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NEWS TOLD IN BRIEF.

Local Happenings as Reported by Our Many Reporters.

Myra Both went to Middletown on Tuesday.

Amos Eicherley bought a fine colt this week.

Grant Eby of New York City is here on a visit.

Charles Winters of Frazer, is home for several days.

John Menaugh left on Wednesday for Philadelphia.

Mrs. Jacob Geib of Mount Joy, was in town on Wednesday.

Harry Flowers of Rosemont paid a short visit to friends in town.

William Widman jr. is papering the interior of the M. E. Church.

James Whiteleather resumed his duties as watchman on Friday.

Clinton Longenecker and wife of Maytown, were in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Cyrus White of Sporting Hill is the guest of Mrs. Amelia Weaver.

Mrs. H. Brehm, of Middletown is visiting the family of Frank Fornwalt.

Mrs. Emanuel Hendrix moved her household effects to Philadelphia this week.

Messers Ephram Heiner and Grant Eby made a trip to Palmyra on Wednesday.

Frank Klugh left for Lancaster after being off duty for some time due to an accident.

Miss Lizzie Mickey returned home on Monday after spending several days at Lancaster.

Rev. John Longnecker of this place has an apple tree with a number of blossoms on it.

The personal property of Barbara Hershey deceased was sold at public sale on Tuesday.

Frank Widman had his hand hurt in a drill press at Lancaster and is home with his parents.

Watches and clocks repaired promptly by Harry Peopple, Mount Joy, and guaranteed.

Card Muslemann of Berwyn spent several days with his parents, Harry and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Eby and wife are very busy on account of the wedding of their daughter.

El. Weaver has rented his property to C. L. Peirce the popular auctioneer who will occupy it on April 1st.

John Nissley lectured to a very large audience in the M. E. church last Saturday evening on his tour of the world.

Christ Risser and Frank Widman killed 42 blackbirds by shooting only ten times on Tuesday. Quite a record boys.

John Mumma, wife and children of Salunga were the guests of J. S. Carmany and family on Saturday and Sunday.

John E. Nissley and wife left here on Monday for Topeka, Kansas, which will terminate their tour around the world.

Rev. H. M. Miller preached his farewell sermon in the United Brethren church last Sunday evening to a large congregation.

The catch gate at Hiestand's Hill will soon be vacated, as old Mr. Holloway does not expect to stay after the cold weather begins.

Oliver Snyder arrived home on Monday to attend school after spending several months on the farm in the vicinity of Mastersonsville.

Mrs. John Raffensberger and Mrs. George Whitecamp were at Reist's peach orchard on Wednesday where they purchased fine fruit.

Emerson Luellian manager of the Hesston Creamery company at Newton, Kansas, is the guest of his father-in-law David B. Brandt of near town.

75 first-class apple trees for Fall planting. Smith's Cider, York Imperial and Smokehouse. Will be sold at wholesale prices. Inquire at this office.

John Raffensberger and wife attended the funeral of Charles Finley at Bainbridge on Wednesday. The deceased was a native of Columbia and was hurt on the railroad.

Last Friday evening George Whitecamp of this place, while riding from

here to Mount Joy, fell off his bicycle at J. E. Longenecker's residence and bruised his left arm very badly.

Elvin Baker left on Saturday for Dillsburg to witness a game of base ball but arriving at Harrisburg seventeen minutes too late to make connections, went to Highspire, where he paid his attention to the fall sex over Sunday.

A lecture and entertainment prepared by Mrs. H. E. Monroe, entitled "Story of the Reformation," under the auspices of the English Lutheran church, will be given in the opera house, Maytown, this evening at 8 o'clock. Admission, 25 and 35 cents.

Death at Maytown.

