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WASHINGTON REPORT

Congressman Edwin D. Eshleman

16th District—Pennsylvania



At this time of year, many of our problems and troubles, even governmental ones, do not seem nearly as bothersome as they did just a few weeks ago. There is an old wish, but nevertheless a very pertinent one, that the holiday season and its good wishes should extend throughout the entire year. In that spirit, I would like to extend my best wishes to each of you for a Happy New Year.

Every year there are a limited number of opportunities for summer jobs with Federal agencies. With most of our students in the district home for the holidays, I thought that the possibilities of obtaining such a position may be of interest to them.

The number of Jobs available is relatively small and the chances of appointment depend upon the number and kind of summer jobs in the area where you apply, the number of applicants in that area, and the individual's qualifications. The work varies from office employment to Park Rangers. Last year over three-fourths of the people were hired in typist and stenographer jobs, engineering and science aid jobs and seasonal assistant jobs with the Post Office Department. Other opportunities were as office machine operators, library assistants, clerks, and medical and editorial assistants. It is expected that the hiring for the summer of '68 will be much the same.

The jobs are filled on a merit basis. Most require eligibility in a Civil Service examination. A few of the employment possibilities do not require qualification in the written test but are filled through merit selection plans administered by agencies accepting applications for summer employment.

Any young person who is interested in one federal position should begin immediately to get his or her application ready. The first step is to obtain a copy of the pamphlet "Summer Jobs in Federal Agencies." This booklet is available at high school counseling offices, college placement offices, U.S. Service Commission offices, and many post offices. I have a few copies available in my district office too.

The next step would be to file an application to take the eligibility examination. That test will be given on January 13, February 10 and March 9. The test will be administered at a variety of places in and around the 16th District as well as across the country. These locations are listed in the above mentioned brochure.

I would encourage students to check into this type of work and, if interested, to apply early. The Federal agencies will begin the process of making their selections af-

ter the results of the January test have been processed. I am assured that an equal chance will be given to all applicants to compete for one of these short-term non-career jobs.

A few weeks ago I offered to give Viet Nam maps to the immediate families of men serving in Viet Nam. Since I still have a few of these maps left, I would like to extend that offer to any close relatives of our 16th District soldiers in Viet Nam. The remaining maps will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis to persons requesting them.

Donegal Band Parents Meet

The Donegal Band Parents met on Monday evening, Jan. 8, at the high school.

President Lester Hostetter was in charge of the meeting. He asked the membership chairman for a report on the progress of dues being collected from parents of junior & senior high school members. Band director Glenn Leib reported that all Donegal band sweatshirts have been sold, as have all the candy bars. He stated that he still has band decals which may be purchased from him at any time. Leib reported dates of Jan. 27 for county chorus at 8 p.m. at Garden Spot high school, Feb. 17 as the date for County Orchestra and on March 16 for County Band, at Manheim Township high school with Paul Fisher, the guest conductor.

District Band dates are on Feb. 22, 23, and 24 at West York high school, the conductor will be Dr. Dunlap of Penn State university.

Leib has mentioned to all band members that he feels all should try to attend the Friday evening concert of district band, which would cost 50c for a ticket for bus fare. The starting time of this program will be 8 p.m.

Mention was made of the part William Earhart played at Donegal's home football games as the band announcer and the band organization's appreciation was expressed to him for his services.

Leib mentioned that James Steffy of Susquehanna University is being thought of as a possible guest conductor for the band's spring concert. He also mentioned the dates of Jan. 19 and 20 for District Orchestra. He stated that on Friday evening, March 1, a free concert by the United States Army Field Band will be given at Donegal H. S.

All Series E United States Savings Bonds now being sold carry an automatic 10-year extension option beyond their original 7-year maturity date.

● Of This 'n That

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able to see Patty, when Bob Hope's show is given on TV in the near future.

If you are one of those who never used to miss a Ginger Rogers movie in the old days, whether she danced with Fred Astaire or starred alone, you will be pleased to hear that today Ginger still has plenty of "ginger" — 25 or 30 years later!

We saw her play the leading role in "Hello, Dolly," Saturday afternoon at Hershey, and she was tremendous!

She danced, she sang, she acted—all with the well-remembered Ginger Rogers vivacity and charm, and the audience loved her!

When the show ended and she took a curtain call, they gave her a standing ovation! She responded with warmth, sincerity and graciousness.

The show was extremely well done. The costumes were rich and colorful, the staging outstanding, and the dancing unusually interesting and well executed.

It was a bright interlude in a cold, snowy January day!

Rotarians Hear Brent Shunk

Brent Shunk, assistant operating manager of the Lancaster division of P.P.&L., was the speaker Tuesday noon at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Mount Joy Rotary club, held at Hostetters.

He told about the growing program which his organization is conducting along the Susquehanna river to create recreational facilities.

P.P. & L. has under its control some 5,000 acres of land, including tracts along both banks of the river and islands in the area generally below Columbia.

Open to the public on limited restrictions, there are facilities for boat launching, camping, trailer parking and many other out-door sports.

Development of the areas, he said are part of the overall programs which the company promotes in addition to its actual generation and distribution of power. Others, he mentioned briefly, are educational assistance and industrial development.

