

★ Letter To Editor ★

Dear Rainbolts,

Sure look forward to the Bulletin every week — makes me feel I'm still part of Mount Joy, which I love and miss very much. We have been enjoying our stay here and have made some lovely friends, among which is a Greek family who invited us to celebrate Greek Easter with them.

They celebrate outdoors, when the weather permits, which it did this year, as we had an ideal spring day. They barbecued a whole lamb over an open pit and it was accompanied by succulent Greek foods too numerous to mention. It was really a delightful experience.

We spent two weeks over the Christmas season in Southern California with Charles' youngest brother and family, whom we hadn't seen for 11 years. Made a side trip to Mexico, visited the fabulous San Diego Zoo and Sea World. All in all, it was a wonderful holiday, though so very different from our usual observance of the Holiday Season.

We hope to be home sometime in June ...

Elizabeth Chunko
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Price, Utah

★ ENGAGEMENTS

THOME - FLOWERS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Flowers, 24 S. Poplar St., Elizabethtown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Linda A. Flowers, to Kenneth R. Thome.

The bride-elect was graduated from Elizabethtown high school. She is employed by the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center as a secretary.

Mr. Thome is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Thome of Mount Joy R2.

He was graduated from Donegal high school and served in the U.S. Marine Corps. He is employed by Armstrong Cork Co., Marietta ceiling plant.

Completes Practices

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Miss Betty Martin, Mount Joy, R2, has completed her practice teaching in home economics at Dover.

She is a senior, majoring in home economics, at Messiah College, located eleven miles southwest of Harrisburg.

LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO HEALTH AND SANITATION AND REGULATING THE ACCUMULATION OF REFUSE IN THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT JOY; PRESCRIBING REGULATIONS FOR THE STORAGE, TRANSPORTATION, PREPARATION OF REFUSE, AND THE COLLECTION OF REFUSE BY PRIVATE CON-

TRACTORS OR BY THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT JOY; PROVIDING FOR ASSESSMENT AND BILLING OF FEES AND SERVICE CHARGES; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Mount Joy, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted as follows:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as the Borough of Mount Joy Refuse Ordinance.

SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS. For the purposes of this Ordinance the following words shall have the meaning as herein defined:

(a) Bulk container: A container not intended to be moved or, if moved, transported by vehicle for purposes of disposal.

(b) Commercial establishment: Businesses such as offices, stores, markets, theaters, hospitals and other institutional buildings, and industries.

(c) Garbage: All table refuse, animal and vegetable matter, offal from meat, fish and fowl, fruits, vegetables and parts thereof, and all other articles and materials ordinarily used for food which have become unfit for such use or which are for any reason discarded.

(d) Person: Every natural person, firm, corporation, partnership, association, or institution.

(e) Private Collector: Any person, partnership or corporation engaged in the business of the collection of refuse in the Borough of Mount Joy.

(f) Refuse: A general term which shall mean all matter and materials which are discarded or rejected by the owners or producers thereof as offensive or useless, or which by their presence or accumulation may injuriously affect the health, comfort and safety of the citizens of the Borough of Mount Joy; it shall include ashes, garbage, rubbish and other refuse materials, but exclude human body waste; Provided, that the definition of refuse shall specifically exclude the debris from household renovations, whether interior or exterior, dirt, rock, lead pipes or the limbs or trunks of trees greater than three (3) inches in diameter.

(g) Rubbish: Leaves, branches, trees, saw dust, chips, shavings, wood, woodenware, paper, printed matter, boxes, leather, rags, grass, straw, manure and all solid combustible matters not included in this Section under the term "garbage."

(h) Dwelling unit: Each residence used or intended for use as the residence of any person or persons. Each apartment shall be considered as a separate dwelling unit.

(i) Truck: A vehicle used for the collection of refuse which has mounted thereon an approved type, water

tight sanitary body or which has a standard truck body made water tight and equipped with means of covering to prevent loss of material by wind.

SECTION 3. STORAGE PRACTICES. The storage of all refuse shall be practiced so as to prevent the attraction, harborage or breeding of insects or rodents and to eliminate conditions harmful to public health or which create safety hazards, odors, unsightliness and public nuisances. All storage practices shall conform to the rules and regulations promulgated under the Pennsylvania Solid Waste Management Act, Act of July 31, 1968, P.L. 788, No. 241, or this Ordinance, whichever is more strict.

(a) Individual containers utilized for the storage of refuse at dwelling units and other premises shall have the following physical characteristics:

1. Constructed of durable, water tight, rust resistant material having a close-fitting lid.

2. Containers for dwelling units shall be of a capacity of not more than twenty (20) gallons or forty (40) pounds in weight and shall be equipped with two or more handles and be maintained in a clean and sanitary manner and be safe to handle by collection personnel.

3. Containers shall not be filled so that the lid cannot fit properly and the area around the container shall be kept clean (including bulk containers).

4. Bulk containers shall conform to all requirements for individual containers except size.

(b) Disposable containers such as paper and Polyethylene bags shall be acceptable for storage or refuse provided the following conditions are met:

1. Only those bags specifically designed for storage and collection shall be used.

2. Bags shall be protected against precipitation, animal damage and overloading to prevent littering or attraction of insects or rodents.