Abraham S. Rhoads one of the oldest residents of Maytown died last Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He was in his eightieth year and died of infirmities incident in his advanced age. In early life he was a farmer, but had retired from active labor many years, and for the past twelve years had resided with a sister, Mrs. Susan Brandt, at Maytown. He had never been married. He is survived by two brothers and two sisters: Levi Rhoads, of Drumore township; George Rhoads, of near Maytown; Mrs. Benjamin Hoffman of Maytown and Mrs. Susan Brandt, of Maytown. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from the Lutheran Church, Maytown, of which deceased was a member and interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Mount Joy Items.

Mrs. P. J. Dieter of this place, who is sole agent for a number of publishing houses, has added to her large list of books "The Life of McKinley" which is a very valuable publication giving a full sketch of his life, assassination, funeral, anarchism, etc.

Mrs. Christian Metzler who resides three miles north of this place, died on Sunday morning of dropsy of the heart in her 49th year. The funeral was held on Wednesday forenoon at Risser's meeting house with interment in the Milton Grove cemetery.

Martin L. Greider of this place exhibited his tobacco planters at the County fair this week.

Railroad Sued for Damages.

C. Eugene Montgomery and Willis G. Kendig, attorneys for Abraham B. and Sarah Kreider, have brought suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. It is alleged that one night in April last Mrs. Kreider alighted from a train at Salunga. She claims that it did not stop at the proper place, and when she stepped off in the darkness she fell beside the platform, sustaining serious injuries from which she has not recovered, and for which she seeks damages.

Death of an Aged Lady.

Mrs. Anna Engle, widow of Jacob Engle, died on Sunday morning at the home of her son-in-law, Rev. Daniel Wolgemuth, in Mt. Joy township, in the ninetieth year of her age. Her death was due to infirmities incident to her age. The following children survive: John M., of Dickinson county, Kansas; Harry M., of Rapho township; Fannie, wife of Rev. Daniel Wolgemuth, and Rev. Eli M. Engle, living near Newtown, this county. Deceased was a consistent member of the River Brethren Church for about seventy years. The funeral was held on Thursday at 9:30 at Mount Pleasant meeting house, about two miles north of this place.

A Mad Dog Scare.

Seemingly a mad dog made its appearance in this place about 6 o'clock on Tuesday evening. Fanny Hike was the first person to come in contact with the canine and was bit in the hand. The animal came down Main street and at the post office it caught Mrs. Emma Grosh by the wrist of her garment. She struck at the dog to defend herself and it leaped for her shoulder but with no serious results. The animal went down Main street and came in contact with Emlin Buller's dog and when near the residence of John Myers east of town Abram Stauffer shot it.

William Myers Dead.

William Myers, a well-known resident of Conov township, died on Monday morning about seven o'clock, at the home of his son-in-law, Allen King, a half-mile north of Bainbridge, from heart disease. Mr. Myers was in his seven-sixth year. The funeral took place on Thursday morning with short services at the house at 9:30 o'clock and at the German Baptist Church, Elizabethtown, at ten o'clock. Interment in Mount Tunnel Cemetery.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

The Regular Attendants of Our Various Township Schools.

The following reports of the numerous schools in this vicinity, will be published free of charge if sent to this office by the teachers:

Report of the Donegal school, J. M. Eeb teacher, for the month of September. The following pupils have attended every day: Minnie Witmer, Ada Stoner, Helen Risser, Dora Wintermyer, Ada Hensley, Elsie Lutz, Katie Zook, Stella Brandt, Annie Drager, Florence Shearer, Katie Hersh, Hiram Nissley, Howard Risser, Robt. Zook, Elmer Witmer, Walter Drager and Roy Schroll. The following have been admitted during the month and have since been present every day: Jennie Brandt, Barbara Martin, Willis Hersh, Raymond Zook, Chester Livengood, Arthur Martin and Clarence Walker. Whole number of pupils enrolled during the month, 37. On account of sickness in several families, the per cent. of attendance for the month is 96. The teacher wishes to extend a special invitation to his patrons to visit the school.