As the area in which the company operates either grows or deteriorates, so follows the rise or fall of the electrical businesses, he observed.

During the meeting Tuesday, two new members were inducted into Rotary. Charles O. Groff introduced Elmer Z. Ginder and Jay Risser introduced Elmer K. Cope.

TO SPEAK AT ELIZABETHTOWN

The Rev. Peter Dyck, Director of European and North African program for the Mennonite Central Committee, will speak in the Elizabethtown Church of the Brethren, this coming Sunday January 14, at 7:30 p.m. He will present a film, in color, of the ministries Mennonites and Brethren share in North Africa.

The program is one of several planned to describe the world wide mission of the church in the present day.

● Operation Pretzel

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project was so well supported by the Reading citizens and so well appreciated by the men in Viet Nam, that in a short time, the project was too large for one organization to handle. All kinds of organizations have now accepted the responsibility and Operation Pretzel has branched out to many other cities and towns. Operation Pretzel has now come to Mount Joy.

WINTER WOES by Pinson



*She could see outward only in peeks,
Dead wiper blades causing the streaks
That she had to look through—
And which hampered her view—
Now her car won't be fixed up for weeks!*

PREVENT THOSE WINTER DRIVING WOES

The Safe Winter Driving League presents the following tip for safer winter driving from the National Safety Council: "Don't be a 'peep-hole pilot.' Brush snow completely off front, back and side windows. Replace dead wiper blades with live, new ones to prevent streaking. All your lights should be working, with headlights aimed properly. You must see danger to avoid it."

MAYTOWN NEWS NOTES

Miss Grace Henderson

Hiram Engle celebrated his 89th birthday anniversary last Saturday, Jan. 6.

Mrs. Nellie Blake will celebrate her birthday anniversary January 11.

Mrs. Mabel Haverstick spent the holidays at McAlisterville with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith and daughter.

Marine William J. Nye returned to Parris Island last week.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Larry Henderson and children Joy and Judy left last Wednesday for Pease A.F.B., New Hampshire.

The American Legion Aux. will serve food at Fink's sale on Saturday.

The Ray Fryberger family has been on the sick list for the past two weeks.

Tony Houseal returned from the hospital last Wednesday. He was hospitalized because of having pneumonia.

Mrs. Lillian Black is a patient in the Lancaster General hospital.

Mrs. Charles Welchans, a former resident of this area, passed away Saturday, Dec. 30, and was buried in the Reformed Cemetery last Tuesday.

Mrs. Esther Weaver returned home after spending several weeks with her daughter at Millersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Yordy celebrated their 31st wedding anniversary last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Arnold, Mount Joy, celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary last Sunday.

The Illuminator Class of the Church of God will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McCall.

The Universal Week of Prayer service will be held on Sunday evening at 7:30 in the Maytown Brethren in Christ Church.

Mrs. Goldie Yordy, the president of the American Legion Auxiliary is a volunteer worker at the Coates-Veterans' hospital. She usually spends Thursday of each week at the hospital but before Christmas she did the following: helped with the tree lighting services in the main auditorium of the hospital; helped with a Christmas party for 60 patients; helped with "open house" of District 10 for patients and relatives; spent 2½ days helping to wrap gifts for the patients and she took seven

station wagon loads of used toys from bicycles to the smallest toy imaginable to the hospital for patients to repair and paint.

These toys were then taken to Christ Home in Paradise and St. Anne's Home for retarded children. The used toys were collected by the Future Business Leaders of Donegal high school, employees of Lucas Mfg. Company, members of Auxiliary 809 and friends.

The Auxiliary also donated money to various Veterans' Hospitals for their Christmas projects, one of which is to give each patient a Canteen Book valued at \$1. The auxiliary also sent money to 13 boys in the service, gave \$10 to a disabled veteran and distributed gifts to 20 shut-ins.

With Air Defense

Staff Sergeant Kenneth E. Herman, whose mother is Mrs. Elizabeth A. Shickley of Mount Joy R2, is a member of the Air Defense Command (ADC) wing that recently completed the first long-range flight to include missile firings at radio-controlled drone targets and aerial refueling on the same mission.

The sergeant is a finance specialist with the wing's 325th Combat Support Group.

In Project Cross Country, the 325th Fighter Wing at McChord AFB, Wash., demonstrated its ability to deploy rapidly over long distances to meet any enemy threat. Ten F-106 Delta Dart aircraft from the wing's 318th Fighter Interceptor Squadron flew non-stop in six hours from McChord to Eglin AFB near Panama City, Fla., in a simulated combat mission.

Enroute to their "targets" the F-106s were refueled in-flight by Strategic Air Command KC-135 tankers from Dyess AFB, Texas.

The mission was designed to simulate a combat situation in which ADC fighters would be required to deploy overseas and engage in immediate combat.

Sergeant Herman attended Lancaster Catholic H. S. and completed requirements for his diploma after entering the Air Force.

His wife, Darlene, is the daughter of Mrs. Marilyn Rushford of 8764 Weaver Rd., Brewerton, N. Y.