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RIDDLE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

OCTOBER, 1964

SPECIAL NOTICE

Oct. 5th - 10 a.m. - Executive Committee of Women's Board at the RMH Medical Library.
Oct. 12th - Annual Open Meeting and Inaugural Luncheon at Scherer's, Baltimore Pike, Wawa-Meeting at 10 a.m. Luncheon at 12:00 noon.
PLEASE NOTE: Closing date for Country Fair Finances--all bills and monies must be turned in before October 31, 1964. Final Financial Report for 1964 Country Fair cannot be completed until after October 31, 1964.

RIDDLE CANDYSTRIPERS PREPARE FOR "THE BIG HOOT" ON OCTOBER 16th

Riddle Candystripers are busy bees these days preparing for their "Big Hoot"—a giant-sized hootenanny—to take place at the Nether Providence High School Auditorium on October 16th at 8:00 P.M. The price of attending "The Big Hoot" is \$1.00 per person or \$1.50 per couple so you see how you save by dating, teeners?

The hard-working committee consists of candystripers Jane Oakey, Cortney Thomson, Betja Van Dam, Sherry Maier, Nancy Nutt, Debbie Read, Nina Mallon, Kathy Read, Susan Detweiler, Cheryl Ann Thomson, Nancy Conn, Nancy Abel and Kate Gibson.

A tryout for talent was held on the night of Sept. 29th. So far, the following high schools are entered: Swarthmore, Nether Providence, Penncrest Kennett Square, Sun Valley, Chichester, Springfield, Media, Monsignor Bonner, and Westtown School.

Why not plan to attend this talent-filled program and help our candy gals help their favorite hospital?

COMPLETE LIST OF RIDDLE COUNTRY FAIR WINNERS NAMED IN ALL DIVISIONS

1964 R.M.H. Country Fair Prize Money Winners: \$2,000 - Dr. Norbert J. Schulz, Merion Station, Pa., (Sold by D. Norton)

\$500 - Media Library, Media, Pa., (Purchased by Mrs. T. Lauser), Sold by Donnie Watson \$200 - Mrs. Robert Beck, (Sold by Helen Beck) HOLE IN ONE PRIZES

3 "Titlist" Golf Balls: Doug Reese, Bill Essick, Dick Marra and Jack Harper, Golf Bag - D. A. Dibble. Golf Shirt - Willis Hayes. Golf Shirt - Bruce Charles. 12 Golf Balls - Willis Hayes. R.M.H. ART EXHIBIT

Professional: 1st prize - Eugenia Eckford Rhoads; 2nd prize - Augusta Fels; 3rd prize - Sally Cruz; Semi-Professional: 1st prize - Eleanor Lyons; 2nd prize - Nancy Tupeny; 3rd prize - John Powell. Amateur: 1st prize - Margaret Murr; 2nd prize -Betty Rich; 3rd prize - Alice Rostron.

AUXILIARY PRIZE DONATIONS

Beatty Hills - Crab Apple Tree - William Long Bowling Green - Twenty-five silver dollars -Agnes Roach

Cheyney - Crocheted Spread - Alice Shrader Concord - Bag of Green Stamps - Emma Pusey Gradyville - Ladies Wrist Watch - P. Roine Lima - Lemon Money Tree - Tess Stambaugh Media - G. E. Clock Radio - Dianne Dutton Middletown - Golf Cart - James E. Gildea Moylan-Rose Valley - Cocktail Hat - Mrs. G.

R. Wells

Nether Providence - Electric Carving Knife and case - Margaret Dandoy

Riddlewood – Pine Cone Wreath – John King Rose Tree – Beaded Bad and White Kid Gloves – Elaine Ahren

Springfield - Ski Sweater - Helen Cameron

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WHAT'S ALL THE FUSS ABOUT ???????



Slumbering peacefully through the Fair excitement is little Mr. RMH Country Fair of 1964 himself--Master Timothy David Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Todd of 487 Monticello Avenue, Chester, Pa., who was born on Sept. 14th and whom our camera caught on the way home. Mrs. Harold Mueller, R.N. hold the precious bundle while Mom beams...

