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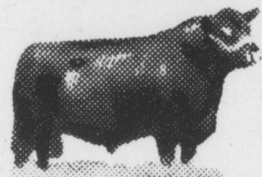
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Ken Depoe

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short while using flies he had tied himself, but threw them all back in.

The biggest trout don't make the best eating, but they do make the most young trout. In his work, Ken's respect for conservation and the importance of keeping all forms of life on earth has grown.

Helen Pennell

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going to and from school.

She not only protects them. She gets to know them and know them well. During those seconds while they are waiting to cross the street she gets to know the names and then the thoughts and wishes of each child.

She has a collection of thousands of school pictures of "her" children. There are no names written on the backs of the pictures; yet, Mrs. Pennell can identify each one.

She recalls experiences she had with children years ago, and tears moisten her eyes as she remembers them.

A lot of her "children" now have children of their own. Her grown-up children come back to see her, often at her station on Barbara and Main.

She also has "children" at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, where she is Sunday School teacher for children aged two to four.

She buys presents for her many children, sometimes going to rummage sales and buying clothes for those who need them. She tells the parents someone gave her the clothes.

The Bulletin wondered what made Helen Pennell such a motherly person. It isn't that she just likes children. She likes all people of all ages. Several years ago when her husband Bruce was seriously injured at work and was hospitalized for a long period, Mrs. Pennell visited other people too from Mount Joy who were patients in the same hospital with her husband.

The Bulletin decided that a good mother is no different from a good person, a person who likes all people, including little people.

FARMERS FIRST ANNOUNCES DIVIDEND

The Board of Directors of Farmers First Bank, of Lititz, has announced a \$.20 per share dividend payable June 16th to stockholders of record May 28th.

Bank officers are pleased with year to date earnings. The above dividend represents an 11% increase over the second quarter dividend of 1974.

Donegal COG meets

The Donegal Council of Government (COG) met last Wednesday night.

Members of the Donegal School Board and of the municipal governments of Marietta, Mount Joy, and East Donegal Township attended.

The purpose of the COG meetings is to discuss common problems of the area that cut across political boundaries.

At last week's meeting there was discussion of the possibility of the schools' sharing in revenue collected in occupational taxes by the municipalities.

All groups in attendance seemed to be agreed that property in the area should be reassessed for taxes.

At the end of the meeting, representatives of East Donegal Township and Marietta Borough expressed their disappointment that the Borough of Mount Joy had acted unilaterally in claiming an additional one-quarter of the one per cent earned income tax. By taking this additional revenue, to which it was legally entitled, Mount Joy forced other municipalities in the Donegal School area also to

take an additional share. The moneys taken by the municipalities had previously gone to the school district, which will now have to derive additional income from other sources to meet its expenses.

Representatives of East Donegal and Marietta maintained that there had been general agreement at the COG meeting last fall by all groups, including Mount Joy, not to change the existing distribution of income from the earned income tax.

Blood pressure check

The State Health Department and the Visiting Nurses Association are cooperating with the Lancaster Chapter of the American Heart Association during May with a month long effort to educate the public about hypertension.

The following sites will be available for area residents who wish to have their blood pressure checked as a preventive measure. The blood pressure check itself takes only a few minutes, and no prior appointment is necessary. May 13, Marietta Community House; May 15, Marietta Community House; May 17, from 2 to 4 p.m. Sloan's Pharmacy, Mount Joy.

The program is primarily one of detection. Persons screened and found to be at risk from high blood pressure will be referred to their doctor for further testing and treatment.

Year round free blood pressure screenings are held

at 246 West Orange St. from 2 - 4 p.m. every Friday except holidays.

The Heart Association's blood pressure screenings and educational programs will continue throughout the year. For more information about the screenings on high blood pressure, contact the American Heart Association, Lancaster Pennsylvania Chapter, Inc. 393-4781.

NORLANCO APPOINTS TWO TO BOARD

At the recent Board of Director's meeting of the Norlanco Family Health Center the following were appointed to serve on the Board of Directors: Mrs. Dorothy Baker, retired School Nurse of the Elizabethtown Area School District and Mrs. Jeanette Germer, School Nurse of Seiler Elementary and Grandview Elementary of the Donegal School District.

Circus day in Mt. Joy



PHOTO - Courtesy of THE RECORD, Hackensack, N. J.

STUBBORN AS A CLOWN

Cactus, the reluctant mule, just doesn't seem to want to be a circus performer. But Uncle Zeke, her trainer, is just as stubborn and insists that she go through her routine twice a day, to the delight of all the children attending the Royal Wild West Circus. The circus appears in Mount Joy on May 7 at Kunkle Field for the benefit of the Library and Playground Funds.