

## WASHINGTON REPORT

Congressman Edwin D. Eshleman

16th District—Pennsylvania



Our nation at this time faces a serious problem in the area of foreign trade. In recent years, importation policies of the United States have created a condition of imbalance directly affecting our economy and placing undue burdens on our citizens. Immediate prospects are that the picture will get worse rather than better unless substantial changes are made.

The problem has arisen from a desire on the part of some government officials to aid other nations of the world by offering them favorable trade conditions in the United States. Tariffs have been lowered, and foreign goods have flooded our markets in a wide variety of categories. Our own industries are beginning to feel the undesirable effects of this policy. Our farmers have been particularly hard hit.

The House General Subcommittee on Labor, on which I serve, is conducting hearings on the impact of foreign imports into this country. We are receiving testimony from a wide range of experts representing industrial and agricultural interests.

Having personally observed, in our own 16th District, some of the objectionable results of our government's present policy, I am hopeful the committee hearings will provide a basis for some general foreign trade reforms.

Problems created by the present policy in the watch industry in our own area were discussed in detail in this column several weeks ago. The watch industry, however, is only one example. Other enterprises such as the leather goods manufacturers, fisheries, iron and steel companies and food processors also have experienced difficulties in competing with cheaper imported goods.

Some firms have tried to meet the challenge by acquiring foreign subsidiaries. But such action can, in effect, export job opportunities to

other countries and import unemployment to the United States.

One of our immediate concerns in this unfortunate situation is the plight of our farmers. The farmer has become a pawn in the foreign relations game. In recent months, imports of agricultural products have reached crisis proportions. The bottom is out of the milk market. Cattle prices are down 10 percent per hundredweight from the top prices paid to farmers in 1966; hogs, down 31 percent per hundredweight; chickens, down 11.5 percent per pound. Tobacco growers suffer because foreign tobacco is offered at prices lower than their production costs.

In the face of the agricultural import problem, about which the Department of Agriculture has done nothing significant, we now hear proposals for a Common Market including Latin American growers who are now furnishing much of the import competition. Before we embrace such a concept, we must carefully consider what possible effects it could have in further aggravating the present crisis.

Prompt action would seem to be in order. Certain tariff rates should be raised to provide immediate relief for some of the more hard-pressed segments of our economy. I have introduced a bill to raise cigar tobacco import rates, and legislation designed to protect our farmers against the flood of dairy imports has my support.

In the industrial sector, the hearings before our Subcommittee should provide useful information for formulating feasible positions in areas beyond the watch tariff, on which my stand already has been defined.

Any position taken will hopefully serve to promote the interests of the American businessman and farmer over his foreign competitor. Such steps will not be the final answer but are basic to resolving the serious problems we face today.

Adolph Martin Bormann, son of the No. 2 Nazi Martin Bormann, is a Missionary of the Holy Heart of Jesus in the Belgian Congo, the Catholic Digest finds.

Well-mannered people do not think sincerely, their minds are full of evasions and subterfuges.

When in need of printing remember The Bulletin.

## Walters Observe Golden Wedding

Mayor and Mrs. Frank B. Walter, 233 East Main street, were honored with a buffet luncheon given by their children, Mrs. Charles Ryman, Grand Rapids, Mich. and Frank F. Walter, 220 S. Market St., Mount Joy, in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter were married May 12, 1917, by the late Rev. Frank G. Bossert in the First Presbyterian church, Mount Joy.

Mr. Walter is mayor of Mount Joy.

## Rotarians Hear Camp Director

Miss Jeanne Feeley, director of recreation & camping for the Pennsylvania Society for Crippled Children, was the speaker Tuesday noon at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Mount Joy Rotary club, held at Hostetters.

The speaker also is a director of Camp Harmony Hall, near Middletown, which is sponsored in part by Rotarians. The camp is for crippled children of the area.

She talked of her work with the youngsters and efforts to give them help.

Clair Gible, program chairman, introduced Miss Feeley.

## Band Concert

Joseph Wischner will be guest conductor at Manheim Central's Third Night of Music which will be presented Saturday at 8 p.m. in the senior high school auditorium.

Wischer, formerly of New York City, studied music at Manhattan School of Music and has many years of teaching and performing experience. He currently is with the Lancaster Symphony Orchestra as well as string instructor for the Lancaster County Junior Symphony Orchestra.

Soloists for the concert include Kay Shelly, Charles Brubaker, Rita Haver, Dean Graybill and Lamar Dourte.

The orchestra, directed by Luke E. Hains, features highlights from My Fair Lady; Russian Choral and overture; Freddy and His Fiddle; Toy Train, and Handel's Song of Jupiter.

The senior high chorus, directed by Arthur K. Dowhower, will perform numbers such as Light Divine; Christ the Savior; O'Magnify; Hi Lili, Hi Lo, and Barefoot.