AUXILIARY PRIZE DONATIONS from page 1.

Springhaven - King-size Bedspread - C. M.

Schmidt

Swarthmore - Basket of Cheer - J.A. Law Upper Providence - Gourmet Basket - R.L. Raymond Wawa - Girl's Bicycle - Jane Acton

ANTIQUE CAR TROPHY WINNERS

Award for the Classic Car

County Cars Trophy - Joseph Dunlap, Ardmore, Pa.

AS WE GO TO PRESS:

Saize Macaulay, Riddle Thrift Shop Chairman has advised that the Riddle Thrift Shop Schedule which appeared in the August issue of The Riddle-gram will remain the same. "Regular" Thrift Shop personnel will "man" the shop during the weeks which were scheduled for Upper Providence Aux. which has disbanded with most of its members joining the Springfield Auxiliary.....

"Beb" Thomson, Country Fair Chairman delighted members of the Executive Board Meeting on October 5th when she stated that we would, in all probability, realize \$10,000 from the sale of our Treasure Trove coupons!!!! Every member of our auxiliaries who participated in selling and the Co-Chairmen Mary Shryock and Donnie Watson should be enormously proud of this great record!

POST- FAIR POTPURRI

How did you make out at the Fair?" This is the most common question being asked of all of us. If we read the "Please Note" under the Special Notices, we see that the final figure will not be available to us until after Oct. 31.

However, we thought you might like to know how a few booths made out--Bakery Shoppe, \$660; Hole in one, \$119; Sale of Paintings - \$61; The Celebrity Auction, \$500; Joan Aikens advised us that three Phillies baseballs brought \$16 each. Timmy Brown's football brought \$17.50; and Arnold Palmer's sweater, \$24.00;...she told us people in this area are very sportsminded. As we go to press, hard-working Miriam McCafferty, Program Chairman, told us we could rest assured of a \$3500 surplus from the program ads...a king sized job - "well done" . . . Why was Wynne Eisenhardt nicknamed Sam??? Allen Putt had a "ripping"good time we hear--ripping slacks, skirt, shorts...Scrubbing the canvases in the rain the Sat. before the Fair were Ruby, Betty, Alan, Beb -what wet sights to behold were they!!! Then there was the night Ruby Maier dashed home to cook a pot roast and when it was done, her husband, George Maier, (our annual announcer!!) phoned to say he would not be home. Betty Abel was convinced she was to go up in the balloon and "started to pack"...Mary Mallon is the greatest untangler of red tape the gals say. She collected all pieces of string and would put them in a ball for re-use the next day!...Then there was THE PANIC BUTTON-pushed on Fri. afternoon about 4 p.m. (day before Fair)..."Two of our canopies are missing..."came the terror-stricken phrase over many a phone. Where, oh, where may they be??? Never found, of course...so the Harper Awning in Chester sewed us two awnings in a matter of hours and saved the day (Fri.) and the Fair and the sanity of us all!!!!!

SALE! SALE! SALE! SALE!
Post-Fair Sale of Choice Items from the Women's Shop, Christmas Shop, Children's Shop and Garden Shop!!!(Not leftovers, but first-class items.)
FRIDAY--October 16th--Lobby of RMH. Starts at 9:30 A.M.

TWO REQUESTS:

- I. Would each new president of her respective auxiliary please send the Riddlegram Editor the date, place, and time of her group's monthly meeting? This information is being sought by a number of sources.
- 2. If anyone would like additional copies of the Sept. 16th Delaware County Daily Times for their files or if a member would like a copy for herself, please drop the Editor a line, won't you?



(1. to r.) Ruby Maier, Beb Thomson, Miriam McCafferty, Betty Abel, Allan Putt.



(I. to r.) Mr. Charles Sapovitz and Mr. Matthew Sharpless meet our wind-swept President Mallon.



Local Beauty Queens and their Courts.



(1. to r.) Fanny Feaster, capable Fashion Show Chairman and Selma Rende, Luncheon Chairman.



