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Because it was quoted, in part, last Thursday evening at a public meeting of the Donegal School Board, we looked up the passage and found that the late Grantland Rice, famous sports writer, penned these words:

“When the One Great Scorer comes to write against your name—

He marks — not how you won or lost — but how you played the game.”

Depending, of course, on your own philosophy, the idea expressed 1. — grants heavenly reward for trying, without success or 2. — offers solace for mediocrity and failure to achieve.

We have believed for many years that one of the great unsung virtues of athletics is the stimulation of a fire of competitiveness, a desire for winning and a thirst for success.

This week's "Family Weekly," nationally circulated supplement inserted with Sunday newspapers, carried a story about "Why Do Successful People Always Seem to Make The Right Decisions?"

Pictured with the article were four highly successful people in various fields of industry.

One was Harry Noedinger, vice-president in charge of sales and promotion of the F. W. Woolworth company. He is the only brother of Mrs. James Heilig. A resident of New York working in the Woolworth building in Manhattan, he began his career as a stock boy in the Lancaster Woolworth store on North Queen street.

## 'Of This and That'

by the editor's wife

The poet said, "What is so rare as a day in June?"

This week, in Mount Joy, a perceptive young lady, thinking about the many inches of rain we have had this month, paraphrased the quotation thus: "What is so rare as a NICE day in June?"

The editor, who rarely grumbles about the weather, except for heavy snows, has also been a little out of patience with June so far this year. But he hastens to point out that Lancaster County couldn't be the "garden spot of America" without a generous amount of rainfall!

And of course that is true. The lushness of the vegetation, the bountiful nature of the fall harvests in Lancaster County are heavily dependent upon an abundance of moisture.

But must it all come in June—and on the week ends?

Two little nature notes:

One evening last week we were enjoying the coming of dusk in the country, out at John Wenger's barn, near Donegal Springs.

Suddenly there was movement out near the paddock fence, and three fat, sleek, shiny raccoons came lumbering nonchalantly up to the barn. It appeared to be a family—two full grown coons and a smaller one.

They paid no attention to us, but "waddled" up to the forebay, their noses twitching and their "masked" faces giving them the appearance of a trio of little robbers!

We watched them, fascin-

## Gayne Deshler Signs To Coach D.H.S. Football

Gayne Deshler, 27, of Lancaster will be Donegal high school's football coach for the 1972 season, it appears this week.

And, at least one of his assistants will be Dennis Iezzi, 21, of Birdsboro, Pa.

The two men were selected Thursday night, June 15, without a negative vote, at an executive session of the school board, immediately following its June public meeting.

Monday the two men were at Donegal high school and signed contracts which were expected to be ratified offic-

ially by the board Wednesday noon of this week at a special meeting, originally called to finalize the 1972-'73 budget.

Deshler, who was assistant coach under Jack Cassebaum at McCaskey, follows Henry A. "Al" Brooks.

Brooks had coached ten years at Donegal. There has been no change in his teaching assignment as driver education instructor.

The new head football coach is a graduate of Kutztown state college, where he played in the backfield. He will teach fourth grade elementary, probably at Maytown.

His assistant, who also signed a contract Monday, is a '72 graduate of Albright college. He will teach social studies in the high school.

Schoolmen were vague this week about salaries. The district's salary calls for Deshler to make about \$8,500 as a classroom teacher. Brooks in addition to his teaching, made approximately \$1,000 as head coach.

Last year, first-year teaching. (Turn to page 16)

## Picked to Attend Girls' State

Heather Mumma, 744 West Main street, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adin H. Mumma, has been named as a delegate to the 1972 American Legion Auxiliary's Girls State, to be held June 25 to July 2 at the Shippensburg State college.

A Donegal high school pupil, she is a member of the National Honor Society and has been active on the newspaper staff, yearbook editor and president of the Booster club.

She is sponsored at Girls State by Unit No. 809, Maytown American Legion Auxiliary.

## Two to Attend Keystone State

Two area boys have been chosen to attend Keystone Boys State.

John Frey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin O. Frey, 120 New Haven street and Scott Zeller son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Zeller, 122 N. Barbara St., will attend Keystone Boys State at Penn State university, June 25 - July 2 as representatives of Post 185 American Legion.

The Pennsylvania American Legion Keystone Boys State was organized in 1936 for the purpose of educating the youth of our Commonwealth in the duties and privileges of American citizenship. It is an "experience in government," whereby the boys receive practical training in state and local governments as they exist in Pennsylvania.

Keystone Boys State is based on the premise that a basic knowledge of the fundamentals of our form of government will bring every citizen to a realization that in a democracy the security of his rights and privileges depends upon his individual acceptance of the responsibilities inherent in them. The boys elect their own officials and debate the issues of our time.

