

**MINUTES OF
SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
HELD IN
THE COLLEGE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING
DECEMBER 30, 1975**

The meeting was called to order at 4:05 P.M. by Chairman Elwood Williams. Supervisors Trotter and Ziegler were present along with Councilmen-elect Bailey, Dean and Taricani. Members of the press were also in attendance.

Chairman Williams distributed up-to-date copies of the budget and summary sheets as proposed for 1976. As per the attached, the 1976 proposed budget totals \$444,095.57. Chairman Williams reported that during the time the budget was available for inspection, no one came to the office to review it.

There was some discussion about the proposed budget and reports of little citizen comment relative to the proposed tax increases. Trotter moved and Ziegler seconded the motion to adopt the budget. This motion passed unanimously.

Trotter moved and Ziegler seconded the approval of Resolution No. 22 establishing the tax rates for 1976. See attached. This motion passed unanimously.

Chairman Williams expressed gratitude for all of the co-operation he had received during his tenure as a College Township Supervisor.

Meeting was adjourned at 4:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

John H. Ziegler

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA
TOWNSHIP OF THE SECOND CLASS ONLY

TAX LEVY RESOLUTION
RESOLUTION NO. 22

A RESOLUTION OF COLLEGE CENTRE
Township County
and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, fixing the tax rate for the year 1976.

BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED, and it is hereby resolved and enacted by the
Supervisors of COLLEGE TOWNSHIP, County of CENTRE Pennsylvania:

That a tax be and the same is hereby levied on all property and occupations within the said municipality subject to taxation for the fiscal year 1976, as follows:

Tax rate for general purposes, the sum of	2	mills
on each dollar of assessed valuation, or the sum of02	cents
on each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation.		
For debt purposes, the sum of	-	mills
on each dollar of assessed valuation, or the sum of	-	cents
on each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation.		
For <u>EQUIPMENT</u> purposes, the sum of	1	mills
on each dollar of assessed valuation, or the sum of01	cents
on each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation.		
For <u>PARK & RECREATION</u> purposes, the sum of	2	mills
on each dollar of assessed valuation, or the sum of02	cents
on each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation.		

Earned Income Tax - 1/2 of 1%
Fire Protection - 3 cents per front foot
Street Lighting - 15 cents per front foot
The same being summarized in tabular form as follows: Real Estate Transfer Tax - 1/2 of 1%

	Mills on Each Dollar of Assessed Valuation	Cents on Each One Hundred Dollars of Assessed Valuation
Tax Rate for General Purposes	2 Mills	.02 Cents
Tax Rate for Debt Purposes	- Mills	- Cents
Tax Rate for <u>Equipment</u>	1 Mills	.01 Cents
Tax Rate for <u>Park & Recreation</u>	2 Mills	.02 Cents
TOTAL	5 Mills	.05 Cents

That any resolution, or part of resolution, conflicting with this resolution be and the same is hereby repealed insofar as the same affects this resolution.

Adopted this _____ day of _____, A.D. 19 _____

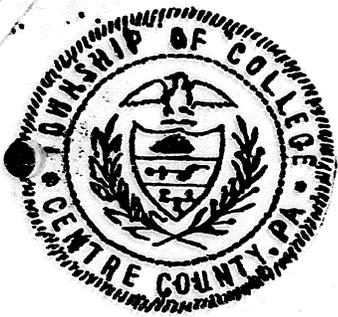
Chairman of the Board of Township Supervisors

CERTIFICATION

To the Secretary of Community Affairs:
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. _____
enacted by the Township of _____ on _____, 19 _____

(SEAL)

Secretary



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



HAPPY HOLIDAYS

GREETINGS!!

IN CELEBRATION OF OUR TOWNSHIP'S 100th BIRTHDAY, FOUNDED NOVEMBER 22, 1875, AND THE CHRISTMAS SEASON, WE ARE EXTENDING AN INVITATION TO YOU AND YOUR (HUSBAND, WIFE, OR FRIEND) TO JOIN US IN A COMBINATION CHRISTMAS AND BIRTHDAY DINNER TO BE HELD IN HONOR OF THE COLLEGE TOWNSHIP BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND AUTHORITIES.

PLACE:	EUTAW HOUSE, POTTERS MILLS
DATE:	DECEMBER 6, 1975
TIME:	BAR OPEN - 6:00 p.m.
	DINNER - 7:00 p.m. "Promptly"

PLEASE R.S.V.P. ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 1, 1975 BY CALLING 238-3091.

THANK YOU.

COLLEGE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS

Elwood G. Williams
Elwood G. Williams

Clarence E. Trotter
Clarence E. Trotter

John H. Ziegler
John H. Ziegler



ON SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 6, 1975, THE SUPERVISORS OF COLLEGE TOWNSHIP HOSTED THEIR ANNUAL DINNER PARTY FOR ALL MEMBERS OF AUTHORITIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS (ABC) AND THEIR SPOUSES. SIXTY-TWO PERSONS ATTENDED THE AFFAIR WHICH WAS HELD AT THE EUTAW HOUSE IN POTTERS MILLS. THE EVENT REVOLVED AROUND A ONE-HOUR HAPPY HOUR AND A STEAK DINNER. AT THE TIME OF THE DINNER, THE FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS WAS A SESSION OF INTRODUCTIONS BY ALL PRESENT WHICH WAS ENJOYABLE EVEN THOUGH THE TROTTERS HAD SUPPLIED ALL ATTENDEES WITH NAME TAGS.

AFTER DINNER, SUPERVISOR WILLIAMS THANKED EVERYONE FOR APPEARING AND HELPING TO MAKE THE ABC PARTY A SUCCESSFUL EVENT. HE THEN INTRODUCED SUPERVISOR ZIEGLER TO CARRY OUT THE AWARDS PART OF THE PROGRAM. SIX "HOWIE" CERTIFICATES OF APPRECIATION WERE REPORTED AND FOUR DISTRIBUTED TO THOSE PERSONS IN ATTENDANCE (*).

MEMBERS OF THE TOWNSHIP PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD RECEIVING RECOGNITION WERE:

HUGH J. CLARKE
DONALD W. GIROUARD*
RICHARD E. KOCH
LLOYD A. NIEMANN*

ALSO RECEIVING AN AWARD WAS

J. MARVIN LEE*

WHO HAS BEEN A LONG-TIME SERVANT OF THE TOWNSHIP. MR. LEE'S SERVICE PRE-DATES THAT OF ELWOOD G. WILLIAMS, SR. MR. LEE ACTUALLY SERVED THE TOWNSHIP AS SUPERVISOR ON THREE DIFFERENT OCCASIONS AND HAS AT TIMES BEEN CHAIRMAN AND

SECRETARY TO THE BOARD ALONG WITH SERVING AS ROADMASTER. BY MR. LETT'S ADMISSION, IT HAD BEEN APPROXIMATELY 50 YEARS SINCE HE LAST VISITED THE EUTAW HOUSE. LONG AGO A COUSIN OF HIS FATHER'S KEPT THE EUTAW HOUSE AND AS A YOUNG MAN MARVIN VISITED THERE. THE CURRENT AWARD WAS PRESENTED FOR MARVIN'S CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE TOWNSHIP'S BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE.

THE SIXTH AWARD WAS MADE TO ONE WHO IS NOT AN OFFICIAL MEMBER OF THE TOWNSHIP FAMILY BUT IN LINE WITH HER PROFESSIONAL WORK SHE HAS TAKEN A SPECIAL INTEREST IN COLLEGE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS AND HAS RENDERED MUCH SERVICE "ABOVE AND BEYOND THE CALL OF DUTY". THIS AWARD WAS PRESENTED TO

DENISE BOWMAN EMMERS*

AS MUCH FOR THE MANY THINGS SHE HAS NOT SAID AND WRITTEN ABOUT TOWNSHIP HAPPENINGS AS FOR THOSE SHE HAS WRITTEN ABOUT AND FROM WHICH THE CITIZENRY HAS BEEN INFORMED.