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scalzo with Miss Penn State and Marion Pedlow of Station WXUR, "Music With a Mr. Al Taylor of WRCV-TV



Flair" tapes voices at their booth.

LINES TO THE LADIES.....

Sandra Hall spent her summer in Europe...Our deep sympathy to Mrs. Joseph Shryock on the death of her brother. Her many friends and auxiliary members saddened by the death suddenly of Mrs. Burr B. (Eleanor) Brooks, an Upper Providence member. our sympathy to her husband and two children.. Middletown's Katharine Opfer on the road to recovery...Betty and Paul Wilkinson acquired a new swimming pool...Lavone and Robert Jarvie had a cocktail-dinner party for Middletown workers after the Fair.

Local Beauty Queens--Sandy Hillary, Miss Middletown Fire Co., Phebe Hardcastle, Miss Lima Fire Co., Arlene Negovetich, Miss Lenni Heights Fire Co., Cathy Wetherill, member of court--Lenni Heights, and Barbara Mayer, member of court-Lima....

Some of the Wawa Aux. members and their husbands hosted a farewell dinner for the George Pauldings (bound for Georgia) at the Newtown Squire recently Florence D'Angelo sang and Esther Caudill played the piano.. Concord's Mary Murdock is home from the hospital and recuperating nicely...Emma Frederic is just thrilled (and so are all of us!!!) that her son-in-law, Armando Vega made the 1964 Olympic Gymnastic Team and is bound for Japan with his wife Judy on October 1st...Jean Weiss is Concord's new telephone chairman... Bibby Breen a super artistic chairman...Al Putt was responsible for the lovely pink horseshoe and table favors at the Fashion Show...June Trotter of Strawbridge & Clothier thrilled over show...said "we took orders from the floor"...fashions still available at S&C...Tiny Moylan-Rose Valley was fully represented in Country Fair activities and a bow in their direction says Beb Thomson . . .

Dottie Waselefsky, Lettie Kushnerick, and Pat Armstrong all of Riddlewood recent Riddle patients Everyone surry to see Ted and Jo Lachmann leaving Riddlewood for Greenville, Tenn. Jo was a charter member and one of the "key" auxilians.. We are all proud of Alice Rostron, winner of third prize in the Amateur Division of the Fair's Art Exhibit...Lorretta Mitchell's son, Walter, home on leave from the Navy...Mrs. Harry Painter's daughter, Joan, a regular volunteer at the Receptionist Desk and we finally met!!!...Mary Taylor was happiness personified as she showed me Alfred Hitchcock's sketch, complete with complimentary card, which she bought for \$5.00 at the Celebrity Auction....

The Editor thanks teen, Jim Weller, for helping her distribute Delco editions on Fair Day to all patients on all floors and elsewhere..

RIDDLE THRIFT SHOP GOES OVER THE TOP



(I. to r.) Working like beavers are Mrs. Samuel Bethel, Mrs. David Pinkston, Mrs. Bert Schulten, Treasurer, and Mrs. Milton Kolp. Photo by Walt Chernokal

The above picture was taken on Sept. 4th, Friday and the Riddle Thrift Shop was humming with consigning activity. Mgr. Irene Newton and Chairman Mrs. Charles Macaulay wish to extend special thanks to the ten women who worked on Wednesday, Sept. 8th—they label them as "Survivors of Opening Day". Mrs. Macaulay reported that the shop "went over the top" with first—day sales amounting to \$1,047.03!!!

A total of 35 girls worked 315 hours during the consigning days—from 10 A.M. through 4:30 P.M. About 266 new memberships were numbered and 2000 articles consigned—at the rate of about 25 different articles per day in four weeks!!!

There will be no consigning in the Riddle Thrift Shop on Nov. 9th, 10, 11, 12, and 13. Consigning will be resumed during the week of Nov. 16th.

Love 'ya, Jim!! Marion Myers and her marionettes performed at the puppet tent and we spotted Ethel Bogel with Wendy, Bert Evons and children, Dr. Brown and children, Vincent Dodd (son of Dolores) with Eve Richardson all enjoying the show.

