

SUBURBAN

HUMMELSTOWN

Early Church Services Were Well Attended Christmas Morning

Special Correspondence. Hummelstown, Dec. 26.—Dr. and Mrs. Nile Crist and daughters, Katherine and Mary, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Lehman at Mountville, Lancaster county, over Christmas.

Mrs. Minnie Stecher left today to spend several days with relatives at Sunbury.

The early morning services in the churches of the borough yesterday morning were well attended. Special music was rendered at the services, which were held in Zion Lutheran, the United Brethren and Reformed churches.

George Froelich, of Harrisburg, visited his daughter, Mrs. V. V. Walters, yesterday afternoon.

T. Bird Zell, of Chester, is the guest of John J. Nissley.

Earl Brightbill, a student at the University of Pennsylvania, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brightbill.

Miss Nellie Hood, of Harrisburg, visited friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. David Boyer spent yesterday with her father, John Walters, at Annville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Earnest spent yesterday at Hatboro, Pa., the guests of Mrs. Earnest's sister, Mrs. George Stewart.

The Rev. J. P. Dieffenderfer, of Easton, a former pastor of the Reformed church, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Schaffner over Christmas. Mrs. Dieffenderfer and children have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schaffner, for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. David K. Ebersole and children, of Harrisburg, visited relatives in town yesterday.

Miss Katherine Nissley, a student at Smith College, is spending the holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. Caroline Nissley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Corrande and children, of Summit Lake, Pa., are spending several days with Mrs. Corrande's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rhinehart and Irvin Rhinehart, of Newark, N. J., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rhinehart.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bolton and children, Stanley and Caroline, of Steelton, were guests of Mr. Bolton's mother, Mrs. Mary Bolton, yesterday.

Edgar Haehnel, of New York, is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Haehnel.

Miss Hettie Farling visited relatives in Harrisburg yesterday afternoon.

Miss Hilda Ettele returned to New York yesterday after spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. P. G. Wheeler.

Reed Walmer, of Philadelphia, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Walmer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Allwine, of Harrisburg, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Shope.

Miss Bessie Witmer, of Campbells-town, was the guest of Miss Rose Swope over Christmas.

DAUPHIN

Death of Mrs. Jacob Conrad Thursday Morning

Special Correspondence. Dauphin, Dec. 26.—Mrs. Jacob Conrad died on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at her home on Railroad street. She is survived by a husband, two children, Edward Conrad, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Theodore Lannert, of Williamsport, and two sisters and one brother, Mrs. James Nelson, of Halifax; Mrs. Peter Whitman, of Harrisburg; and Henry Bowman, of Speecheville. Notice of the funeral will be given later.

Funeral services of David Shultz were held on Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at his late home, the Rev. J. P. Morrow, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. H. C. Lutz, pastor of the United Evangelical church. Mrs. J. P. Morrow sang a solo. Interment was made in Dauphin cemetery.

Mrs. Theodore Lannert, of Williamsport, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Conrad.

Miss Marian Minsker is home from West Chester Normal School to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Minsker.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koons and daughter, Helen Lucille, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. David Garman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Forney, Edgar and Ethel Forney, who are spending the winter in Harrisburg, spent several days in town.

