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Drivers were a little startled last Saturday when they were flagged down in Maytown Square by Uncle Sam waving an American flag. Most of them knew it was Flag Day but few could tell Uncle why Flag Day was observed on June 14. Uncle Sam informed them that this was the day that Betsy Ross finished the first American flag and also the date the first Continental Army was organized. Uncle Sam (played by Chris Leese) then asked the drivers for a contribution to the Maytown Softball Club.

## Marietta Council votes to close unnamed alley

Marietta Boro Council adopted an ordinance at its Tuesday meeting, to close an unnamed, unopened alley in the area of 452-460 E. Front St., Marietta.

They accepted the highest bid submitted for its old cruiser; \$450. from Carl M. Bass.

A bid of \$1,406. was accepted from Shultz Tree Service, Elizabethtown, for the removal of hazardous trees on the property at 588-592 E. Front St. A lien will be placed against the property owner for the above amount.

Council voted to allocate its county aid moneys for storm sewer maintenance, street repairs, etc.

The Marietta Jaycees were granted permission to use War Memorial Park facilities for their July 4th and 5th "Stay at Home Celebration," and to block off a section of E. Walnut Street for a Flea Market.

In other business: Council exonerated two persons from per capita tax; issued 9 building permits; hired two part-time policemen; Jay Roberts and Ken Barringer and one special policeman, Robert Homsher.

The Donegal Braves Football Team were granted permission to use the Park in October. Objections of the Landlords Association to housing inspection fee's of \$20/unit were heard. The association members will comply with the ordinance.

Mayor B. McDevitt stated the 25 mile per hour speed signs have had a great effect on the public. Speed checks will continue.

The Lancaster County Boroughs' Association met at Mr. Lacy's Lounge, June 12. Marietta Council was host.

The summer garbage collection schedule is now in effect with pick-ups Mondays and Thursdays.



Sylvia Lowman and Mary Brown

## Sylvia Lowman Queen of the Children's Fair

by Hazel Baker

Sylvia Lowman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lowman, Hazel Ave., Marietta, was crowned by Debbie Smith, as the current 'Queen of the Fair' for the Marietta Children's Fair and Benefit, held Saturday, at Marietta War Memorial Park, and sponsored by the Recreation

Association. Mary Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, E. Front Street, was runner-up in the Queen contest. Additional members of the court were Whitney Kulman, Julia Splain and Kim Tillman. Total votes solicited at 1 cent per vote were 24,000. (continued on page 3)

## Mex Bleau wins Penn State teaching award

Mrs. Mex Bleau, 310 Springfield Gardens, Mount Joy, Pa., won the James A.

Jordan Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence at Penn State-Capitol Campus this year. Mrs. Bleau was

the fourth member of the faculty to win the award, and the first woman.

Mrs. Bleau, who is an assistant professor of mathematics, was selected by the students, who first nominated candidates, then voted for the nominees, selecting six finalists, and was then interviewed by a panel of students from all departments at Capitol Campus.

In response to a question asked by the *Bulletin*, Mrs. Bleau said she did not have any particular philosophy of teaching.

Her husband, Edward R. Bleau, who is assistant professor of economics at Elizabethtown College, was asked why his wife was "such a good teacher."

Bleau stated that he has seen her teach, and was impressed with what he saw. He said that a female student of Mrs. Bleau's at Capitol Campus said that Mrs. Bleau was "the most feminine professor she had ever seen. The average female professor attempts to be masculine in her approach."

Bleau said of his wife's teaching, "She's very lady-like. It's that quality that typifies her teaching."

Without commenting, Mrs. Bleau gave the *Bulletin* permission to publish her husband's analysis of her teaching.

Mrs. Bleau studied at Ohio Wesleyan University, Case-Western Reserve University, from which she received an M.A., and the University of Illinois, where she is a candidate for a Ph. D.

Before coming to Capitol Campus in 1972, she taught in high schools, Baldwin-Wallace College, Marshall University, and Dickinson College.

She is a member of Kappa Mu Epsilon, an honorary mathematics society and of the Mathematical Association of America.

She and her husband have lived in Mount Joy ever since they started teaching at Capitol Campus and Elizabethtown, having lived previously on Delta Street. They say they are delighted by Mount Joy, have fine friends, and think it is a warm community. It is not the most central community between Middletown and Elizabethtown, but living here is worth the twenty-mile drive to the Capitol Campus.



Mex Bleau

## Fri. last day to return Mount Joy survey

Citizens of Mount Joy have until this Friday, June 20, to fill out and return the questionnaires that were sent them last month as part of the Borough's first newsletter. Then, all returns will be tallied, and a final report will be issued.

At the meeting of the Borough Council last week approval was given to joining the Lancaster County Redevelopment Authority in its program to rehabilitate housing.

The authority will have the right to buy houses and sell them to contractors who will renovate them for re-sale to low-income families.

The borough reserves the right to inspect the renovated houses and either accept or reject the work.

The council accepted the resignation of Donald Fellenbaum from the Planning Commission. Council expressed its regrets at losing

Fellenbaum's service. Fellenbaum submitted the names of four people for consideration as a replacement on the Commission.

To help support the summer playground program, no longer supported by the school district, Council voted to contribute \$250.

The Lions Club of Mount Joy will continue to support the swimming pool and will pay for an extra lifeguard for swimming instruction.

Councilman Aaron Smith asked people with brick sidewalks to remove weeds from the walks. The weeds are hazardous as well as unsightly.

Tomorrow evening, Thursday, June 19, there will be a special meeting of Council at 7:30 p.m., to consider bids for the 1975 street improvement program. Other urgent business will also be considered.