Lines of people followed Loretta Huntsman, Mary Mallon and Jo Bartolett on the guided tours.. Spotted Lois and Don Rowe carrying a bushel of apples to the Country Store...Basinger Horseshoes with initials good sellers at 60¢

Evoking chuckles from onlookers was the arm-in-acast of Bea Oas with this Ad: "Support RMH this could happen to you!!!"

LINES TO THE LADIES Cont'd.

Mrs. Hubert J. John of Springfield had a file cabinet fall on her foot on her first day of duty as a volunteer!...At the Sept. 14 Women's Board Meeting: Checks presented, \$1250 turned in by the Lima Aux., FranNicholasgave a Merry Token check of \$1000

On Fair Day, at the Major Treat Shop, we spotted Edna Sweeney, Stella Proctor, Esther Read and several helpful candystripers doing a rushing business all day and the totalsales showed a neat \$140 for a most unusually busy day...while at the Merry Token Shop, the cash register jingled all day, totaling \$155!!!

SPECIAL--There is a need for books, magazines for the medical and the patients' libraries. The Library Cart goes to all rooms every Tuesday. No charge is made for borrowing books...there is a constant turnover so need is great..this service is also available to volunteer and hospital personnel. From time to time, there are duplicates so if any auxiliaries wish to have these for fund-riasing plans, contact the Volunteer Office...

Ed James, former hospital administrator, was married to Clara V. Raack of Rose Tree on Aug. 29th...Congratulations!!!...Mrs. Cyril Fox honored by the Penna. Roadside Council, an organization which she founded in 1939 in Pittsburgh...

Did you see the nice Profile of Elizabeth J. Hazen

in Town Talk???

Wonder how many people know that Donnie Watson (our supersalesgal) sold 38 books of Treasure Trove Coupons in 4 1/2 hours at a Media Bank one day???....Wasn't pretty Peggy Beatty the cutest clown with her cute, pert nose done up in red paint paint?????

One of my pet N. Y. writers is Eugenia Sheppard of the N. Y. Herald Trib and she said in

her column on Sept. 27th:

"The most complimentary adjective you can pin on a woman is "organized". "With it" is fairly flattering, but if she's with it, believe me, she has to be organized. Terribly organized is even better"....For the champion of all organizers, I will select Beb Thomson,...Believe me, this 1964 RMH Country Fair was, in friend Eugenia's words. "Terribly Organized"...Enjoy the blazing glory of autumn now in October...See you in print next month!....ADH

THE ET CETERA, ET CETERA, ET CETERA

(A column of printed "thank-yous"---particularly to those who aided our Fair so willingly and unselfishly!)

THE THANKS OF US ALL---

To: Mr. William B. Sweetland, the Delaware County Daily Times publisher for unparalleled publicity for the Fair! Mr. Clarence Jordan who tackled the enormous job of editing the program. Mr. Joseph Fisher, Mr. Bob "Steamboat" Fulton, and Marian Pedlow of WXUR for wonderful radio coverage... To Grace Kaulfus of WEEZ for her gracious interview.. To wonderful Mr. F.F. Zimmerman for supplying us with a roving photographer on the day of the Fair... To Ed Berman, Joseph Krug and Peggy Powell of Town Talk for terrific coverage... To all radio, Tv Stations, and newspapers who received copies of news releases and used them so unsparingly....