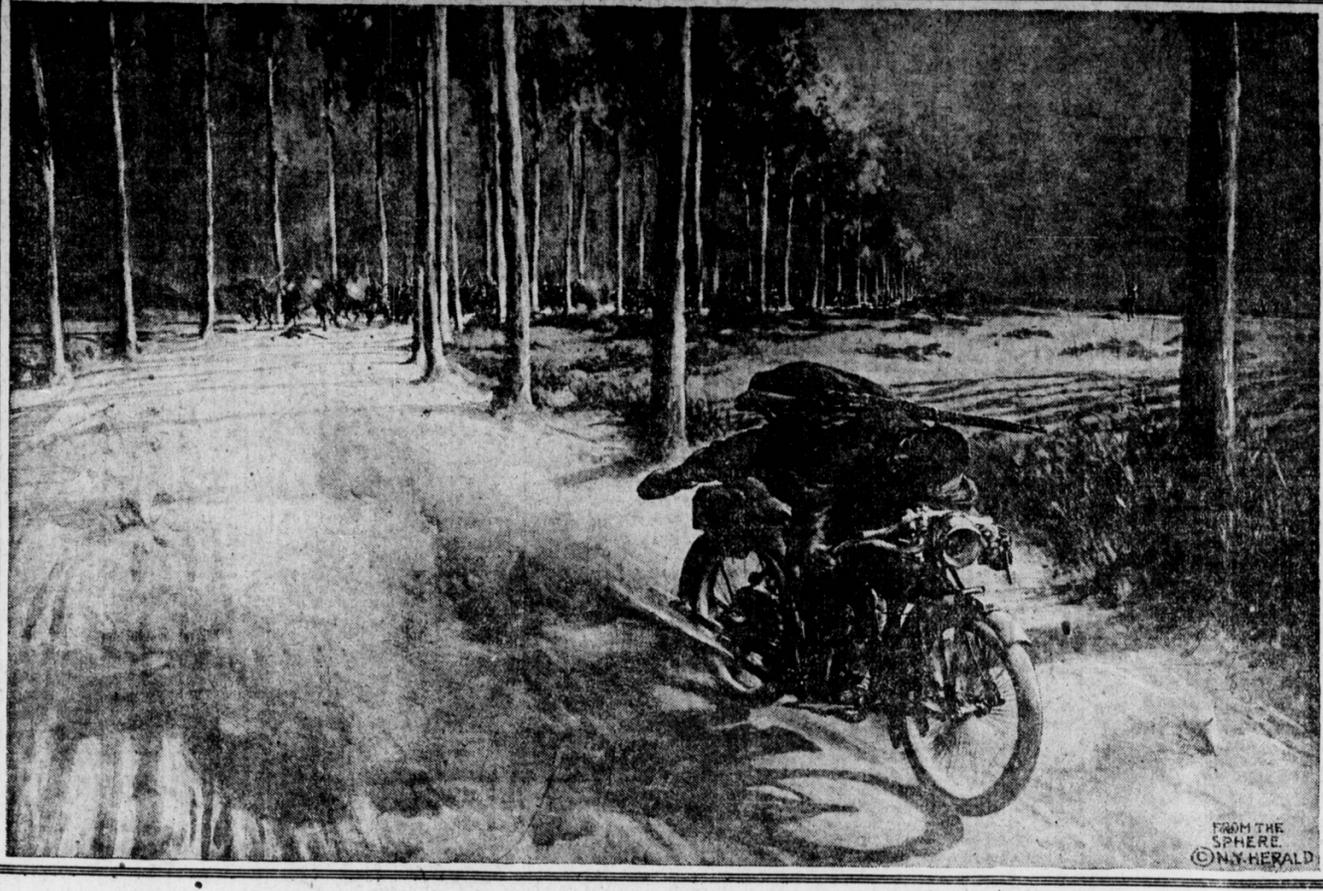
George Denison, Jr., and Chambers Denison are home from West Chester Normal School.

Miss Bertha L. Gayman is home from Patton, Pa.

The Presbyterian Christmas entertainment was held on Wednesday evening. The church was beautifully decorated with ropes of spruce, poinsettia, Christmas bells and a Christmas tree, beside which was a spacious chimney, through which Santa Claus made his appearance. The Dauphin band assisted with the music and the little folks in a cantata entitled, "Down the Chimney Will Santa Claus," made an interesting program.

