

Graybill house was offered to Historical Soc.

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asked the boro for the house. The council instructed boro manager Joseph Bateman to write a letter to the editor of a newspaper explaining this fact. (There had been rumors that the Society approached the council and this rumor has "made the Society look bad" according to the Society's letter.)

The council announced its intention to pass an ordinance requiring landlords to report occupancy of rented properties to the borough. The proposed ordinance will help solve problems in collecting the \$5 per capita tax. Landlords failing to comply with the new ordinance could be fined from

\$50 to \$300.

Police Chief Bruce Kline reported that 52 or 53 of the borough's street lights were out the previous week.

Council expressed concern that Pennsylvania Power and Light Co. was not providing a paid for service.

Council announced that in the future a person asking for exoneration from the per capita tax must apply to council on a yearly basis. A request for exoneration will be considered quarterly and renewed yearly if the applicant proves need (\$3200 or less income, or hardship).

The Mount Joy Athletic Association was given per-

mission to build an addition to its storage building and to enlarge its concession stand in the borough park. The association also plans to build a shelter for scorekeepers of athletic events. The proposed projects are to be under roof by November. Fuel oil requirements bid went to Hollinger Oil Service, Mount Joy.

Contracts were awarded to: E.J. Breneman, Pottstown, \$15,900 for resurfacing tennis courts; E.J. Burkholder, Ephrata, \$4,500 for paving tennis court parking lot; Anchor Post Products, Middletown, \$10,595 for tennis court fences, plus \$7.50 per hole for rick removal.

Marietta sewer arch collapses; study planned

The Marietta Borough Council decided Tuesday, a week ago to OK a study of Marietta's drainage problems.

A brick archway collapsed in a storm sewer in Center Square last week and repairs were made. Repairs are also needed on S. Chestnut Street and it has been recommended that work be done in other parts of the town.

The study will be used to determine exactly where work is necessary. The study will be conducted by the borough engineer and the sewer committee.

The Council also reported on restoration done at War Memorial Park. The earth has been rolled there, and

grass planted. Catch basins have been cleaned and trees will be replanted within six weeks.

The Council also said that property owners who paid borough inspection fees on their rental units will receive a rebate. Landlords are warned that apartments with bedrooms that do not have windows or ventilation make them subject to prosecution and they should correct the situation.

Property owners are to get \$10 returned from the \$20 inspection fee they paid.

The Marietta—Donegal Authority has demanded certain requirements should there be more development in East Donegal Township. The borough sewer committee was appointed to inves-

tigate these requirements.

The East Donegal Township Supervisors have set the sum of \$29,800 as the amount the borough should pay for improvements the township made on land annexed by the borough. The borough decided to ask for a list of these improvements.

Borough Council granted permission for residents in the 200 block of W. Market Street to hold a block sale on Saturday, October 4 from 9 a.m. on. The rain date is set for October 11.

Council also granted permission for the Ladies Auxiliary of the Pioneer Fire Company to hold a food and bake sale in front of the borough offices on October 11.

Seven at hearing on E. Donegal zoning law

A public hearing on the proposed new East Donegal zoning ordinance was held last Tuesday, September 9 at Donegal High School with the township supervisors and the planning commis-

sion.

Only seven township resi-

dents attended the hearing. Eric Pippart of Huth Engineers answered resident's questions. One citizen asked why his land had not been zoned for residential development, since he lives next door to a development. Pippart said that under the new ordi-

nance the citizen could request rezoning of his land by the planning commission if he would want to develop his land for residential use.

Pippart also stated that the commission will maintain a constant vigil on all development in the town-

Mt. Joy Twp. to consider support for fire co's.

Earlier this summer Mount Joy Boro Manager Joseph Bateman had asked the township adjacent to the boro to contribute money to the support of the two fire companies in the boro.

Bateman had based his request on the fact that the fire companies serve the townships as well as the boro.

Last Friday night Mount Joy Township supervisors announced that they had sent Bateman a letter stating that they would discuss his request with

their auditors after January 1, 1976.

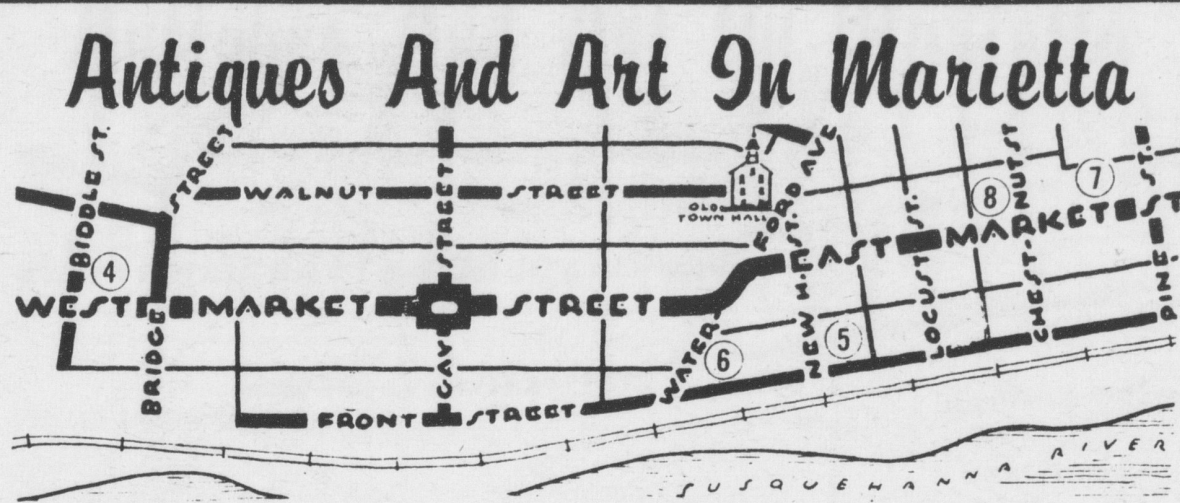
Secretary of the Planning Commission of Mount Joy Township, Charles Bailey, Jr., announced that the Commission has joined the Pennsylvania Planning Association, and will attend the Association's September conference. Bailey also asked the supervisors to consider a number of individuals to fill a vacancy on the Commission.

Bailey also announced that the township Sewer Authority will hold a public meeting on October 28 at

Fairview School, which will be advertised. On September 23, the Authority will meet with financial advisors to discuss different types of funding for the Authority.

Henry Gingrich, attorney for the supervisors informed them that the state has passed a bill authorizing townships to purchase errors and omissions insurance for officers and employees, to be paid for out of township funds.

The supervisors will meet with the Sewer Authority to decide exactly how the insurance will be paid for.



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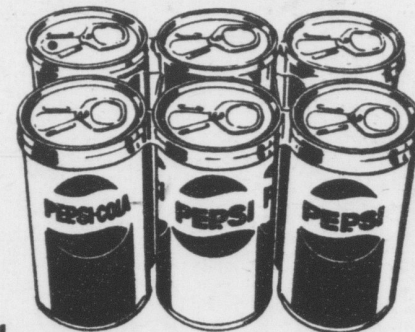
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