Lancaster county to file suit against the Manufacturer's Light and Heat company, seeking to prevent construction of a 20-inch natural gas line across their lands.

The action was filed in County Court Monday by Noah S. Myers and his wife, Barbara, of Harrisburg, who own a tract of land east of the Borough in Rapho Twp. The land is north of the Roy Breneman farm on highway leading from Elm Tree school to the Manheim-Mount Joy road.

Myers' farm, purchased not many months ago, is the proposed site of a sizeable development which the owner said would include a cemetery, convalescent home, an auditorium and other facilities.

The gas line presently is designed by the Pittsburgh owners to cross the Myers land in such a way that the development would be greatly affected, Myers says.

Myers is represented by John W. Beyer of the law firm of Arnold, Bricker, Beyer and Barnes.

The suit charges that right of way for the line is being taken illegally.

## SECOND RUNNERUP

## Miss Lancaster Co. Contest

Miss Mount Joy was only two steps away from becoming Miss Lancaster County Saturday at Ephrata.

Miss Barbara Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts, west Main street, who was chosen early this past summer to be Miss Mount Joy was named second runner-up in the county competition, held in connection with the Ephrata fair.

"Barbie" was a strong contestant and received a lovely trophy, an electric shaver and a \$50 wardrobe.

Her appearance in the Miss Lancaster County contest was sponsored by the Mount Joy Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The ten entrants in the contest were judged in swim suits, in evening gowns and for talent and personality.

For her talent presentation, Miss Mount Joy sang a folk song "Blowing In the Wind".

## State Improves Mile of Street

A mile of improvement on Road 230 in Mount Joy was virtually completed this week by the state highway department. Beginning at the west borough line, near the Keystone diner on west Main St., a resurfacing job was completed to the old borough line, just west of the Mount Joy Box company's plant.

A small amount of additional work will be done on the berms.

Tuesday the state crew moved activities to Fairview street, beginning at Main.

## Help in Hauling Water to York

Mount Joy had a part in the handling of the water shortage emergency in York. Until only a few days ago, three of SICO's big tractor trailer trucks were involved in a 24-hr. per day battle to keep water in the mains of the York community, hauling from Wrightsville and from Columbia.

The big tankers, carrying 5,000 gallons per load, were hauling ten loads per day each and two and three drivers were necessary to keep the rigs rolling almost constantly. Each truck moved 50,000 gallons per 24-hour day.

With the coming of rains a few days ago, the situation has eased and SICO trucks have been taken off the water hauling run.

Modern music covers a multitude of dins.

## 'Of This and That'

by the editor's wife

Are you looking for something interesting to do this week end?

If so, we enthusiastically recommend spending a few hours at the October Craft Days at Landis Valley Museum. Right on our doorstep is a wonderful attraction that would be worth traveling hundreds of miles to see.

In the fifteen or twenty minutes it takes you to cover the distance between Mount Joy and Landis Valley, you can be "transported," as in a TV "time tunnel," back into the past. You can enjoy in person the things you have read about or heard about

from your parents or grandparents—drying apples, making wine, cider, apple butter, sauerkraut, corn meal, and candles.

You can watch butchering and the dressing of meats, flailing and winnowing wheat, threshing, log-cutting and cornhusking, straw cutting and the stuffing of mattresses.

You can see six beautiful Belgian horses pulling a Conestoga wagon . . . you can eat apple dumplings hot from an outdoor oven . . . and watch square dancers cavorting as they would have at an old-time husking bee!

It is truly a wonderful opportunity to step back into the past briefly, and to understand something of what was going on in our beloved Lancaster County 50, or 100, or even more years ago!

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## An Editorion

Mount Joy has had a good summer!

We're speaking of the local supply of water which is pumped into the borough system, providing for homes, factories, offices, schools, churches — everyone in the community who has reason to turn a faucet.

Although there was never a real reason for putting restrictions on use of water in Mount Joy, there were times when the supply in Little Chiques creek was low and those responsible for management of the water works watched gauges and water levels with anxious eyes.

There was a time or two when the situation was on a week-to-week basis. Vacations at fortunate times by some big users happened to coincide with the low creek levels, so emergencies were averted.

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