SUPERVISOR ZIEGLER ALSO COMMENTED ON SOME RANDOM THOUGHTS HE HAD RELATIVE TO THE ABC DINNER. HE HOPED EVERYONE WAS REALLY ENJOYING IT SINCE, FOR MOST OF THOSE PRESENT, IT WOULD BE THE ONLY REMUNERATION THEY WOULD RECEIVE FOR THEIR SERVICES TO THE TOWNSHIP. HE INDICATED THAT THIS INDEED WAS NOT ONLY AN ABC EVENT BUT THIS YEAR WAS A COLLEGE TOWNSHIP 100TH BIRTHDAY-ANNIVERSARY PARTY--A CENTENNIAL PARTY--SINCE COLLEGE TOWNSHIP WAS OFFICIALLY FOUNDED ON NOVEMBER 22, 1875. HE DIDN'T BELIEVE THE TOWNSHIP COULD MAKE QUITE AS MUCH OUT OF THIS AS JAMES A. MICHENER WAS MAKING FROM HIS RECENT WORK ENTITLED "CENTENNIAL". MICHENER HAS REPORTED THAT HIS BOOK PROBABLY TELLS MORE ABOUT COLORADO THAN ANYONE NEEDS TO KNOW, AND ZIEGLER INDICATED THAT SOME PEOPLE MIGHT SAY THE SAME ABOUT THE TOWNSHIP ONCE THE ABC PARTY WAS CONCLUDED.

SERIOUSLY, ZIEGLER INDICATED THAT INDEED ANY TOWNSHIP THAT WAS BEING SERVED BY SO MANY GOOD AND CAPABLE PEOPLE MUST INDEED BE MANY TIMES BLEST. HE SAID THAT IN SERVICE WERE THE OLDER, MORE MATURE CITIZENS WHO OFFERED THE CORRECT HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE. THE MIDDLE AGED THAT WERE CURRENT WITH THEIR PROBLEMS OF PAYING OFF MORTGAGES, GETTING OFFSPRING THROUGH SCHOOL AND STRETCHING BUDGETS. AND LASTLY, THERE WERE THE YOUNG FIREBRANDS WHO WERE FOREVER OPTIMISTIC AND KEPT COMING UP WITH NEW IDEAS.

INADVERTENTLY, THE EUTAW HOUSE HAD ARRANGED THE SEATING SO THAT THERE WAS NO HEAD TABLE AND ZIEGLER SAID HE THOUGHT THIS GOOD AND SYMBOLIC SINCE EVEN THOUGH ULTIMATELY FOR MOST ACTIONS THE SUPERVISORS ARE RESPONSIBLE BY LAW, THE TOWNSHIP REALLY OPERATES THROUGH THE COOPERATIVE EFFORTS OF ALL THOSE PRESENT.

SUPERVISOR ZIEGLER THEN READ THE FOLLOWING CITATION RELATIVE TO TOWNSHIP HAPPENINGS DURING THE LAST SIXTY YEARS AND RELATED THE SERVICE OF THE CURRENT CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD.

ELWOOD G. WILLIAMS, SR. IS ATTENDING THIS 1975 COLLEGE TOWNSHIP ABC BANQUET TONIGHT AS A SUPERVISOR FOR THE LAST TIME. HIS CURRENT TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 1975, AND AS MOST OF YOU KNOW, HE CHOSE NOT TO RUN AGAIN. HE IS GIVING UP THE POLITICAL LIFE SO TO SPEAK. HOW LONG INDEED HAS ELWOOD BEEN PART OF THE LOCAL POLITICAL SCENE OF COLLEGE TOWNSHIP AND THE CENTRE REGION?

ON OCCASION I HAVE ASKED ELWOOD EXACTLY HOW LONG HE HAS BEEN A SUPERVISOR AND RATHER THAN RECEIVING A NICE, NEAT AND PRECISE ANSWER AS I EXPECTED, I HAVE GENERALLY BEEN THE RECIPIENT OF A RATHER MUDDLED RESPONSE. THIS REALLY BOTHERED ME SINCE FOR MOST QUESTIONS RELATIVE TO TOWNSHIP HAPPENINGS WITHIN THE IMMEDIATE SILVER ANNIVERSARY PERIOD, ELWOOD REPEATEDLY

SUPPLIES QUICK AND ACCURATE ANSWERS. WELL, I THOUGHT THERE SHOULD REALLY BE NO PROBLEM. I WOULD SIMPLY CHECK THE MINUTES OF BOARD MEETINGS AND ESTABLISH THE FACTS FROM THE WRITTEN RECORD. OBVIOUSLY, I DECIDED TO START WAY BACK TO MAKE CERTAIN THAT I WOULD FIND THE EXACT DATE WHEN ELWOOD ARRIVED ON THE SCENE.

I GUESS I WENT BACK FAR ENOUGH--FACT IS I STARTED ABOUT THE TIME COLLEGE TOWNSHIP WAS OLD ENOUGH FOR LIFE TO BEGIN (40) AND ELWOOD WAS JUST BORN (1916). THIS WASN'T AS LARGE A TASK AS YOU MIGHT THINK CONSIDERING THAT ALL MINUTES FOR 38 YEARS ARE CONTAINED IN THIS ONE NOT-SO-LARGE BOOK. AROUND THE TIME OF THE FIRST BIG WAR - WW I - IT APPEARS THAT THE SUPERVISORS MET 2 OR 3 TIMES ANNUALLY--FALL, WINTER AND JANUARY--THE LATTER TO SATISFY THE MANDATE AND ORGANIZE THE BOARD. MOST ACTION CENTERED AROUND ROAD WORK -- SETTING WAGES FOR ROAD SUPERVISORS, FOR LABOR AND FOR TEAMS. ALMOST ALL COMMENTS RECORDED THROUGHOUT THE 20'S REVOLVED AROUND ROAD WORK, LABOR, EQUIPMENT, STONE AND SUPPLIES--LITERALLY TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS IN THOSE DAYS WERE "ROAD SUPERVISORS". THE 30'S WEREN'T MUCH DIFFERENT. MINUTES OF BOARD MEETINGS WERE ABBREVIATED AND CONFINED TO ROAD WORK UP UNTIL MARCH OF 1938 WHEN ONE CHARLES F. RHODES APPEARED AS SECRETARY. THE BOARD MEETING MINUTES BECAME ELONGATED AND STARTED TO INDICATE WHO MADE MOTIONS, WHO SECONDED THEM AND WHAT EVENTUALLY WAS THEIR DISPOSITION. CLYDE STRUBLE MOVED THAT SUPERVISORS BEGIN MEETING ONCE A MONTH ON THE FIRST MONDAY AT 7:30 IN THE LEMONT SCHOOL HOUSE UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTIFIED AND THE RATE OF PAY WOULD BE \$2.00 PER MEETING FOR THOSE WHO ATTENDED. NEXT MEETING TO BE FIRST MONDAY OF MAY AND THE IMPORTANT CONSIDERATION WOULD BE HOW TO GET SOME TOWNSHIP ROADS DESIGNATED AS WPA PROJECTS. THE 1940 MINUTES STARTED TO INCLUDE INFORMATION ON NUMBERED "BULLETINS" WHICH APPEARED TO COVER MANY ASPECTS OF TOWNSHIP ACTIVITIES AS REQUIRED BY COMMON-WEALTH LAW.