Following is the report of the Florin Grammar school, Clarence A. Wiley, teacher, for the first month ending Sept. 27, 1901. No. of pupils enrolled, girls 14, boys 9. Average attendance, girls 95, boys 94. Average percentage of attendance 94%. The following visits were paid the school: Robt. Menaugh, Frank Klugh, Samuel flowers and Prof. A. B. Root. The following pupils were present every day: Grace I. Eicherly, Stella P. Ishler, Minnie M. Young, Anna S. Stella S. and Gertrude S. Haldeman, Dora flowers, Laura L. Martin, W. Roy Ishler, Walter and Paul Brandt. Patrons and friends of education are invited to co-operate with us.

Following is the report of the Florin Grammar school, Anna May Hoover, teacher, for the first month ending Sept. 27. No. of pupils enrolled, males 18, females 14. Average attendance, male 15, females 13. Percentage of attendance, males 97, females 97. Average percentage of attendance 96%. Pupils present every day during month: Ada Breneman, Edna Breneman, Mierva Dyer, Esther flowers, Mary flowers, Miriam Gohl, Fannie Kline, Esther Miller, Frank Dyer, Grover Eichler, John Eichler, Harry Kline, Roy Stoll, Ray Vogle, Phares Weaver, Willie Weaver, Oscar Young.

Report of Breneman's school, N. S. Gantz teacher. Following are the names of the pupils who have attended every day during the first month: Mamie Witmer, Ada Weaver, Annie Gantz, Annie Sherer, Lizzie Sherer, Gertrude Sherer, Mabel Kolp, Lizzie Kolp, Barbara Earhart, Katie Witmer, Jno. Gantz, Elvin Schwanger. Per cent of attendance during the month, males 87, females 99, total 93. The school is in a prosperous and thriving condition with prospects of an increase in number.

The following pupils attended the Joint school, J. W. Hershey teacher, every day during the first month ending Sept. 27: Edna Enterline, Naomi Enterline, Myrtle Groff, Anna Henry, Sarah Henry, Gertrude Wormley, Annie Kuhns, Levi Henry, Frank Peirce and Clement Wormley.

Real Estate Sales.

Jonas L. Minnich auctioneer, sold at public sale last Saturday afternoon for Mary B. Myers, executrix, the following real estate:

No. 1—A farm containing 35 acres and 34 perches situate at the Cross Roads, was withdrawn at \$8000.00. Later same was sold in addition to a lot in Florin, to E. L. Nissley, at private sale for \$10,000.00.

No. 2—Four lots of ground in Florin to Henry Sheets for \$297.00.

No. 3—Three lots of ground in Florin, with improvements, to J. S. Carmany for \$340.00.

Jacob Sticker this week purchased the Ishler property on Market street.

The heirs of David Brandt, deceased sold a farm with improvements, near Keener's mill, for \$1,425. The purchaser was David K. Brandt.

The improved 25-acre farm of Mrs. Maria Cassel near Sporting Hill, was withdrawn at \$219. per acre.

The administrators of Elias H. Geib disposed of a farm of 77 acres with improvements near Mastersonsville, for \$160. per acre to Mrs. Eliza Geib.

G. S. Hackman has purchased at public sale the A C Good farm, containing 47 acres of land, with improvements near Milton Grove, for \$3,000.

Who Has The Biggest?

Quite a spirited discussion took place at one of our leading business places on Monday evening in reference to which had the "biggest evening." After a close inspection the same evening it was finally agreed upon that C. A. Wiley, John Morton and H. B. Nissley had equally fine crops. All three crops are hard to beat.

Bought at Landisville.

Frank H. Shenck, for some years past proprietor of the Bee Hive store at Ephrata has purchased the Cooper store stand at Landisville, and will, after having disposed of his present stock, assume charge of his new stand; This is an old stand located in the neighborhood of his old home and presents a better business opportunity.

"And you are sure you never really loved anyone before?" she said, soulfully.