## Time To Buy Bike License

Only a few days remain in which Mount Joy bicycle riders can purchase 1972-'73 licenses before the deadline.

Police Chief J. Bruce Kline said this week that June 30 is the last day for using 1971-'72 license plates.

The new tags, which sell for 50 cents, may be purchased at the police station in the borough building. Special help will be available between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. on Saturdays to assist bike riders. As of last week, Kline estimated that 700 people still should be buying plates before the first of July.

## 1972 Playground Begins

Summer playgrounds in the Donegal school district will open on Monday, June 26, under the direction of Warren Hayman, and will have a complete program for a six-weeks period.

Four playgrounds, as in the past, will be operated. They are at Marietta, Maytown, Grandview school and at the Mount Joy Borough Park.

In addition to the activities at the playgrounds, there will be a waterfront program at the Mount Joy Community pool.

Besides the director, personnel for operating the 1972 program will include:

Mrs. Jean Hosler, Mrs. Robert Eno and Sue O'Connor, swim program; Jeff Witman, Lynn Hoffman, Barb Reuter and Eileen Buchanan, Marietta; Jack Frank and Deb Roberts, Maytown; Edwin Miller, and Sue Stark, Grandview, and James Sarbaugh, and Mrs. Doris Shaud, Mount Joy Borough Park.

Instrumental music lessons will be in charge of Morrell Shields at Beahm, Riverview, Maytown and Grandview buildings.

The playground program will close August 4.

A new ruling this year states that no child will be permitted for free swims unless he or she is registered in the Learn to Swim program. Also, a child must be registered in the playground program to be allowed to take swimming lessons, according to Mr. Hayman.

## Seventy-Five Plus Prizes

Thursday, June 14, was a very special day for senior citizens of this community!

On that day they were honored by the Jaycees and Joyceettes at the 16th annual Seventy-Five Plus dinner party, held at Hostetters.

One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation of prizes, which this year were fruit baskets.

Winners were: David Eby, 91, Donegal Springs road, for attending all 16 dinners;

Dr. and Mrs. Chester W. Todd of the Schock Presbyterian home, and Mr. and Mrs. Christ Brubaker, Manheim R3, for being married the longest time (both 62 yrs.); Mrs. Anna Zercher, for driving the oldest car (1948); Harvey Hoffman, 85, Rheems, for the largest number of grandchildren (15); Mrs. Mary Strickler, Messiah Home, Harrisburg, who traveled the greatest distance to attend.

The Rev. Stephen W. Getty played his accordion and gave the invocation. Following dinner singing was led by the Rev. William A. Groff of Elizabethtown, who also presented one of his Biblical characterizations — "The Rich Young Ruler."

Preparations for the dinner began several months ago and the event was staged by the 2 organizations "to show their appreciation for the town's older residents."

In charge of the arrangements this year were: Larry Gainer, John Harnish, Rev. Stephen Getty, Mrs. Ronald Hawthorne, Mrs. Carl Hallgren and Mrs. Stephen Getty.

Others helping were: Mrs. William G. Grove, publicity chairman; Mrs. Larry Gainer, Mrs. Michael Aument; Mrs. Jay Kretzing, Mrs. Leo Moore; Mrs. Andrew Reymer Mrs. Dennis Fackler; Mrs. Patrick Moran; Mrs. Rudy Ney; Miss Connie Weber; Ronald Hawthorne; Andrew Reymer; Jay Kretzing; Clair Snook; Joe Heckert; Bob Derr; Jim Shank, and Jeff Brown.

## Four New Jeeps For Mail Carriers

Four, brand new, red, white and blue Jeeps have been added to the Mount Joy post office's motorized fleet.

The right-hand drive vehicles were delivered Friday and are to go into service within the next few days. Borough door-to-door letter carriers will use the machines on their routes, loading all their mail, including parcel post packages. Working out of the Jeep, they will not be using relay points and boxes as in the past.

The new, specially-built cars bring the local postal fleet of vehicles to five. An instructor was working this week with all personnel involved, teaching them the "tricks" of driving the special machine.

New officers for the coming year of the Donegal Education association have been named as follows: James Evans, sixth grade teacher at Grandview, president; Theodore Greider, geography teacher at W.I. Beahm junior high school, vice-president; Stephen Smith, fifth grade teacher at Grandview, secretary; and Dale Messner, industrial arts teacher at W.I. Beahm school, treasurer.

unfavorable weather forced the Red Rose Barber Shop Chorus to perform at Beahm junior high school. The summer musical programs have been held at Memorial park for several years but this was the first time the alternate arrangements for indoor performance were ever used. A good crowd attended and the chorus gave a tremendous program. As winners recently of a contest, the chorus will compete at Atlantic City in October.