OVER THE YEARS MUCH DISCUSSION HAS CENTERED ON THE HANDLING OF WATER RUNNING OFF OF THE MOUNTAIN AND CAUSING WASHOUTS, CLOGGED DRAINS, EROSION, ETC.

IN FEBRUARY 1939 SOME PEOPLE THAT WE KNOW BEGIN TO BE MENTIONED AND THE MINUTES INDICATE THAT "THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNTS FOR SHOVELING SNOW WERE PAID -- JAY STRUBLE, JOHN LYLE, ROY WIRTZ, AND CLYDE STRUBLE".

IN THE MINUTES FOR JUNE 1939 THE FIRST MENTION OF A SOLICITOR APPEARS AND AGAIN ROADS WERE INVOLVED WHEN "THE SECRETARY PRESENTED THREE PETITIONS PREPARED BY SOLICITOR, R. PAUL CAMPBELL, FOR THE PURPOSE OF VACATING PORTIONS OF TOWNSHIP ROADS NUMBER 333, 355, AND 361."

THESE SAME MINUTES INDICATE THAT THE TOWNSHIP WOULD PAY \$5.00 FOR ITS MEMBERSHIP IN THE PA STATE ASSOCIATION OF TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS (PSATS). ALSO WAGES PER HOUR WERE SET AT 55 CENTS FOR ROAD FOREMAN, 50 CENTS FOR COMMON LABOR, 90 CENTS FOR DRIVER AND TEAM AND \$1.25 FOR DRIVER AND TRUCK.

IN 1940 A LOT OF THINGS HAPPENED. MENTION WAS MADE OF DEALINGS WITH THE LEMONT WATER CO. ALSO THE BOARD DECIDED TO BORROW \$4850 FROM THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STATE COLLEGE TO PURCHASE A ROAD GRADER. AND IN OCTOBER, SAM EVERHART, THE TOWNSHIP ASSESSOR, BROUGHT TO THE BOARD A PROBLEM THAT REMAINS UNRESOLVED. A DISPUTE AROSE AS TO LAND SOLD FROM THE ROSS LOWDER FARM. WERE FOUR HOUSES IN COLLEGE OR HARRIS TOWNSHIP? THIS BECAME QUITE AN AFFAIR AND EVENTUALLY INVOLVED A MEETING OF BOARDS FROM THE TWO TOWNSHIPS AND THE COUNTY SURVEYOR. HARRIS TOWNSHIP WAS TO ESTABLISH A POINT FROM WHICH A NEW LINE COULD BE DRAWN AND THE COSTS OF ESTABLISHING THE BOUNDARY WERE TO BE SHARED EQUALLY.

IN 1941, OTHER THINGS BEGAN TO BE MENTIONED--LIKE DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME, A COURT TRIAL, AND THE FACT THAT WALTER R. WHITEHILL, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD MOVED OUT OF THE TOWNSHIP AND WAS NO LONGER ELIGIBLE TO ACT AS SUPERVISOR. ALSO IN 1941, VAGRANTS CONTINUED TO USE SCHOOL SHELTERS AS TOILETS AND THIS REQUIRED ACTION. THE BOARD WAS AUTHORIZED TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH WEST PENN FOR STREET LIGHTS IN LEMONT. FOR A WHILE, TWO SUPERVISORS COMPRISED THE BOARD. IT SEEMS AS THOUGH FIRE HYDRANT AND STREET LIGHTING TAXES WERE EARLY ADDITIONS TO TOWNSHIP LEVIES.

IN 1945, ROY WIRTZ RESIGNED AND THERE WAS MUCH DISCUSSION ABOUT BILLS FROM THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. THE TOWNSHIP WAS BEING ASKED TO PAY FOR THE CARE OF ITS POOR AT THE DANVILLE STATE HOSPITAL. THIS RELATED TO AN INSTITUTIONAL DISTRICT WHICH HAS BEEN THE SUBJECT OF RECENT DISCUSSIONS.

IN 1946, THE MINUTES REFER TO NITTANY VILLAGE AND R. PAUL CAMPBELL ADVISED THAT WHAT WAS TO BECOME WHITEHALL ROAD WAS NOW THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN STATE COLLEGE BOROUGH AND COLLEGE TOWNSHIP AND MAINTENANCE WAS TO BE JOINTLY MADE. AT THAT SAME MEETING, R. PAUL CAMPBELL DISCUSSED DELIBERATIONS WITH MR. FRANK WHITEHILL'S ATTORNEY AND HIS DEMANDS FOR A CULVERT PAST THE FRONT OF HIS PROPERTY IN LEMONT. MR. CAMPBELL ADVISED THE SUPERVISORS TO GRADE ALONG THE HEAD WALL AND PUT STONES IN THE BOTTOM OF THE DITCH TO PREVENT EROSION. IN SEPTEMBER, J. MARVIN LEE WAS APPOINTED TO SERVE THE SUPERVISOR'S TERM VACATED BY THE RESIGNATION OF ROY WIRTZ.

THE MINUTES FOR THE JANUARY 20, 1947 MEETING INDICATE THAT THE BOARD MEMBERS: R. C. WALTERS, BOYD WILLIAMS, AND J. MARVIN LEE MET IN THE LEMONT SCHOOL HOUSE. ALSO ON NOVEMBER 7, 1947, THE MINUTES RELATE THAT J. MARVIN LEE AND ROBERT C. WALTERS WERE PRESENT AS THE FULL BOARD, BOYD WILLIAMS, CHAIRMAN,

HAVING DIED A FEW DAYS PREVIOUS TO THAT DATE. IT SEEMS THAT SUPERVISORS LEE AND WALTERS DISCUSSED THE MATTER OF APPOINTING A PERSON TO FILL THE VACANCY FOR THE UNEXPIRED TERM OF BOYD WILLIAMS UNTIL JANUARY 1, 1952. FINAL APPOINTMENT WAS DEFERRED UNTIL A LATER DATE.

NOW THE INTERESTING FACT APPEARS--THE MINUTES FOR THE LAST TWO MEETINGS IN 1947 ARE SIGNED BY "ELWOOD G. WILLIAMS, CHAIRMAN" EVEN THOUGH IT WAS ONLY ON JANUARY 15, 1948, THAT THE BOARD WAS ORGANIZED WITH ELWOOD AS CHAIRMAN FOR THE FIRST TIME. THINGS GOT RATHER CONFUSING ON TWO COUNTS. FIRST, THERE IS AN INDICATION THAT ELWOOD WAS TO HAVE A SIX YEAR TERM -- AND J. MARVIN LEE WAS APPOINTED TO FILL THE POSITION OF SUPERVISOR MADE VACANT BY THE DEATH OF BOYD WILLIAMS, ELWOOD G. WILLIAMS BEING ELECTED TO THE POSITION OF SUPERVISOR FORMERLY HELD BY J. MARVIN LEE BUT THE TERM HAVING EXPIRED. AND SECOND, SOMETHING HAD TO BE DONE ABOUT THE SOLICITOR BECAUSE OF CONDITIONS BROUGHT ABOUT BY COLLEGE TOWNSHIP AND STATE COLLEGE BOROUGH LINES BEING ON THE SAME ROADS AND R. PAUL CAMPBELL, FORMER SOLICITOR, ALSO BEING SOLICITOR FOR STATE COLLEGE BOROUGH IT WAS THOUGHT ADVISABLE TO MAKE A CHANGE. THE SECRETARY WAS TO TALK WITH MR. CAMPBELL SO THAT HE UNDERSTOOD CONDITIONS AND THEN TO CONTACT MUSSER W. GETTIG IN REGARD TO ACCEPTING THIS POSITION.