"Well," answered the conscientious young man who tries to be accurate, "of course that may be only an impression of mine. It is, I have an idea, with love as it is with the climate. We have hot waves every year, but we invariably labor under the belief that the one on hand is about the only genuine, out and out spell of summer weather we ever experienced."—Washington Star.

Some Worldly Gradations.
If you juggle with trust funds and secure a million clear, you then may be considered as an able financier.
If you steal a hod of coal when in need of some relief, you then will be considered as an ordinary thief.
—Chicago Evening Post.

A Typical South African Store.

O. R. Larson of Bay Villa, Sundays River, Cape Colony, conducts a store typical of South Africa, at which can be purchased anything from the proverbial "needle to an anchor." This store is situated in a valley nine miles from the nearest railway station and about thirty-five miles from the nearest town. Mr. Larson says: "I am favored with the custom of farmers within a radius of thirty miles, to many of whom I have supplied Chamberlain's Remedies. All testify to their value in a household where a doctor's advice is almost out of question. Within one mile of my store the population is perhaps sixty. Of these, within the past twelve months, no less than fourteen have been absolutely cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This must surely be a record." For sale by J. S. Carmany, Florin.

Marked Improvements.

Vast improvements are being made at the Pennsylvania Railroad in the vicinity of Rheems, and we feel gratified in saying that in course of time, four tracks will be laid through this place. The tracks between here and Rheems have been straightened more or less and there are already four tracks laid at Rheems and bright prospects for their extension both east and west. This will make traffic through town about three times what it is at present.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Henderson Grinnet, of this place, was stricken with partial paralysis and completely lost the use of one arm and side. After being treated by an eminent physician for quite a while without relief, his wife recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and after using two bottles of it he is almost entirely cured. —George R. McDonald, Man, Logan county, W. Va. Several other very remarkable cures of partial paralysis have been effected by the use of this liniment. It is most widely known, however, as a cure for rheumatism, neuralgia and bruises. For sale by J. S. Carmany.

Fine Bike Wagon.

Young Brothers have lately finished the finest vehicle seen in this section. It is a bike wagon with the running gears painted London Smoke, body neutral oxyn and bears a set of Victor rubber tires. Due to its catchy appearance, the wagon was at once sold to Harry Peirce, of Columbia. The firm now has an order for an exact duplicate of the one owned by Mr. Peirce.

Church Chronicle.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Preaching every Sunday evening at 7 p. m. by the pastor and Rev. John Boehm on alternate evenings. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Sabbath School at 9 a. m., Amos Risser Superintendent. Class meeting Sunday morning at 10 a. m. Prayer-meeting Thursdays 7 p. m. Rev. Wayne Chamell pastor, Rev. John Lochm assistant pastor.

Another Handsome Wagon.

Young Brothers, of Florin, have turned out another handsome two-horse delivery wagon for William Ziegler, bottler, on Plane street. The wagon is artistically painted and in general makes a good appearance. —Columbia Daily News.

A Second Set of Blossoms.

Amos Eshleman, who resides near the red barn, near Marietta, along the Columbia and Donegal railway, has two sour cherry trees that have put forth the second set of leaves and are full of blossoms. —Manheim Sentinel.

Death of a Young Lady.

Miss Mame Frey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Frey, died at her home, in Manheim borough, at six o'clock Tuesday morning. The cause of death was bowel trouble, after a brief illness.

For Sale.

C. H. Zeller, real estate agent at Mount Joy, offers for sale the Metzfoth property in Florin, (formerly the Mumma property) For price, etc, call at his office, No. 53 East Main street, Mount Joy, Pa.

A new remedy for biliousness is now on sale at Carmany's store. It is called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. It gives quick relief and will prevent the attack if given as soon as the first indication of the disease appears. Price 25 cents per box. Samples free.

Pool Table For Sale.