The United Evangelical church held its annual Christmas entertainment on Christmas eve. The decorations con-

EXCITING MOONLIGHT ENCOUNTER BETWEEN A DISPATCH RIDER AND PARTY OF UHLANS



FROM THE SPHERE. (C) N.Y. HERALD

EVAN ISACKER, despatch bearer to the general staff of the Fourth Belgian Brigade, is the man on the motorcycle. The incident shown in the picture was one in which, after shooting one Uhlan, others appeared and pursued him. In describing his adventure the despatch bearer says:—"Not a moment was to be lost. I ran to my bicycle. I saw that there were quite forty Uhlans attracted by the shots, and they came galloping toward me. With a wild rush I pushed off my machine, and luckily it fired at once, and in a second I was in the saddle tearing down the road just as the first of the Uhlans came round the corner and started shooting, but four hundred yards away. Bullets whistled all around me, kicked up the dust in the road, struck the butt of my carbine, clanged on my gear case and back mudguard and pierced my cloak, floating out in the breeze, in no fewer than seven places. After several kilometres had flown under me I had outdistanced them, but I still kept on with my legs still bunched up on the front fender to avoid their bullets and with my nerves all in a jangle. In this state I was a danger to myself, and with such a powerful engine and at the reckless speed I was still driving there was bound to be an accident. At one bad corner I temporarily lost control; in the second there was a terrible crash and sudden oblivion. I was picked up by my own people, temporarily patched up at a local farmhouse, and later sent to Ghent, where I regained consciousness. I remained for a week at Ghent and was then discharged as being unfit for further service."

sisted of Christmas trees and Christmas bells and looked very attractive. An interesting program was rendered and the children showed the true Christmas spirit in the way in which they took part.

Funeral services of Mrs. Sarah Conrad will be held on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock at her late home. The Rev. H. C. Lutz, pastor of the United Evangelical church, will have charge of the service, assisted by the Rev. J. P. Morrow, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church. Interment will be made in Dauphin cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Speece, of Speecheville, spent Christmas with Mrs. Mary Cofford.

Charles Snyder, of Norristown, spent several days with his sister, Mrs. William Valentine.

Mrs. John Malhorn and son, James, are visiting in Williamsport.

Miss Goldie Douglas, of Harrisburg, is the guest of Miss Mary Greenwalt.

William Bell Clark, of Philadelphia, spent Christmas with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Kinter and children, Gilbert and Evelyn, are spending the week with Mrs. Frank Sanford, Washington, D. C.

HERSHEY

Christ Foltz, a West Point Cadet, is Visiting Friends

Special Correspondence. Hershey, Dec. 26.—Miss Mary Burch is spending the holidays at Williamsport.

The Rev. N. L. Linebaugh and family are spending Christmas with relatives at York.

J. B. Leifhiser transacted business at Lancaster.

Miss Alice Elder is spending the holiday season with her mother at Saltsburg.

Mrs. H. W. Stine is visiting relatives at Elizabethtown.

Robin Margaret and Chance Phillips left for Springfield, Ohio, where they will spend the holidays with their parents.

M. S. Hershey and John E. Snyder were guests at the dinner tendered by

the Lancaster people to Mr. McClain, recently elected Lieutenant Governor of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. J. E. Snyder spent a few days at Lancaster.

The Rev. O. G. Romig, of Tower City, spent a few days here with his family.

Paul Moyer, of Chicago, Ill., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Moyer, at Derry Church.

Miss Carrie Dressler is spending a week at Elizabethtown, the guest of Miss Ruth Hershey.

Christ Foltz, a cadet at West Point, is spending the holiday season with relatives in this section.

ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE

Action of the Air When an Electric Bulb Explodes

If a small lump of ice is placed on a plate and light allowed to fall on it through an ordinary reading glass so that the burning focus comes within the ice a very interesting thing may be seen. The ice will begin to melt

inside at the point of focus. As ice shrinks on melting, a space will be left on account of the melted ice not taking up so much room as it did when it was ice. This space is almost a vacuum and is filled with water vapor of very small pressure.

If the piece of ice be left in the sun to melt from the outside in, as it usually does, the walls of the previously made hole gets thinner and thinner. As the pressure of the atmosphere is fifteen pounds to the square inch and as the pressure inside the hole is very slight, there will come a time when the outside air pressure will collapse the ice with an explosive sound.