THE NEXT REGULAR BOARD MEETING WAS HELD ON APRIL 22, 1948, AND THE SECRETARY REPORTED ON THE PLAN SUBMITTED BY COLLEGE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS TO STATE COLLEGE BOROUGH FOR MAINTENANCE OF ROADS IN NITTANY VILLAGE AS FOLLOWS: STATE COLLEGE BOROUGH TO ACCEPT WHOLE AND SOLE RESPONSIBILITY FOR MAINTENANCE AND SNOW REMOVAL ON THE ROAD FROM ROUTE 322 AND THE END OF OLD BOALSBURG ROAD TO INTERSECTION WITH THE WHITEHALL ROAD. COLLEGE TOWNSHIP TO ACCEPT WHOLE AND SOLE RESPONSIBILITY FOR MAINTENANCE AND SNOW REMOVAL ON THE WHITEHALL ROAD, STATE COLLEGE COUNCIL REJECTED THE PLAN BY A VOTE OF 3 TO 2

IN REGULAR MEETING IN BOROUGH HALL AT WHICH TIME THE SECRETARY OF COLLEGE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS WAS PRESENT.

R. PAUL CAMPBELL, BECAUSE OF HIS STAND IN FAVORING THE ADOPTION OF THE ABOVE PLAN BY STATE COLLEGE BOROUGH, WAS RETAINED AS TOWNSHIP SOLICITOR.

IN 1951, A METAL FILING CABINET WAS TO BE BOUGHT FOR THE SUPERVISORS USE, AND PLACED IN THE OFFICE AT THE SCHOOL HOUSE. CORRESPONDENCE, BILLS, AND SUCH THINGS EXCEPT CONTRACTS, AGREEMENTS, AND SUCH THINGS OLDER THAN SEVEN YEARS ARE TO BE DESTROYED ON THE ADVICE OF R. PAUL CAMPBELL. ALSO IN 1951, THE SUPERVISORS ESTABLISHED THE MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR ALL ROADS TO BE TAKEN OVER BY THE TOWNSHIP.

IN 1951, IT WAS AGAIN DECIDED TO PERMANENTLY MARK THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN COLLEGE AND HARRIS TOWNSHIPS. EACH TOWNSHIP IS TO PAY HALF THE COSTS. ALSO THIS YEAR A NUMBER OF CITIZENS APPEARED AT A MEETING IN REGARD TO "OUR TRAFFIC PROBLEM". THE MATTER OF TRAFFIC SAFETY WAS DISCUSSED AND THE FOLLOWING POINTS BROUGHT (1) THE PROBLEM IS LARGELY DUE TO CARELESSNESS OF A FEW DRIVERS: (2) A FEW POLICEMEN CANNOT ENTIRELY ENFORCE THE LAW AT ALL TIMES: (3) ANY CITIZEN OR GROUP OF CITIZENS MAY MAKE INFORMATION AGAINST A PERSON AND HAVE THEM ARRESTED ON THE CHARGES OF RECKLESS DRIVING OR DRIVING TOO FAST FOR CONDITIONS; (4) HIRING A TOWNSHIP POLICEMAN WILL NOT SOLVE THE PROBLEM NOR CAN THE TOWNSHIP AFFORD THE COST OF SUCH PROTECTION.

IN 1952, A MEETING WAS HELD WITH BOROUGH OFFICIALS TO ESTABLISH THE CHARGES FOR FIRE PROTECTION FOR COLLEGE TOWNSHIP AS SUPPLIED BY THE BOROUGH. IT WAS SUGGESTED THAT THE TOWNSHIP SHARE BE BASED ON THE ASSESSED VALUATION.

IT APPEARS THAT MANY THINGS STARTED IN 1952 INCLUDING ACTION WHICH EVENTUALLY CULMINATED IN THE ADOPTION OF A SUBDIVISION ORDINANCE. IN JULY, J. MARVIN LEE WAS GRANTED A ONE YEAR'S LEAVE AND ELWOOD WILLIAMS WAS DESIGNATED SECRETARY-TREASURER.

IN 1953, THE MINUTES BEGIN TO NOTE DISCUSSIONS RELATIVE TO A ZONING ORDINANCE, A COUNTRY CLUB ANNEXATION, LIME DUST AT THE OAK HALL QUARRY, AND A LAW ON DUST POLLUTION, THE COLLEGE-HARRIS TOWNSHIP LINE, ROAD INSPECTIONS, HIRING A POLICEMAN, SOCIAL SECURITY, ZONING COMMITTEE WITH SOLICITOR, R. PAUL CAMPBELL, ETC., ETC., ETC.

I GUESS BY NOW I HAVE MADE THE POINT THAT REAL ACTION SOMEWHAT STARTED AFTER ELWOOD'S APPOINTMENT.

SINCE 1948, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE YEARS 1960 AND 1961, ELWOOD HAS BEEN AN ACTIVE SUPERVISOR IN COLLEGE TOWNSHIP. HE HAS IN TOTO SERVED 26 YEARS AS SUPERVISOR AND DURING THAT TIME, 9 YEARS AS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, 7 YEARS AS SECRETARY-TREASURER, AND AT LEAST 14 YEARS AS ROADMASTER. IT APPEARS THAT AT OTHER TIMES ELWOOD HAS BEEN ASSISTANT SECRETARY, ONE OF SEVERAL DESIGNATED ROADMASTERS AND/OR VICE CHAIRMAN.

FROM 1916 ON, I COULD FIND NO ONE PERSON WHO COULD BEGIN TO RIVAL ELWOOD'S TENURE WITH THE TOWNSHIP. I AM CERTAIN WE ALL RECOGNIZE THAT NOT ONLY IS THIS A TREMENDOUSLY LONG PERIOD OF SERVICE BUT THAT ELWOOD HAS NOT BEEN JUST PASSIVELY FILLING AN OFFICE WITH A BODY. ELWOOD HAS BEEN ON DECK DURING THOSE YEARS WHEN THINGS HAVE HAPPENED WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP AND THE CENTRE REGION. ALMOST EVERY ABC GROUP REPRESENTED HERE TONIGHT WAS, IF NOT CONCEIVED, CERTAINLY BORN AND GROWN TO MATURITY DURING ELWOOD'S TOWNSHIP TIME AND HE HAS HAD AN ACTIVE

ROLE IN THE DECISIONS WHICH LED TO MOST OF THE MUNICIPALITIES' FORMAL RESPONSES TO MODERN NEEDS RELATIVE TO PARKS AND RECREATION, SEWERS, PLANNING, SUBDIVISION, POLICE PROTECTION, ZONING, FLOOD PLAINS, INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, SCHOOL CROSSING COVERAGE, PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AND THE LIKE.

FOR ALL OF THIS, I THINK WE SHOULD SHOW OUR LOUD AND SINCERE APPRECIATION TO ELWOOD AS HE RETIRES FROM COLLEGE TOWNSHIP POLITICAL LIFE AND WE ALL MOVE INTO A NEW ERA OF COUNCIL-MANAGER GOVERNMENT.

SUPERVISOR TROTTER WAS CALLED ON TO MAKE PRESENTATIONS OF A PLAQUE AND PIECE OF LUGGAGE TO ELWOOD THROUGH WHICH THE TOWNSHIP ATTEMPTED TO SHOW ITS APPRECIATION FOR HIS MANY YEARS OF SERVICE. CLARENCE EXPLAINED HOW THE LUGGAGE WAS ORIGINALLY SUPPOSED TO BE LARGE ENOUGH TO HOLD A TELEVISION SET IN CASE ELWOOD WON ANOTHER ONE AT A STATE CONVENTION AS HE DID IN 1975 FROM THE H. A. THOMSON INSURANCE COMPANY.

SUPERVISOR WILLIAMS GRACIOUSLY ACCEPTED THE PLAQUE AND LUGGAGE AND EXPRESSED HIS WARM APPRECIATION FOR BOTH. HE INDICATED HE HOPED HE WAS FULLY DESERVING OF ALL CONSIDERATIONS.