A good second-hand pool table, size 4 1/2 by 8 feet. Also a full set of ivory balls and full rack of cues. All to be sold very cheap. Apply at this office.

When you have no appetite, do not relish your food and feel dull after eating you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25 cents. Samples free at Carmany's store.

AS GOOD AS A SEA SERPENT.

A Large Meteorite Falls at a Seaside Summer Resort and Relieves the Monotony.

The sea serpent has failed to put in his annual appearance at the coast resorts this summer, but a substitute has been found, says an eastern exchange. Atlantic City was startled the other day when an unusually loud clap of thunder, accompanied by a blinding flash of lightning and a slight trembling of the earth, occurred shortly after four o'clock. At first it was thought that the bolt had struck a large building, but this was found to be incorrect.

Later it was learned that a large meteorite weighing nearly three tons had fallen upon Chelsea Heights, almost a mile north of Columbia avenue and across the Beach thoroughfare. It had fallen upon a piece of waste land and had buried itself to a depth of nearly ten feet in the soil. The shape of the mass of mineral matter from space is somewhat irregular, though resembling to a slight degree an egg flattened upon one side, with a corresponding protuberance upon the other. Its color is a bluish gray, streaked with bright scintillating lines, which run irregularly across the upper portion. The presence of sulphur was observed from the smell which permeated the air for several feet around it.

All day long crowds went over to gaze upon this strange visitor from other worlds. It is said that a local scientist has communicated with the Smithsonian institution in Washington as to what shall be done with the meteorite.

UNENVIABLE DISTINCTION.

Disgraceful and Deplorable Death of the Worst Defeated General of Modern Times.

Gen. Oreste Baratieri, who died in the Austrian Tyrol recently, at the age of 60 years, achieved five years ago last spring the distinction of being the worst defeated general of modern times, reports the New York Mail and Express. He was the commander in chief of the ill-fated Italian Abyssinian expedition. With an army of about 44,000 men under him at the beginning of the fighting Baratieri was utterly routed, and the greater part of his force killed or captured, by the brave and mobile Shoans, who were fighting for their independence. He had the misfortune to escape to the coast him-

self, having abandoned his general's uniform and Dabornida, in a military tri- of royalty see very distinguished guests. In country houses the rooms forms a self- which even a garden is attached, and dinner is only household me- guests are expected to share hostess and the latter's family.

Baratieri, a native of Austria, had been one of Garibaldi's red-shirts, with Crispi, and had been favored by the powers that were. He was brave at Marsala, and if he had died at Adowa leading his men, as Dabornida did, he might have saved his reputation, not as a general, but as a fighter. As it was, he died in disgrace.

THE POPULAR POTATO.

It Is Regarded as a Strange That Everybody Eats a Vegetable of So Little Nutrient.

One of the best known physicians in Worcester declares the potato family a blessing in disguise, if people will replace the potato with substitutes of greater food value. He thinks, as we do, that there is none of the articles of food in common use that contain so little nutrient as the potato, and many others furnish more in smaller amounts at much less relative cost. He especially names shredded wheat, rice, raw cabbage and fruits as more nourishing than potatoes—and, in fact, all grain foods, says the Boston Budget.

When the potato rot brought famine to Ireland the people of that country were not prepared to resist it, as they were probably at the lowest condition, both mentally and physically, that the people of that country ever were, and thousands whose subsistence had been for years upon that root perished from famine; then America sent them ship loads of corn and other provisions, and those who could do so emigrated to this country, where they found work and food. Now there are those who are asking Ireland to ship us all the potatoes they can spare, not as a charity, but in return for such food products as we have in abundance, or for our good money. The man who gives a peck of corn for a bushel of potatoes is making a poor trade, as far as food properties go.