3. Bags shall have a holding strength capable of withstanding stresses until they are collected.

4. The bag opening shall be securely closed prior to setting out for collection.

(c) All refuse shall be drained free of liquids before storage.

2. Garbage shall be wrapped in paper or similar material.

3. All cans, bottles or other food containers shall be rinsed free of food particles and drained before storage.

4. Rubbish shall be placed in approved containers or cut and baled, tied in bundles, stacked or packaged so as not to exceed forty-eight (48) inches in length and sixty (60) pounds in weight, where possible.

(d) All containers of garbage, refuse and rubbish to be collected from any

property shall be placed along or immediately adjacent to the street or alley where garbage collection is established, but in such manner as not to obstruct traffic or the use of sidewalks. Containers may be so placed no earlier than 5:00 P.M. of the evening preceding the established day for collection, and shall be promptly removed from the street or alley after the collection has been made.

SECTION 4. ACCUMULATION OF REFUSE. All persons residing or doing business within the limits of the Borough of Mount Joy shall provide for the removal of all accumulated refuse at least once each week in either one of the methods herein provided.

(a) No person shall permit refuse to accumulate on the surface of the ground or cause or permit refuse to be deposited on any street, highway, alley, vacant lot, in any storm sewer, or in any stream or body of water within the limits of the Borough of Mount Joy.

(b) Commercial establishments where large quantities of refuse are produced should provide for the removal of such refuse as often as may be necessary in order to maintain a sanitary and healthful condition.

SECTION 5. Any person residing or doing business within the limits of the Borough of Mount Joy may contract with any private collector duly licensed by the

Board of Health to remove and collect refuse in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance. Upon satisfactory evidence of said contract, the assessment of fees and services as provided herein for Borough collection shall not apply.

SECTION 6. PRIVATE COLLECTOR PERMIT. No private collector shall engage in the collection and removal of refuse or haul any refuse through or upon any of the streets or alleys of the Borough of Mount Joy without first having obtained an annual permit from the Board of Health. Such permit shall be granted by the Board of Health for the calendar year at a cost of Fifteen (\$15.00) dollars. Said permit shall entitle the private collector to operate one truck for the collection and removal of refuse in the Borough. For each additional truck which shall be operated for collection and removal of refuse in the Borough, there shall be an additional annual fee of Five (\$5.00) dollars per truck: Provided, however, that no permit shall be issued until the truck or trucks to be operated in the Borough have been inspected and declared satisfactory for the collection of refuse and as being in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance by the Board of Health Officer for the Board of Health.

(a) It shall not be necessary for a private collector duly licensed under

this Ordinance to obtain a permit for a truck used for emergency purposes for the collection and removal of refuse.

(b) The permit issued to any private collector may be revoked by the Board of Health when the collection and removal of refuse is not in conformity with this Ordinance or when, in its opinion, the best interest of the public so demands.

(c) Each truck or similar vehicle must carry said permit when operating in the Borough of Mount Joy.

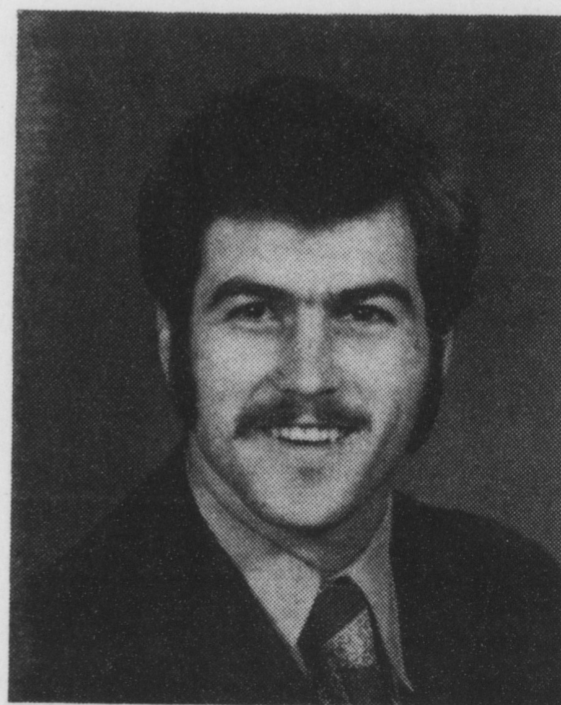
SECTION 7. BOROUGH COLLECTOR. The Borough of Mount Joy is hereby authorized to collect refuse with its equipment and personnel or it may by contract delegate all or a part of said work to a private contractor who shall perform such work in conformity with this Ordinance. The private contractor shall be a private collector as herein described under this Ordinance and shall be decided by advertising for bids and Borough Council shall award such a contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

SECTION 8. BOROUGH COLLECTION. All refuse collection shall be provided by the Borough of Mount Joy through use of its equipment and personnel or by contract to a private collector as herein provided, unless any person has contracted with a private collector.

(a) Borough collection and
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DONNIE G. BOYER
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE
(PARTY SUPPORTED)

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