THE NEXT ITEM ON THE PROGRAM WAS THE INTRODUCTION OF THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCE FOR COLLEGE TOWNSHIP AS WRITTEN AND PRESENTED BY SOLICITOR REED McCORMICK.

ORDINANCE

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OF

COLLEGE TOWNSHIP

BE IT ORDAINED and it is hereby ordained this 6th day of December, 1975, that the Township of College hereby constitute and ordain the Duck Pond, Spring Creek and Slab Cabin Creek as navigable waters of this Municipality, and, as such, subject to its legal authority under the constitution and the eyes of God.

NOW, THEREFORE, to effectuate the purposes intended herein, the Navy of College Township is hereby ordained and constituted and same is done as an official act of the Supervisors of said Township so as to protect the citizens thereof from piracy, attack by foreign navys who may be controlled and dominated by sinister officials of neighboring governments, to assure freedom of commerce thereon and for the general welfare of the Township of College.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that a tax be immediately imposed on all those who pass over these waters, use from them or discharge into them, of such amount as shall be established by the Commander in Chief of said College Township Navy.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all of said tax levied by said Commander in Chief shall be retained, used and spent for the sole benefit of said Commander in Chief, his swabbies, deck hands and for fleet acquisition and maintenance.

Said Commander in Chief shall be known and designated as Admiral Elwood G. Williams, the Senior and from and after this time it shall be proper and appropriate to salute his presence, click ones heels and address him as follows:

Thanks for looking after our welfare on the
Waterways of College Township.

THE REMAINDER OF THE PROGRAM WAS TURNED OVER TO DOLORES A. TARICANI AND DENISE BOWMAN EMMERS TO PRESENT A PLANNED "ROASTING". THE SUPERVISORS HAD ASKED THAT THIS BE PRESENTED AND IT WAS MOST ENTHUSIASTICALLY AND SUCCESSFULLY CARRIED OFF IN THREE STAGES (1) MEMOS FOR A TIME CAPSULE, (2) AWARDS AND (3) FUTURE PREDICTIONS.

DOLORES STARTED OFF BY PRESENTING THE TIME CAPSULE MATERIAL AS FOLLOWS:

TIME CAPSULE

AS WE CELEBRATE THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF COLLEGE TOWNSHIP TONIGHT, ON THE EVE OF THIS COUNTRY'S BICENTENNIAL, IT SEEMS ONLY FITTING TO MARK THE OCCASION WITH REMEMBRANCES THAT FUTURE GENERATIONS CAN GAZE UPON AND REMEMBER THE TOWNSHIP AS IT IS TODAY.

WHAT REMEMBRANCE COULD BE MORE APPROPRIATE THAN A TIME CAPSULE, FILLED TONIGHT WITH OBJECTS VERY SPECIAL TO THE TOWNSHIP, WHICH TYPIFY THE PEOPLE HERE TONIGHT AND THE EVENTS AND PERSONS WHO HAVE MADE THE TOWNSHIP WHAT IT IS TODAY.

CERTAINLY NO OBJECT WOULD BE MORE REPRESENTATIVE OF A TYPICAL COLLEGE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS MEETING THAN JOHN ZIEGLER'S MINUTE-BOOK, OUT OF WHICH HE PROVIDES THE RAPT AUDIENCE WITH A BLOW-BY-BLOW, NOT SO INSTANT-REPLAY OF LITERALLY EVERYTHING THAT TRANSPIRED AT LAST MONTH'S MEETING.

OF COURSE NOT ALL WHO ATTEND TOWNSHIP MEETINGS FIND EVERY PART OF GOVERNMENT-IN-ACTION SO FASCINATING AND, FOR SOME, ATTENTION TENDS TO WANDER TO OTHER THINGS..... (take out crocheting, place in time capsule, without comment)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IS FLUID; IT CHANGES WITH THE TIMES. AND, AS COLLEGE TOWNSHIP MOVES INTO ITS NEW COUNCIL-MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT, IT SEEMS ONLY FITTING THAT SOME ITEM SHOULD BE PLACED IN THE TIME CAPSULE TO CAPTURE THE COMPLICATED SKILL OF TAX COLLECTION. AND SO, WE OFFER THIS TRIBUTE

TO THE TAX COLLECTORS OF THIS DECADE (pull out shoe box, place in capsule).

1975 SAW A MAJOR CHANGE IN COLLEGE TOWNSHIP, WITH THE DECISION BY THE SUPERVISORS TO CONTRACT FOR POLICE SERVICES FROM STATE COLLEGE BOROUGH. THIS WAS NOT AN EASY DECISION, AND WHILE THERE COULD BE MANY OBJECTS TO REPRESENT THE FACTORS WHICH LED TO THIS ACTION, WE COULD THINK OF NOTHING BETTER THAN THIS ... (carbine). LEST FUTURE GENERATIONS BE CONFUSED BY THAT, WE FEEL IT ONLY FAIR TO PROVIDE AS MUCH INFORMATION ABOUT THE TOWNSHIP'S POLICE SERVICE IN 1975 AS POSSIBLE.

SO, WITH THE PERMISSION OF THE STATE COLLEGE POLICE DEPARTMENT, WE OFFER THESE (pull out napkins, index cards, etc.) TO SHOW FROM THE TOWNSHIP'S OWN RECORDS, CRIMINAL ACTIVITY IN 1975.

BECAUSE THE BOROUGH POLICE DEPARTMENT HAS BECOME SO MUCH A PART OF COLLEGE TOWNSHIP LIFE, THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWNSHIP WISH TO OFFER THE FOLLOWING ITEM, ON BEHALF OF POLICE CHIEF ELWOOD G. WILLIAMS, JR. (pull out gag xxx hold up around mouth) -- AN ITEM WE FEEL HE COULD HAVE USED THE DAY HE TALKED TO THAT PENN STATE JOURNALISM CLASS.

1975 SAW ITS SHARE OF CONTROVERSY IN THE TOWNSHIP. SUPERVISORS RECEIVED MANY COMPLAINTS FROM PERSONS OFFENDED BY THE SIGHTS THEY SAW WHILE STUCK IN TRAFFIC ON THE BENNER PIKE, AND SO WE OFFER THIS --(take out movie reel) -- THE LAST X-RATED MOVIE SHOWN AT THE STARLITE DRIVE-IN ("Born Free").

THEN, OF COURSE, THERE WAS THE CONFUSION OVER FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF THE HILLS PLAZA SHOPPING CENTER. WE HAVE OBTAINED, FROM THE CANADIAN PACIFIC HOLDING CORP., AN ITEM WE FEEL WILL EXPLAIN TO FUTURE GENERATIONS THIS CONTROVERSY AS WELL -- THE HILLS PLAZA DECISION-MAKER ... (take out box labeled Hills Plaza Decision-Maker -- pull out slips of paper, reading McDONALDS ... WENDY'S...McDONALDS ... WENDY'S.)

ONE OF THE CONTROVERSIES OF 1975 WHICH WILL BE CARRIED INTO THE NEW YEAR ALSO SHOULD BE PART OF THIS TIME CAPSULE. THUS, WE OFFER THIS FIREPLUG FROM HOUSEVILLE, WHICH NOBODY WILL MISS BECAUSE THEY DON'T GET ANY WATER OUT THERE ANYWAY!

1975 ALSO SAW THE BEGINNINGS OF MOVEMENT ON THE MIDDLE SECTION OF THE STATE COLLEGE BY-PASS, AND WITH IT ANOTHER CONTROVERSY FACED THE TOWNSHIP.