To: C. Spencer and Alice Goldsboro of High Point Meadows for making the lovely lampposts...Swede Larson (husband of Ruth, Media Aux.) for painting individual booth signs...Paul Doyle, engineer in the powerhouse for helping time and again --everywhere...Mr. "Bud" Johnson and his Williamson School boys (senior boys) who built booths and took them down and did miscellaneous jobs- always humoring the Country Fair personnel... a big thanks to Crozer Hospital for the tambola which they loaned to us...To Joe White and his Explorer Scouts who worked like Trojans as groundskeepers.. To Joan McClenahan who painted the attractive shop signs. . Selma Rende said that Rose Anthony, our hospital dietitian, outdid herself in helping to make the Luncheon--Fashion Show a great success. To tall 'n terrific Jessica Nolan of the Chem. Lab. who took party reservations to the Log Cabin affair Al Taylor, who loved Riddleso much and sounded so great announcing -- he begs to come back next year..welcome to the fold, Al!! To the busy and wonderful State Police from Elwyn Barracks who has so tough a job and handled traffic so well... Congratulations, Penna.'s Finest!! ... To Raymond "Stoney" Taylor of the Lima Fire Co. who helped us get our local beatties assembled...To the Brookhaven Swim Club for the nice round tables, curved benches and five umbrellas...to the John M. Cullis firm and to Edgewood Memorial Park for their tents..to the Sun Valley Band Association, composed of parents and friends of band members who financed their trip to the Fair via four buses (they also pay for the uniforms and up-keep of the band)...Frank Brush is the President of this organization.... Cont'd. on page 6.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

October 10th - Concord Aux. -- Family night at Sun Center, Feltonville. Feature - "Bozo" the clown. Entertainment and variety for all featuring Marion Myers and Her Marionettes!!!

October 10th - Springfield Aux. - Wine Testing -

"Sip, Sup and Swing" - Buffet Supper and Dancing. \$3.00 per ticket. Old Mill in Rose Valley. Call Mary Mallon - 565-0335.

October 10th - Riddlewood Aux - Puppet Show.
"Story Book Puppeteers" with Mrs. W.W. Hayes of
West Chester. At Glenwood Elementary School-Admission - 25¢ to all. At 2:00 P.M.

Two shows - "Punch and Judy" and "The Magic Onion" for a quarter!

October 16th - "The Big Hoot" -- Candystriper Hootenanny at the Nether Providence High School Auditorium at 8:00 P.M. \$1.00 per person or \$1.50 per couple.

October 16th - Middletown Aux. Dance at the Springhaven Country Club, contact Middletown members for tickets.

October 17th-Cheyney, Chicken Dinner, 316 N. Orange St., \$1.25 per person.

October 18th - Nether Providence Cocktail Party at the Old Mill in Rose Valley. From 4:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. (\$3.00 per couple - first drink - free buffet)

October 18th - Riddlewood's annual Junior Horse Show - at Jackson's Field, Pennell Road, Starts at 10 a.m. Refreshments. FREE!!!!!

November 7th - (Not Nov. 17th as it appeared in last month's RGram!!!) Lima Aux. Annual Bazaar "Yuletide Village" at Lima Fire House. Hours: 10 A.M. to 7 P.M. featuring needlework, cake, surprise package booths with a village theme at Christmastime. Fish pond and children's games. Luncheon served 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. Full home-cooked dinner from 5 to 7 P.M. Tickets can be obtained from any Lima member or for additional info, call Alma Albright, LO 6-0139 or Nancy Dowd, LO 6-4042. Dinner Tickets -- Adults, \$2.00, child up to 5--50¢ and child up to 12--\$1.00

THE MERRY TOKEN SHOP

Now in stock--Christmas Items!! BE WISE!!!!!! SHOP EARLY!! SAVE!!!

Travel clocks, new jewelry, new stuffed toys, the Hootenanny dream Pets and Dolls--gifts for everybody!!!

THE ET CETERA, ET CETERA from page 5.

A VERY SPECIAL THANKS TO:

Mr. Edward L. Forstall, 731 Pannyre Rd., Haverford, Pa. who got out the Country Fair Riddlegram in good time and who has been mailing the Riddlegram for us since early February—the thanks of all auxilians and other people who receive this newsletter each month. (there are undoubtedly many, many more people we could cite but space does not permit it..please believe us when we say everyone who lent a helping hand was very much appreciated We just can't omit THE MANY HUSBANDS WHO HELPED and publicly express our humble gratitude ADH)

BAKE SALE!!!!

NURSES" BAKE SALE

Friday--October 30, 1964

In the Hospital Lobby, starting at 2:00 P.M.

Mrs. G. Cardy, R. N., Chariman

Miss Helen Curney,, Co-chairman

All donated goods cheerfully accepted!!

All customers cheerfully welcomed.

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