Accompanists for the chorus are Jane Stout, Beth Heisey, Jessica Briggs and Susan Reese.

## Lipstick Test

Medical Mystery: A Physician examining a seriously ill patient finds no clinical sign that she is improving. Her condition seems what it was when he saw her on the previous day. She says she feels as she did, quite ill. Nonetheless, the doctor leaves feeling the patient is on the road to recovery. What clue led him to this conclusion?

Simple, Watson. The lipstick clue.

According to an article in Pennsylvania Medicine by Scranton physician Dr. Mario N. Fabi sometimes when a sick woman applies lipstick, she is on the mend as surely as spring follows winter when the first crocus pokes its head through the winter soil. "When a woman is ill," the doctor wrote, "she usually stops applying makeup. As recovery ensues, there comes a time when she again dons lipstick. This is the lipstick sign." He further observed that sometimes the lipstick sign may precede any other indication of recovery.

## STORE WINTER CLOTHES FOR USE NEXT YEAR

Clothing that is repaired, cleaned, and stored properly during the summer, will be in good shape next fall. Mend and repair clothing yourself if you are familiar with the correct methods and techniques to use.

For children's clothing, it may be wise to take out hems of wool skirts, coats & dresses. You may also want to take out hems of sleeves or stitching on cuffs. Brush the garments well to remove lint and loose threads before sending to the drycleaner. Clean clothing doesn't attract moths like soiled clothing does.

Ask your drycleaner to mothproof your wool garments. Store woollens in clean, tissue-lined boxes. A layer of tissue and a generous sprinkling of paradichlorobenzene (a moth preventive) crystals between layers of clean clothing and at the top of the box will give added protection. Seal boxes and store in a cool, dry place. You may wish to have the drycleaner store your wool garments over the summer.

In the fall, mark hems of garments and hem. With a complete pressing, garments will be ready to wear.

The electric utility industry is undertaking a \$17 million, five-year research program on underground transmission of power. The program includes as objectives the production and testing of underground cable systems in the voltage range of 138,000 to 750,000 volts.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### BIDS FOR CONTRACT FOR COLLECTION & DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE AND REFUSE IN MOUNT JOY BOROUGH.

The Borough of Mount Joy, Lancaster County, Pa., will receive bids for a three-year contract for the collection and disposal of garbage, rubbish and refuse in said Borough, at the office of the Borough Secretary, (Frank F. Walter, Jr.) at 220 S. Market Street, Mount Joy, Pa. 17552, until 7 o'clock P.M. (DST) on June 5, 1967, and between 7 o'clock and 8 o'clock P.M. of the same day they may be delivered to the Borough Secretary at the Borough Hall. The bids will be opened publicly at a meeting of the Borough Council, at the Borough Hall, Mount Joy, Pa. on June 5, 1967 at 8:30 o'clock P.M.

All bids must be on forms provided by the Borough, attached to plans, specifications and general conditions, and other contract documents, all of which may be obtained from the Borough Secretary at the above address. A deposit of \$5.00 will be required for each set, which will be refunded upon return of each unused set thereof in good condition within ten days after the date for receiving bids.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the Borough, or a bid bond, in the amount of \$3,000.00, to secure execution and delivery of contract and required performance bond by the bidder whose bid is accepted. Checks or bid bonds of unsuccessful bidders will be returned after the contract is awarded. The check or bid bond of the successful bidder will be returned after he executes and delivers contract and performance bond, in accordance with the general conditions and bidding requirements.

The successful bidder will be required to execute and furnish to the Borough a surety company performance bond in an amount equal to fifty per cent. (50%) of the contract price, and to provide liability insurance.

The Borough reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive technical defects in the bidding.

THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT JOY, PENNA.  
Frank F. Walter, Jr.  
Borough Secretary 9-1c

Notice is given under The Local Tax Enabling Act of the intent of the Board of School Directors of Donegal School District to levy a real estate transfer tax in the amount of 1% effective July 1, 1967.

This tax is needed to pay increased expenses of operating the School District and avoid the necessity of additional impositions of general taxes upon real estate. The estimated amount of revenue expected from this proposed tax during the fiscal year, beginning July 1, 1967 and ending June 30, 1968 is \$25,000.00.

The resolution to adopt the tax will be acted upon at a special meeting of the Board to be held in the Donegal High School on Monday, May 22, 1967 at 7:00 P. M., EDST.

DONEGAL SCHOOL BOARD  
By: Dorothy J. Engle,  
Secretary 6-4c


## NOTICE

A special meeting of the Donegal School Board will be held on Monday, May 22, 1967, at 7:00 p.m. (EDST) in the library of Donegal High School, R.D. 1, Mount Joy, Penna. The meeting has been called for budget purposes.

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## CAPISTRANO SCHEDULE

Precisely on October 23rd each year, the swallows of Capistrano fly off to their resort, and each spring they return to their southern California home on March 19.

  
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