IT SEEMS THERE WAS THIS QUADRIplex ON BRANCH ROAD, WHICH WAS BOUGHT AND DISASSEMBLED BY NURI MOHSFNIN. NURI HAS OFFERED THE BUILDING FOR THE TIME CAPSULE BECAUSE NOBODY WILL LET HIM PUT IT ANYWHERE. ALSO, THE BYPASS BROUGHT OTHER PROBLEMS TO THE SUPERVISORS SUCH AS THE LAND SETTLEMENT. PENNDOT OFFERS THIS READY CREDIT TO BE USED AT ANY LOCAL HIGHWAY OFFICE.

WHILE MINI-CONTROVERSIES SEEM TO COME AND GO, COLLEGE TOWNSHIP OFFICIALS GET ON WITH THE EVERYDAY WORK OF TRYING TO RUN THE TOWNSHIP.

THE PLANNING COMMISSION, FOR EXAMPLE, HAS BEEN WORKING ON AN UPDATE TO THE TOWNSHIP'S SUBDIVISION AND ZONING ORDINANCES AND WE FEEL IT ONLY FAIR TO INCLUDE SOME TOKEN OF THEIR EFFORTS. WE OFFER, THEREFORE, CLAIRE BROWN'S NOTES ON THE CORRECT PUNCTUATION FOR SECTION 101.1 OF THE REVISED ORDINANCE. (pull out computer-print-out and begin to unravel it).

AS CONCERNED AS TOWNSHIP OFFICIALS ARE ABOUT CORRECT PUNCTUATION, MANY -- SUCH AS COUNCILMAN-ELECT J. CARROLL DEAN -- ARE EQUALLY CONCERNED ABOUT THE PROPER USE OF THE LANGUAGE. WE THEREFORE OFFER THIS DEFINITIVE WORK WRITTEN BY CARROLL (pick up large book) ON THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A RELOCATED RTE. 26 AND A RELOCATED BENNER PIKE. THANK YOU, CARROLL, FOR YOUR SUCCINCT THOUGHTS ON THIS PRESSING PROBLEM.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THE TIME CAPSULE HOLD A SIGNIFICANT MOMENTO OF ELWOOD'S LONG AND DILIGENT SERVICE. IN TRIBUTE TO ELWOOD, WE PLACE SOME OF THE BRUSH HE NEGLECTED TO COLLECT IN 1975. THE REMAINING THREE TONS CAN BE SEEN BY THE ROADSIDE.

WHAT WILL WE DO WITH THE TIME CAPSULE? I AM PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT AFTER THE DINNER WE WILL ADJOURN TO THE BYPASS CONSTRUCTION SITE WHERE DAVE ALLISON IS DIGGING THE HOLE AT THIS VERY MINUTE IN WHICH IT WILL BE PERMANENTLY BURIED.

AFTER DOLORES, DENISE MADE THE FOLLOWING COMMENTS, AWARDS, AND PREDICTIONS:

AWARDS

A TRADITION AT GATHERINGS SUCH AS THESE IS SOME CEREMONY RECOGNIZING THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF THOSE SEATED IN THE ROOM. WE WOULD OFFER OUR OWN AWARDS THIS EVENING. RECOGNIZING THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THOSE -- BOTH WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP FAMILY AND OUTSIDE -- WHO HAVE MADE COLLEGE TOWNSHIP WHAT IT IS TODAY.

THE SIDNEY FRIEDMAN AWARD -- TO NURI MOHSENIN ALTHOUGH IT MUST BE POINTED OUT THAT WE KNOW OF AT LEAST FOUR PROPERTIES IN LEMONT HE DOESN'T OWN--YET.

THE LITTLE BIG HORN AWARD -- TO CENTRE HILLS' GENERAL CUSTER, ROBERT KISTLER, FOR HIS LAST STAND BEFORE COMMONWEALTH COURT.

THE GERALD R. FORD AWARD FOR DECISIVENESS -- TO CLARENCE E. TROTTER, WHO KNOWS EXACTLY WHAT HE WANTS...BUT ON THE OTHER HAND...

THE SKIP STEWART PLAQUE -- DONATED BY SURROUNDING PROPERTY OWNERS TO ELWOOD G. WILLIAMS, SR.

THE DEWEY WAGNER PERFECT ATTENDANCE CERTIFICATE -- TO ALLEN D. WOLFORD, WHO HAS YET TO SHOW UP FOR A TRANSITION COMMISSION MEETING. FIRST RUNNER-UP FOR THIS HONOR GOES TO GALE DARGITZ WHO WOULD HAVE WON IT OUTRIGHT FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE GOVERNMENT STUDY AND TRANSITION COMMISSIONS, BUT HE BLEW IT WHEN HE STARTED ATTENDING ZONING HEARING BOARD MEETINGS. SORRY, GALE.

THE LESTER M. WEAVER ACCOUNTING AWARD -- TO BEULAH HOUSER AND DONALD BAILEY,
WITHOUT WHOM TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS WOULD STILL BE WORKING ON THEIR
1974 BUDGET.

THE J. CARROLL DEAN AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN ENGINEERING -- TO ANDY KNAPKA.

THE HENRY KISSINGER PEACE PRIZE -- TO RODGER GRANLUND, WHO SINGLE-HANDEDLY
DECLARED THE TOWNSHIP A DEMILITARIZED ZONE AND WAS INSTRUMENTAL
IN ESTABLISHING A CEASE-FIRE BETWEEN THE SUPERVISORS AND THE SEWER
AUTHORITY.

THE HERBERT W. STEWART GROWTH TROPHY -- DONATED BY ATTORNEY AUSTIN FURST
FROM HIS LEGAL FEES -- TO ELWOOD G. WILLIAMS SR.

THE LATE-NIGHT POLICE SCANNER LISTENER'S ENTERTAINMENT AWARD -- TO ELWOOD G.
WILLIAMS SR., WHOSE USE OF THE POLICE RADIO LAST YEAR WAS AMUSING
TO MOST OF THE CENTRE REGION -- EXCEPT, OF COURSE, AREA POLICE WHO
WERE TRYING TO USE IT AT THE SAME TIME.

THE SILENCE-IS-GOLDEN AWARD -- TO DOLORES TARICANI.

THE JEFFREY ROUSH MEMORIAL PEPTIC ULCER TROPHY -- DONATED BY CENTRE COUNTY
RECORDER OF DEEDS, JOHN MILES. THIS AWARD IS PRESENTED ANNUALLY
TO THOSE DEVELOPERS WHO HAVE SUCCESSFULLY CONFUSED, AVOIDED AND
OTHERWISE ATTEMPTED TO CIRCUMVENT TOWNSHIP LAND-USE ORDINANCES.
AFTER MUCH DELIBERATION, THE COMMITTEE HEREBY AWARDS THIS COVETED
TROPHY TO COLLEGE TOWNSHIP'S OWN SUBDIVISION KING, MR. PETER PERSIA.

THE GREG FREDERICKS JOGGER'S CERTIFICATE -- TO ROBERT FARWELL, WHO RUNS --
NOT BECAUSE HE'S A HEALTH NUT -- WE UNDERSTAND, BUT BECAUSE HIS
ZONING HEARING BOARD PAY IS NOT ENOUGH TO KEEP HIS CADILLAC IN GAS.

THE SPIRO AGNEW AWARD FOR SITUATIONAL ETHICS -- TO FORMER SUPERVISOR ROBERT
BUNKER WHO, WHILE A SUPERVISOR, LANDED THE CONTRACT TO BUILD THE
TOWNSHIP BUILDING. FIRST RUNNER-UP IS THAT ENGINEER OF MANY HATS,
MR. PERSONALITY HIMSELF, NORMAN KATZ.

