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SEVEN CENTS

Mount Joy has just gone through the difficulties of having many telephone number changed. And—the entire community has become very conscious that now anyone can call direct to Lancaster, Manheim and a number of other nearby places.

It is interesting then to note that by 1968—or at least early in the 1970's—telephone service will have developed to such an extent that we can sit in our own homes in Mount Joy and dial directly to almost any telephone anywhere in the world

And, no operator will be necessary to handle the details. It will be as simple as calling Harrisburg or Reading. Probably it will be necessary to dial 12 digits to complete the call.

One of the advantages will be that there will then be no language barrier to give the operators difficulty.

How much is a call to London? Presently it is \$12 for the first three minutes and \$4 for each additional minute.

Elected President

Richard W. Sloan, 129 S. Market Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Walter Sloan, of 129 South Market Street, has been elected president of the third year class at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science.

Sloan is majoring in pharmacy at PCPS.

The Mount Joy-Florin Coin club will hold a meeting on Thursday, Nov. 17, at the Mount Joy restaurant on west Main street, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

'Of This and That'

by the editor's wife

We had a dream the other night, "when everything was still"

We dreamed that the lovely old pieces of furniture, china, glass and iron, which we have collected during the past two years, began to talk! Such a chatter and such a clatter!

"Imagine having nothing to do but be bookends!" a pair of well-scrubbed sad irons said.

"It's much more comfortable here in the living room than it was in the cold 'parlor' where I used to be kept," mused a rose-carved rosewood Victorian side chair, which came from a Baltimore sea captain's mansion.

"I feel wanted and needed once again," said the tall, burl-walnut secretary, as it opened and closed a tiny drawer with a small white china knob. "These folks have me filled with all sorts of interesting things—paperweights, china and glass. And one of my drawers is stuffed with family pictures!"

"It's a relief to be clean once more!" the corner cupboard sighed. "I had begun to think I would never be fit to hold dishes again—but

now look at my pretty, clean glass doors, gleaming wood, and spotless blue shelves! And they're full of old china, too, so that I'm quite a guy!"

But the biggest "fuss" of all came from the chairs—and that's not surprising, since there are more of them than anything else—

"I'm the prettiest," said a dainty little walnut rose-carved, cane-seated one.

"Oh, no, you're not!" contradicted a light maple chair with gracefully turned spindles and also a seat of cane.

"I'm the largest," said our favorite rocker, with high back and comfortable arms.

"I'm the smallest!" said a little cane-seated bedroom chair.

"I'm the oldest!" said a rush-seated, rush-backed rocker with plain, sturdy posts and legs.

"I'm the most valuable," piped up a beautifully re-finished plank bottom, arrow-back chair.

And so it went!

And then we woke up! But we continued to think about these old pieces, to which we have become so attached.

Who made them? In whose home or homes did they spend the first hundred years or so of their lives? What kind of people used them?

An old poplar wood box

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Thanks Service

Mount Joy's community Thanksgiving program will be held this year at Glossbrenner E. U. B. church, at Church and Angle streets.

Services have been arranged for Wednesday night, Nov. 23, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

The Rev. W. Lester Koder, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church, will give the sermon.

Tennis Courts Progress Slowly

Although slowly, work on six new tennis courts at Donegal high school is progressing and this week the second of several bituminous coatings was being spread.

Bids for the work were opened in June and work dragged during the summer. This fall the first coating of blacktopping was laid.

After the layer now being applied is finished, it is probable that any similar work will not be continued until in the spring.

Accepts Call To New Pulpit

The Rev. Donald H. Feick, for four and one-half years rector of the Saint Luke's Episcopal church of Mount Joy, has accepted a call to Smyrna, Delaware.

He has notified the Vestry of the local church that he will be assuming his new duties about Dec. 15.

The Smyrna church was founded in 1740 and is among the early congregations in this country.

Open 'Teen Center Here

Harold K. Keller has heard the plea for a Mount Joy recreation center and this week he is making a response to that oft-repeated plea of the teenagers.

In the newly-renovated basement of his auction house on west Main street he is opening "Keller's Celler," a spot for boys and girls between the ages of 15 and 20.

Opening attraction on Saturday night, Nov. 19, will be the live music of the Preludes, a rock and roll combo from Harrisburg. Gil David, an all-night radio personality, will be master of ceremonies. There will be activity between 8 and 11 p.m.

Keller explained that a membership card arrangement is to be followed.

The next week's attraction of the "every Saturday" series will be the Romans of York.

Sing In Oratorio At Bob Jones U.

Miss Mary Anne and James William Ressler, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William K. Ressler of 738 Water Street, will sing with the Bob Jones university Oratorio Society and Orchestra in Brahms' "A German Requiem" at the university in Greenville, S. C., on Nov. 26 and 27. A soprano, Miss Ressler is a senior majoring in elementary education; and Mr. Ressler, who sings bass, is a freshman accounting major.