The same phenomenon is apparent when an electric bulb is broken. People say it explodes, but as a matter of fact it is crushed inward on all sides by the atmospheric pressure. But it is known by every one that pieces of glass fly to every corner of the room when a bulb explodes, and the fact of its being crushed is not so easily seen.

The only explanation as to why glass flies everywhere instead of nicely collapsing into a closely packed mass of

cracked glass at the center of the defunct bulb is that as two pieces on opposite sides are hurled inward toward the center they do not always exactly strike each other and may miss each other altogether. When they do this of course they keep on as they were going—right into different parts of the room. So if a person holds a bulb painted on one side only, with the painted side away from his face and with the clear side directly in front of his face and breaks it, he will find that most of the glass striking him will be painted and that in the room opposite him will not be. Right at his feet should be pieces of both—A. L. Hodges in Chicago Herald.

Pretty Quick

Officer—"You say the chauffeur sounded his horn just as the machine struck the man?"

Witness—"Yes, sir."

Officer—"Was the victim instantly killed?"

Witness—"So instantly, sir, that he must have heard the echo of that horn in the next world."

RUSHING THE WORK ON NEW MOTION PICTURE THEATRE

Contractors Expect to Have the "Regent," of Which Peter Magaro is Owner, Ready for Business Early in the New Year

The contractor and sub-contractors are rushing work on the handsome new motion picture theatre to be known as the Regent, at 410 Market street, with the expectation of having it completed and open for high-class screen productions early in the new year.

This new house, which is being erected for Peter Magaro, who has had wide experience as a motion picture exhibitor in this and other cities, will be as comfortable as modern methods in theatre building can make it, and will be most attractive both from an artistic and decorative point of view.

The Regent in the heart of the downtown business and shopping district, is designed not only as a place of amusement and recreation for Harrisburg's rapidly growing horde of motion picture patrons, but will provide a delightful retreat for tired shoppers, who will be enabled to find rest in the beautiful upholstered chairs that will be installed, as well as pleasure in witnessing the elaborate feature film productions that Mr. Magaro is booking for this theatre. Being almost directly opposite to the entrance to the Pennsylvania railroad station, it affords an ideal spot for the traveling public to stop while waiting for trains.

The Regent will be one of the largest motion picture theatres in the city and will have a seating capacity of 1,000 persons. The building is being erected in strict conformity with the new regulations of the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry and this insures the greatest amount of protection from fires, and first-class sanitary conditions. Modern methods of ventilation are being introduced, and an ample number of emergency exits constructed; the aisles are wide and the spacing of the seats sufficiently large to prevent any discomfort and overcrowding.

Special efforts are being made to make the exterior and the interior of the theatre pleasing to the eye. The interior especially, said Mr. Magaro today, will be decorated in a most beautiful way. Oil paintings by artists of ability will form a conspicuous feature of the mural decorations.

Mr. Magaro says he is now negotiating with the leading film concerns of the country with a view of obtaining the best attractions for his house. He promises to provide his patrons with picture-plays enacted by the leading actors and actresses now posing before the camera, and promises that many of the most successful stars of the theatrical world will be introduced on the screen for the entertainment of the patrons of the Regent.

The management is at present working out plans for the placing of an elaborate illuminated electric sign on the roof of the theatre, which will make the Regent one of the brightest spots on brilliantly-lighted Market street. This sign will be 25 feet high, illustrating a woman diver who will climb to the top of a ladder and plunge into water, all depicted in different colored electric lights. The whole design will be most realistic.

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CAPTURE OF GERMAN FORCE BY CAMERON HIGHLANDERS IN FIGHTING AROUND YPRES



The above incident has been personally recounted to Mr. F. Matania by A. H. Beard, a private, who was wounded in the engagement described and pictured above. Beard is now recovering at the University College Hospital. The incident took place at Langemark, in the Yser country. A force of about a hundred Germans had been compelled to take cover behind a mill and a small house. The house was rendered untenable by British artillery fire, and a small force of Cameron Highlanders by a rapid rush were able to round up a superior number of Germans, who were compelled to hold up their hands until a sufficiently strong guard arrived.

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