THE FRYING PAN INTO THE FIRE AWARD --- TO GEORGE HORNBEIN, WHO AGREED TO BE REASSIGNED FROM THE SEWER AUTHORITY TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION. GOOD LUCK, GEORGE. YOU'LL NEED IT.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TROPHY FOR BUDGET PROMPTNESS -- TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WHO, FOR THE SECOND YEAR IN A ROW, HAVE MANAGED TO GET THEIR BUDGET TOGETHER BEFORE THE STATE-MANDATED DEC. 31 DEADLINE.

THE IF-YOU-BELIEVE-THIS-ONE-LET-ME-TELL-YOU-ANOTHER AWARD -- TO SUPERVISOR JOHN H. ZIEGLER, JR., A SIX-YEAR VETERAN OF THE ZONING HEARING BOARD AND A MEMBER OF COG'S CODE ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE. JOHN, IT SEEMS, TRIED TO CLAIM HE DIDN'T KNOW ANY BETTER WHEN THE ZONING OFFICER NAILED HIM FOR PUTTING UP AN ILLEGAL CARPORT.

THE SKIP STEWART FEINT-AND-DODGE PLAQUE --- DONATED BY FRED AND ANNETTE RANCK, TO ELWOOD G. WILLIAMS SR.

CHARLES AND KATHRYN RALLIS "GOTCHA" AWARD -- TO THE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS, WHOSE FAILURE TO PUT THE CONTROVERSIAL 1973 REZONING ORDINANCE IN THE ORDINANCE BOOK COULD COST THE TOWNSHIP AN EASY WIN IN COURT.

THE FERGUSON TOWNSHIP SNAIL'S-PACE AWARD -- TO J. CARROLL DEAN AND K. RON WEIS, UNDER WHOSE DRIVING LEADERSHIP IT HAS TAKEN THE PLANNING COMMISSION 13 MONTHS AND 20 DAYS TO GET LESS THAN HALFWAY THROUGH THE REVISIONS TO THE SUBDIVISION ORDINANCE.

PREDICTIONS

ALTHOUGH CLAIMING LESS THAN A PERFECT RECORD, WE MEMBERS OF THE FOURTH ESTATE HAVE, FROM TIME TO TIME, BEEN KNOWN TO DRAW ON OUR VAST EXPERIENCE AS SHREWD OBSERVERS OF THE HUMAN CONDITION AND VENTURE INTO THE WORLD OF PROGNOSTICATION.

THE ENTERTAINMENT WHICH PRECEDED THIS INTERLUDE, BY AND LARGE, LOOKED AT THE PAST AND THE PRESENT COLLEGE TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENT.

WITH YOUR INDULGENCE, LET US NOW TAKE A LOOK AT THE FUTURE.

SOMETIME IN THE NEAR FUTURE, WE EXPECT CLARENCE TROTTER'S INFAMOUS "NOISE PARK" TO BECOME A REALITY. AFTER HEARING NO OBJECTIONS FROM THE NEIGHBORS, SUPERVISORS WILL PUT IT NEXT TO THE CENTRE COUNTY MEMORIAL PARK.

AFTER YEARS OF FAILING TO SETTLE ON A ROAD FOR HIS PRD, DEVELOPER CALVIN ZIMMERMAN WILL TALK PENNDOT INTO RELOCATING THE BENNER PIKE (SORRY, CARROLL, WE MEAN ROUTE 26) TO PROVIDE AN EXIT RAMP INTO THE DEVELOPMENT.

CERTAIN RESIDENTS OF ARMAU VILLAGE WILL PETITION COLLEGE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS TO AMEND THE ZONING ORDINANCE TO BAN COLLEGE STUDENTS IN R-2, THREATENING TO SECEDE FROM THE TOWNSHIP AND ANNEX THEMSELVES TO THE BOROUGH, IF THE REQUEST IS NOT GRANTED. IN THE INTEREST OF REGIONAL COOPERATION, THE TOWNSHIP LETS THEM.

JUDGE CAMPBELL WILL MOVE INTO THE TOWNSHIP, SETTLING IN HIS RETIREMENT YEARS ON A FIVE ACRE TRACT OF LAND ACROSS THE STREET FROM ALEX WOSKOB. AT THE URGING OF THE ENTIRE CENTRE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION, THE LAND NEXT DOOR IS IMMEDIATELY REZONED TO PERMIT A MEAT PROCESSING PLANT.

THE PLANNING COMMISSION WILL COMPLETE ITS REVISIONS TO THE ZONING AND SUBDIVISION ORDINANCES, ONLY TO LEARN THAT THE LEGISLATURE HAS AMENDED ABOUT SIX LAWS AND IT'S ALL OUT OF DATE.

ANDY KNAPKA WILL BRING IN A SUBDIVISION PLAN THAT'S RIGHT THE FIRST TIME.

FACED WITH EVER-INCREASING CUTBACKS FROM THE STATE, THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE WILL CONTRACT WITH STATE COLLEGE BOROUGH TO PROTECT THE REST OF THE COUNTY.

BLASTING FOR THE MIDDLE SECTION OF THE STATE COLLEGE BY-PASS WILL CAUSE THE REMAINING WATER LINES IN HOUSEVILLE TO COLLAPSE AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WILL DECLARE THE LEMONT WATER COMPANY A MAJOR DISASTER AREA.

BEULAH HOUSER WILL TAKE A TWO-WEEK VACATION, AND THE ENTIRE WORKINGS OF COLLEGE TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENT WILL COME TO A SCREECHING HALT.

BOB FARWELL WILL LEARN HOW TO RUN THE TAPE RECORDER.

CLAIRE BROWN WILL ARRIVE AT A MEETING ON TIME.

DOLORES TARICANI WILL GIVE A TWO-MINUTE TALK.

CENTRE HILLS WILL PETITION THE BOROUGH TO PAVE CEMETERY ROAD AND ALL RESIDENTS OF OAK RIDGE AVENUE PROTEST THE INCREASE IN TRAFFIC.

SUPERVISORS FINALLY AGREE TO COORDINATE TRICK OR TREAT NIGHT WITH THE REST OF THE WORLD -- AND PEOPLE STILL CALL TO BITCH.

JOHN ZIEGLER AND DAVE ALLISON HAVE LUNCH TOGETHER -- AND ALLISON PICKS UP THE TAB.

JAY STRUBLE WILL PREPARE AN AMENDMENT TO THE SUBDIVISION ORDINANCE REQUIRING ALL NEW DEVELOPMENTS TO HAVE SIDEWALKS, BELGIAN-BLOCK CURBS AND STREET-LIGHTS INSTALLED BY THE DEVELOPER.

AFTER YEARS OF UNSUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO GET PENNDOT TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THE ACCESS ROAD TO HARRIS ACRES, A HUBLER ROAD RESIDENT WILL OFFER HIMSELF UP AS A HUMAN SACRIFICE, VOLUNTEERING TO MAKE A LEFT TURN OUT OF THAT DEVELOPMENT DURING THE MORNING RUSH HOUR.

ATTEMPTING TO GET THE SAME GRANT FROM THE STATE GIVEN OTHER MUNICIPALITIES WITH LOW-INCOME PERSONS LIVING ON STATE LAND, COLLEGE TOWNSHIP WILL APPLY FOR THIS AID ON BEHALF OF THE PENN STATE STUDENTS LIVING IN EAST HALLS, ONLY TO BE TURNED DOWN BY THE GOVERNMENT WHICH HAS DISCOVERED THAT STUDENTS HAVE MORE MONEY THAN WE DO.

FRUSTRATED IN ATTEMPTS TO FIND ONE LOT ON HIS LAND THAT IS NOT IN THE FLOODPLAIN, DEVELOPER DAN STEARNS WILL GIVE UP THE QUEST AND WILL TURN TO COMMERCIAL BOTTLING OF THE WATER FROM HIS FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH.