The two presentations are part of the gala Thanksgiving weekend events scheduled at BJU.

Tribe to End '66 Grid Season

Saturday afternoon, Donegal high school's Indians will take the field for the final outing this season, invading Manheim Twp's stronghold.

The wind up of the 1966 campaign comes after a week's rest, the Tribe having taken a Saturday off on Nov. 5th.

As they meet MT, the Indians of Al Brooks carry a season record of two wins against six losses. The triumphs were over Cocalico and Columbia while the defeats came from Conestoga Valley, Elizabethtown, Hempfield, Solanco, Warwick and Manheim Central.

One tie game (12-12) was with Ephrata.

Saturday's game will conclude the fall sports schedules of Donegal high school.

Winter sports will get under way next month with basketball set to swing into action on the 6th.

C OF C. DIRECTORS

Directors of the Mount Joy Chamber of Commerce will meet in the newly-renovated basement of the Keller Auction House for their regular monthly meeting this Monday, Nov. 21, beginning at 7 p.m.

All directors are urged to attend.

Early Paper

Because of Thanksgiving the Mount Joy Bulletin will be published one day earlier than usual next week.

The paper will be printed on Tuesday instead of Wednesday and will be delivered in the mail on Wednesday instead of Thursday.

Thus, all material for next week's Bulletin should be in the newspaper's office one day earlier than usual.

Weis Markets Given Permit For Building

A permit to build a new supermarket on West Main street has been issued to the Weis Markets, it was announced this week.

The structure is to be placed on the lots purchased recently from Jacob Stauffer, Asher Beamenderfer and Ben Stekervetz.

Also, this week Weis Markets have announced that its sales and earnings during the third quarter of 1966 have reached a new high.

The 1966 third quarter sales net sales totaled \$30,864,256, compared with \$27,617,788 for the same period in 1965, a gain of 11.75 percent. At the same time net earnings per share increased from 37c to 45c.

Sigfried Weis, president, said that the markets operate 55 stores in central Pennsylvania.

Bachman's Name New Director

A new director was named and dividends declared by Bachman Chocolate Mfg. company as stockholders and officials of the company met Monday, Nov. 14.

At the annual meeting, held in the company office, Glenn Y. Forney, a vice-president of the Lancaster County Farmers National bank, was named a director.

Other directors are J. A. Bachman, Chairman of the board; Richard M. Stark, president; Carl J. Houseal, vice-president; C. Bernard Grissinger, secretary-treasurer, and Harry S. Stark, former president and Wilson C. Rich, former sales manager, both retired.

Following the stockholders meeting, directors held their first meeting and declared the 108th consecutive dividend, voting payment on January 1 of \$1.25 on preferred stock.

Two Groups Back Concert

Two of the community's service organizations have joined together to sponsor another of a series of programs which in the past have delighted Mount Joy.

On Saturday, Nov. 26th, the Business and Professional Women's club and the Mount Joy Rotary club will present Dr. David Schlosser and Mrs. Ethel Broske in a two piano concert at Donegal high school auditorium.

Tickets are available from members of the two groups. Because the Mount Joy Boy Scouts are one of the chief benefactors from the proceeds of the concert through Rotary, on Monday night, Nov. 21, the Scouts themselves will make door-to-door calls, offering tickets.

Mrs. Broske and Dr. Schlosser have presented a number of similar programs, always received with great enthusiasm by the community. Because of the tremendous amount of effort involved by the two, the concerts are given about every two years.

Music was selected many, many weeks ago and both artists have been in rehearsal since that time.

Per Pupil Costs At About \$650

Donegal school district spends about \$650 per pupil to educate boys and girls!

This is the figure released this week by Supervising Principal R. F. Hallgren.

That amount is reached by dividing \$1,894,000, which is the school budget for this year, by 2900, approximately the total number of youngsters in school this year.

Hallgren, pointed out that this figure includes the costs of debt service, which represent payments for capital investment in buildings and other physical assets.

The \$650 is a matter of interest to local people in view of a recent newspaper feature article which laid some emphasis upon the quality of schools, measured by the cost per pupil.

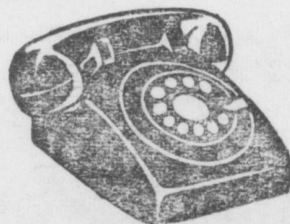
Donegal Band Uniforms Arrive

Donegal high school's long-awaited new, band uniforms have arrived!

However, when they will make their first appearance in public has not been determined.

The green and white outfits, complete with all the extras, may not appear for some time yet. The very first opportunity would be at the Manheim Township football game Saturday, but as one schoolman put it, "Who wears his brand new suit on a day that could very easily be bad and rainy?"

Besides, at mid-week it seemed that it would be a tough job to try to check, issue, fit and alter all the many pieces of the uniform before the game.



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