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By R. A. R.

It's hard to find anyone who firmly believes that the "new" Daylight Saving Time is truly saving anything.

Actually, it is an annoyance, a problem for many people and probably a very definite safety hazard to youngsters who must go to school before daylight.

It's a simple fact that you cannot stretch the daylight when there is just so much of it available. And - during this portion of the year there just is not enough to go around.

Someone expressed the fact by saying that "you cannot make a blanket longer by cutting off the top and sewing it onto the bottom."

During the "long" daylight days of the year, there possibly will be some kind of advantage. But it will be March 24 until the sun rises before 7 a.m.

The days, this week, are only 10 hours and a few minutes - 1 to 10 - and is not sufficient to give elbow room for man-made experimentation with the time  
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## Boy and Girl of Month



### JAY KOPP

Jay Kopp is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Kopp, RD2, Mount Joy. He is a senior in the academic course at Donegal high school.

His high school school activities include:

Yearbook Photographer, 12; Tribe News Photographer, 11-12; Band, 9-10-11; Student Council, 12; I.U.B. Safety Committee, 11-12; Dramatics Club, 9-10-11-12; Junior Class Play, 11; Senior Class Play, 12 and Football Movies Cameraman.

Jay attends Mt. Pleasant Brethren in Christ Church, where he is Youth Group President.

He presently is employed at Grey Iron Casting Co. During the summer he did farm work for John Kopp.

He would like to attend Williamson School of mechanical trades and later find a job as a machinist or some other similar work.



### PATRICIA WOLFE

Patricia Wolfe is the daughter of Mrs. Elwood Rice, 222 West Donegal Street. She is a senior in the business course at Donegal high school.

Her high school activities include:

Track, 10-11; Art Club 9-10, (Vice President); Library Assistant, 10-11-12; Dramatics Club, 11-12; Chorus, 10-11-12; Office Assistant, 9-10-11; Typist for Evaluation Steering Committee, 11-12; Junior Achievement, 10-11 (Vice President Mfg.) -12 (Vice President Sales); Yearbook Staff, 12; Future Business Leaders Club, 12; Senior Executive Committee, 12; National Honor Society, 11-12; Mount Joy Swim Team, 9-10-11-12, and Coach for Eight and Under Swim Team, 12.

She is a member of the Trinity Evangelical Congregational Church of Mount Joy, where she is assistant secretary for the Sunday School, a member of the choir, and secretary-treasurer for the Christian Endeavor.

Patricia plans to enter a business career following graduation from Donegal.

### East Donegal Supervisors Elect

James F. Johnstin was elected chairman of the East Donegal Twp. Board of Supervisors Thursday night during a reorganization meeting.

Other officers elected are: Lloyd Fuhrman, secretary-treasurer; Abram Groff, vice chairman; B.M. Zimmerman, solicitor.

Huth Engineers was named again to serve as the township engineering firm.

There're any number of people who could run the nation's foreign policy better but, fortunately, they're not in the White House.

## NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION

### Mount Joy Young Women Make Places For Themselves On The Big Scenes

Two Mount Joy young women have made a place for themselves on the national and international scene!

Mrs. Abram (Betty) Groff has established the Groff Farm Restaurant, known all over this country, has also written a cook book to be published in early March or April, and will be traveling extensively during the next six months to promote it.

To be called, "Good Earth & Country Cooking", the book is a guide to the basics of Lancaster County Cooking and is a celebration of wholesome, natural food prepared with the culinary skills and arts-learned the old-fashioned way, in the family kitchen. It discusses the traditions found in Lancaster County cooking, the people who settled here, and tells about her family and the restaurant.

The six chapters are titled, "I Cook Because I Like People," "For Every Food There is a Season," "Food Makes Friends," "Memory Foods," "Keeping Foods" and "Wine Makes the Heart Merry."

The Groff Farm Restaurant, located on

Pinkerton Road, is well known to lovers of fine food all over the country.

The other Mount Joy young woman is Miss Barbaro Jo Thome, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Roscoe M. Thome, 61 Marietta Avenue, who has recently emerged as a professional lyric soprano in the operatic circles of Europe. She has been spending the holidays with her parents and will return to Milan, Italy, on Jan. 30.