HE WILL BE ISSUED A CEASE-AND-DESIST ORDER FOR VIOLATION OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE, THE TOWNSHIP WILL TAKE OVER THIS OPERATION AND ABOLISH ALL TAXES.

TAKING NOTE OF THE REGIONAL PLANNERS' REPORT THAT THE BEST AGRICULTURAL LAND IN THE CENTRE REGION IS UNDER THE NITTANY MALL, SUPERVISORS WILL BUY BACK A CORNER OF THE MALL PARKING LOT, RIP UP THE MACADEM AND RENT SPACES OUT FOR VICTORY GARDENS.

ANGERED THAT BOROUGH TRASH IS BEING BLOWN ONTO HIS WHITEHALL ROAD PROPERTY IN COLLEGE TOWNSHIP, SUPERVISOR JOHN ZIEGLER WILL BUY A 14-FOOT-HIGH FAN AND BLOW IT ALL BACK!

CONCERNED ABOUT THE PARKING PROBLEM IN LEMONT, ERNEST JOHNSON WILL OFFER THE ROOF OF HIS HOUSE FOR A MULTI-STORIED PARKING GARAGE.

AFTER THE ROASTING, SUPERVISOR TROTTER EXPLAINED THAT ALL PERSONS IN ANYWAY INVOLVED IN OFFICIAL TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENT IS COVERED BY THE MUNICIPALITY'S ERRORS AND OMISSIONS INSURANCE POLICY!

— Pennsylvania Mirror, Monday, December 8, 1975

College Twp. marks birthday

POTTERS MILLS — More than 60 persons attended the annual College Township dinner at the Eutaw House here Saturday night in celebration of the township's 100th anniversary.

Retiring supervisor Elwood G. Williams Sr., who is leaving the board after more than 25 years as a supervisor at the end of this month, was honored with a plaque and a gift from the township.

In addition, plaques were given to J. Marvin Lee, a former township supervisor and chairman of the College Township Bicentennial Committee; township park and recreation committee members Lloyd Nieman, Hugh Clarke, Donald W. Girouard and Richard E. Koch and Denise R. Bowman of the Pennsylvania Mirror.

LIST OF COLLEGE TOWNSHIP OFFICIALS FROM 1916 TO PRESENT

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<u>Year</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>Secretary-Treasurer</u>	<u>Others</u>	<u>Solicitor</u>
1916	E. M. Houser	Irvin J. Dreese		
1917	E. M. Houser	Irvin J. Dreese		
1918	E. H. Houser	John Mitchell	William Houtz, Daniel B. Lowder	
1919	E. M. Houser	John Mitchell	William Houtz,	
1920	E. M. Houser	John Mitchell	William Houtz, Harry Wagner	
1921	E. M. Houser	John Mitchell	William Houtz, Henry Evey	
1922	E. M. Houser	John Mitchell	William Houtz	
1923	E. M. Houser	John Mitchell	William Houtz	
1924	E. M. Houser	John Mitchell	William Houtz, William Eminhizer	
1925	William Houtz	John Mitchell	Jacob Zong, William Eminhizer	
1926	William Houtz	John Mitchell	Jacob Zong, William Eminhizer	
1927	William Houtz	John Mitchell	Jacob Zong, William Eminhizer	
1928	J. Frank Wasson	John Mitchell	Jacob Zong, William Eminhizer	
1929	J. Frank Wasson	John Mitchell	Jacob Zong, William Eminhizer	
1930	Jacob Zong	(Resigned) J. Frank Wasson		
1931				
1932				
1933	Jacob Zong	J. Frank Wasson		
1934	Jacob Zong	Clyde I. Struble	John Wirtz	
1935	Jacob Zong	Clyde I. Struble	John Wirtz	
1936	Jacob Zong	Clyde I. Struble	W. R. Whitehill	
1937	Jacob Zong	Clyde I. Struble		
1938	W. R. Whitehill	Charles F. Rhodes	Clyde I. Struble	
1939	W. R. Whitehill	Charles F. Rhodes	Clyde I. Struble	
1940	W. R. Whitehill	Charles F. Rhodes	Clyde I. Struble	

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1941	W. R. Whitehill	Charles F. Rhodes		
1942	Clyde I. Struble	Charles F. Rhodes	Roy C. Wirtz	Clyde I. Struble
1943	Clyde I. Struble	Charles F. Rhodes		
1944	Roy C. Wirtz	J. Marvin Lee	Robert C. Walters	
1945	Roy C. Wirtz (Resigned 2-1-45)	J. Marvin Lee	Robert C. Walters	R. Paul Campbell
	Robert C. Walters	J. Marvin Lee	Boyd Williams	Robert C. Walters
1946	Boyd Williams	J. Marvin Lee		Robert C. Walters
1947	Boyd Williams (Boyd Williams died 1-47)	J. Marvin Lee		Robert C. Walters
1948	Elwood G. Williams	J. Marvin Lee		Robert C. Walters
1949	Elwood G. Williams	J. Marvin Lee		Robert C. Walters
1950	Elwood G. Williams	J. Marvin Lee		Robert C. Walters
1951	Elwood G. Williams	J. Marvin Lee		Robert C. Walters
1952	Elwood G. Williams	J. Marvin Lee		Robert C. Walters
1953	Robert C. Walters	Elwood G. Williams	J. Marvin Lee	R. Paul Campbell
1954	J. Marvin Lee	Elwood G. Williams		Robert C. Walters
1955	J. Marvin Lee	Elwood G. Williams		Robert C. Walters
1956	Lester M. Weaver	Elwood G. Williams	J. Marvin Lee	Musser Gettig
1957	Lester M. Weaver	Elwood G. Williams	Clarence Weaver	Musser Gettig
1958	Lester M. Weaver	Elwood G. Williams	Roy W. Clouser	Musser Gettig
1959	Roy W. Clouser	Elwood G. Williams	Lester M. Weaver	Musser Gettig
1960	David R. Gifford	Lester M. Weaver		Musser Gettig
1961	David R. Gifford (Roy Clouser died 11-1-61)	Lester M. Weaver		Roy W. Clouser
1962	David R. Gifford	Lester M. Weaver		Elwood G. Williams
1963	David R. Gifford	Lester M. Weaver		Elwood G. Williams
1964	David R. Gifford (Resigned Feb.)	Lester M. Weaver		Elwood G. Williams
1965	Robert R. Bunker	Lester M. Weaver	Robert R. Bunker	Elwood G. Williams
				Eugene Lederer

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1966	Howard M. Levine	Lester M. Weaver		Eugene Lederer	
1967	Howard M. Levine	Lester M. Weaver		Eugene Lederer	
1968	Howard M. Levine	Lester M. Weaver			
			<u>Vice-Chairman</u>		
1969	Howard M. Levine	Lester M. Weaver	Elwood G. Williams	Elwood G. Williams	Reed McCormick
1970	Howard M. Levine	Lester M. Weaver	Elwood G. Williams	Elwood G. Williams	Reed McCormick
1971	Howard M. Levine	Lester M. Weaver	Elwood G. Williams	Elwood G. Williams	Reed McCormick
1972	Elwood G. Williams	Lester M. Weaver	Leon D. Skinner	Elwood G. Williams	<u>Eugene Lederer</u>
					Reed McCormick
1973	Elwood G. Williams (Leon D. Skinner died 6/18/73)	Lester M. Weaver	Leon D. Skinner	Elwood G. Williams	Reed McCormick
			Clarence E. Trotter		
1974	Elwood G. Williams	John H. Ziegler	Clarence E. Trotter	Elwood G. Williams	Reed McCormick
1975	Elwood G. Williams	John H. Ziegler	Clarence E. Trotter	Elwood G. Williams	Reed McCormick

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