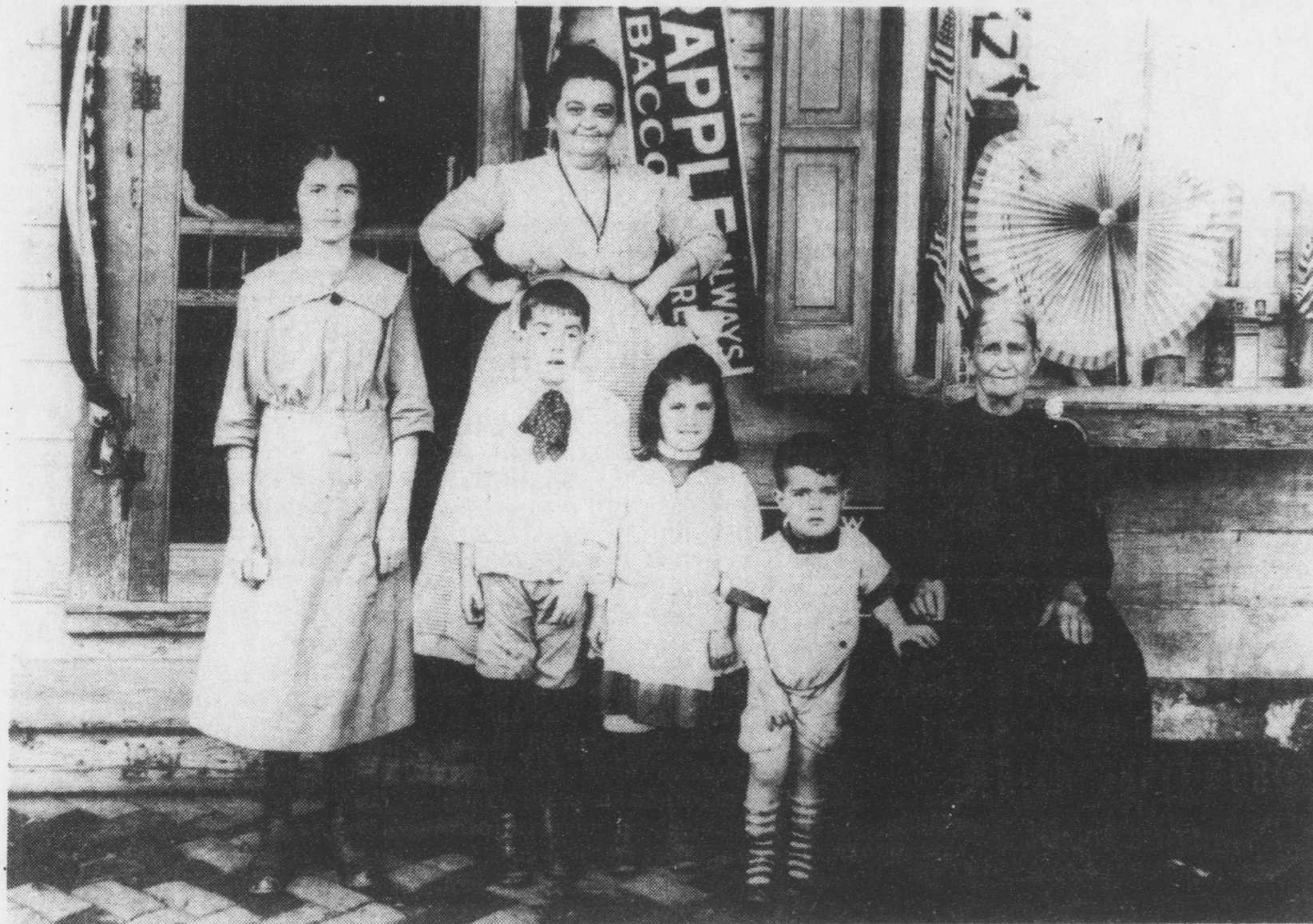


Old photo of 1912 'Old Home Week'



This photo was taken in 1912 during Old Home Week. The background is a store operated by Mr. and Mrs. William Billett, Sr. The lady standing in back is Mrs. William Billett, Sr. In front, from left to right, are her

children; Emma, William, Jr., Ruth and Grant (now Rev. Grant Billett of York); and her mother, Mrs. Savina Dannelly.

Photo loaned by Edward S. Billett, Sr.

Friendship Fire Company plans mock accident as training drill

On Saturday, October 2, to kick off Fire Prevention Week, the Friendship Fire Company, Mount Joy, is planning a mock accident at the intersection of Delta and Main Streets. Approximate time will be 9:45a.m.

The "crash" will involve three cars, 8 to 10 patients, Friendship Fire Company No. 1 and Rheems and Hempfield ambulances.

One car will have a small fire in it. Several victims will be trapped. Hopefully, the public will turn out to see the Hurst Tool (known as the Jaws of Life) in action.

Mayor James Gingrich will be one of the "victims", as well as two police officers, four ambulance crew members and two Boy Scouts.

Drop tones will be hit to announce the drill, but the siren will not be activated.

On Saturday, October 2 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. local

fire chiefs will be in the Friendship Fire Co. station judging posters made by students from Seiler and Elmtree Elementary Schools (grades 1 - 6). The theme of the posters is "Learn Not To Burn." The judges will be Chief Berntheizel of Manheim, Chief Witmer of Salunga, Chief Hoffer of Mastersonville, Chief Johns of Maytown, Chief Geltmacher of Florin.

The poster contest winners will be announced next Monday. Winning posters will be placed in store windows in the Mount Joy business district.

Next Tuesday, the firemen will visit Seiler Elementary School to supervise fire drills, give tours of the truck, show films and discuss fire prevention.

They will also visit Elmtree Elementary School on Wednesday, October 6, and W.I. Beahm Junior High School on Friday, October

8. Other activities planned for fire prevention week are: a special early drill on Monday, October 4; bingo at the firehouse at 7:30p.m. on Wednesday, October 6; display of fire apparatus and ambulance in front of Hostetter's Hardware Store on Friday, October 8, from 6 to 8:30 p.m.; an open house at the firehouse from 9 to 2 p.m. on October 9; and a demonstration of the Hurst Tool at 2 p.m. in Elizabethtown on Sunday, October 10.

On Thursday, October 7, at the monthly meeting of the Friendship Fire Company, poster winners will be present before the meeting to tour the facilities with their parents. Prizes will be awarded to poster winners before the meeting. First prize is a \$25.00 bond, second prize is \$10.00, and there will be honorable mention awards.

Harry Zuchs celebrate 62nd wedding anniversary on Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zuch, 200 East Market Street, Marietta, quietly celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary on Friday, September 24th. They were married in Detroit, MI in the Lutheran Church in 1914. The couple have three sons: Frank, San Fernando, CA; Rev. Robert T. Zuch, Easton; and Charles T., Clear Water, FL. There are twelve grandchildren and three

great grandchildren. Mr. Zuch is a life member of the Pioneer Fire Company. He served as Superintendent of the Lutheran Sunday School for 16 years.

Originally an iron molder by trade, he worked on the railroad, at Lavina Furnace and as an insurance agent. Harry was Justice of the Peace for six years and secretary-treasurer of the

Marietta Cemetery. The Zuchs are members of the Zion Lutheran Church and the Marietta Senior League.

Mrs. Zuch, the former Lucy Tompson, is a life member of the Marietta Auxiliary of the Columbia Hospital, the Eastern Star, Lancaster County Historical Society, and Donegal Society. She is a graduate of Marietta High School.

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