She left the United States in the summer of 1972 to do concert work and study at the Opera Barga in Italy. Since then she has made numerous concert appearances in Italy and Austria. This coming summer she will be performing in an English production of "The Tempest" at the regal Villa Carlotta on Lake Como in Italy.

Miss Thome, a graduate of Dickinson College, studied German for a year in Mainz, Germany, taught at U.C.L.A. and Idaho State University, and has continued to study to pursue an operatic career. She will be remembered for her participation in a number of Lancaster and Mount Joy musical productions.

### Three Indian Basketballers Break 100 Points Thus Far

Three Donegal Indians, as of the first of this week, had broken 100 points during the present basketball campaign, which is now just past the half-way mark.

The trio, in fact, has been responsible for counting nearly 48 percent of the 700 points which the club has been able to amass in the 12 games played prior to Tuesday night.

But, during that time, not one single game was a team victory.

The three leading point getters include Jack Dettlinger, a 5-9 junior (116); Dave Schlosser (112) and Nat Bridgette (106).

Next best for the season is

Kevin Miller, who has counted 98. The four men have scored nearly 62 percent of the Donegal total, thus far.

Last week the Indians dropped a pair of road games - at Manheim Central, 75-68, and at Annville-Cleona, 70-64.

Central jumped to a 22-16 lead in the first quarter and was never headed. In the final frame the Barons walloped the nets for 20 points while Donegal managed only eight. Dave Schlosser's 13 on six fielders and a free toss was best for the Indians.

Central's J.V.'s took the  
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### Rheams Fire Co. Elects Officers For Year 1974

Robert B. Kready has been re-elected president and Dennis L. Dupler has been re-named chief of Rheams Fire Company for 1974.

Also elected were Harry Floyd, vice president; Frank Hoover, secretary; David Charles, assistant secretary; and Robert A. Kready, treasurer.

Working with Dupler are assistant chiefs William Kready and Robert Hippensteel. Wayne Keck was elected chief engineer. Assistant engineers are Bruce Kreiser, Leo Stauffer, Claude Schwanger, and Elmer Murphy. George Weaver will be chaplain and Ellis Slesser, steward.  
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## 'Of This and That'

by the editor's wife

The Christmas season lasted longer than usual for this year!

It began on the first day of December, with a festive party at Historic Strasburg. It continued with Christmas programs at The Cloisters and Landis Valley, and included many happy family gatherings, impressive church services, dozens of crackling fires in the fireplace, lots of fruit cake and cookies, carols and candlelight.

The season was climaxed on Jan. 12 with the marriage of our youngest daughter. This, too, was a joyous and fitting occasion, uniting as it did two young people who have pledged their lives to the service of the One whose Birthday we had so recently celebrated.

So, Christmas, 1973, has

passed into history. But the joys and the fine new son-in-law which it brought us will be cherished for many years to come.

Snowmobilers have been having a "field day"!

Last winter snowmobilers and sled enthusiasts found the dearth of snow quite discouraging. But this winter is a different story!

Many fields are criss-crossed with patterns of snowmobile tracks, and every little hill has its sled path and the imprint of hundreds of boots going back up the hill!

The recent glaze of ice on top of the snow made it perfect for "saucer" sledding, and fantastic speeds were reported! We also heard of a young couple who sledded down the big hill  
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## MOUNT JOY NAME ACROSS THE LAND

### Gas Engine Hobbyist Magazine Tells Of Local Summer Threshing 'Happening'

Mount Joy - again - has been mentioned coast-to-coast!

In the January-February issue of "The Gas Engine Magazine", published for national circulation to hobbyists, a Mount Joy "happening" of July 14, 1973, was described.

Complete with pictures which appeared originally in The Bulletin, the two-page

spread told of a threshing-day experience at the Jay Stauffer farm, just west of Becker's gas station.

The day of old-time threshing featured an aging John Deere tractor driving an even older wheat separator.

And, it is the gasoline tractor, which caught the fancy of the magazine editor. All types of gasoline fueled

engines, from small one-horse jobs to huge outfits designed from very heavy work are part of the hobby.

Strange and different uses of gasoline motors fascinate the hobby buffs, whose interest, judging from hints taken from the magazine stretch from New Hampshire across practically every state in the Union, right on to Texas and up to Washington and Oregon.