When Grace Was Said.
A Barnard college girl tells in the New York Times of visiting in a household where grace was said at the table—semioccasionally. Her curiosity got the better of her, and she asked the mistress of the house why they didn't observe the rite regularly. "Why," said the lady with some surprise, "we say grace only when we have reason to be thankful. We never dream of giving thanks when we have only roast beef or beefsteak, or some simple thing like that. But whenever we have game or something really nice then we say grace, for it's worth while."

Witchcraft in Normandy.

Superstition of the grossest kind still flourishes all over Normandy. A most respectable old gentleman recently died in a village near Dieppe, who, although he was both wealthy and charitable, had for years before his death been under taboo by the villagers. He had the reputation of being a sorcerer. The belief in witches and sorcerers is still rampant at the beginning of the twentieth century all over this province. These evilly disposed persons, such is the popular credence, can cast spells, whereby cattle peak and pine and harvests fail. This in a province where there are the shrewdest heads in France. And it is in the rural districts only that these absurd beliefs obtain. I was in Rome some time ago—the capital of Normandy—and found there flourishing a superstition and its resultant rites which date from before the Christian era, and more than 20 centuries before our era.—Boston Transcript.

A Tall Smoke Column.

During the burning of the Standard Oil company's tanks at Bayonne, N. J., in July, 1900, an immense column of smoke, shaped at the top like an umbrella, rose into the air, where very little wind was stirring, to an elevation, measured by triangulation, of 13,411 feet, or more than 250 miles and a half. Above the column white clouds formed in an otherwise cloudless sky, and remained visible for two days, the fire continuing to burn and the smoke to rise. After the explosion of a gas oil-tank flames shot up to a height of 3,000 feet, and the heat radiated from them was felt at a distance of a mile and three-quarters, where it was more noticeable than close to the fire.—Youth's Companion.

Long in England's Service.

It appears that the 69 years of the Sprague family in the Gibraltar consulate are outdone by the services of the Fox family at Falmouth, England, which has lasted 107 years, the first American consul there having been Robert W. Fox, grandfather of the present incumbent, whom President Washington appointed May 30, 1794. The present consul's son is vice consul, and is likely to succeed his father, as the salary is but \$300 a year, though it is said that office-seekers are in the habit of representing to every administration that this important stipend is being wasted on Englishmen.—N. Y. Sun.

Unsociability of Royalty.

England is not inviting to general sociability. It is only happens that the royal family see very distinguished guests. In country houses the rooms forms a self- which even a garden is attached, and dinner is only household me- guests are expected to share hostess and the latter's family.

The Greatest Grapevine.

North Carolina can boast the largest grapevine in the world. It is on the farm of B. F. Meekins, Roanoke Island, not far from the site of Fort Raleigh and near the birthplace of Virginia Dare. It is claimed that the vine was planted by Sir Walter Raleigh's ill-fated colony in 1587. It is of the Scuppernon variety, covers an acre of ground, and yields about a ton of grapes annually.—Iowa State Register.

Siamese Don't Want Christianity.

Hamilton King, consul general of the United States in Siam, says the people of that country do not want the Christian religion. They are believers in the Buddhist faith, and the faith of their fathers, of their king and of their country. But the king is willing they should learn of Christianity, and missionary work goes on unhindered.—Indianapolis Journal.

Not Popular with the Small Boy.

Small Girl—What do you think about men and boys wearing girls' shirt waists, anyway?
Small Boy (in his sister's bloomers and shirt waist, savagely)—I don't like it! It was bad enough when we boys had to wear our big brother's old clothes, but I kick at having to wear out my sister's old things, too.

Natural Question to Ask.

"We must have an interview with the heroine of that scandal," asserted the managing editor of the sensational sheet.
"But the details are all known," protested the city editor. "What is there left to ask her?"
"She should be asked," replied the managing editor thoughtfully, "whether it is her intention to write a novel or go on the stage."—Chicago Post.

A Profit in Sight.

"Yes," said the man who prides himself on being exceedingly astute, "I lent him an umbrella."
"I am surprised at that. When his unreliability about umbrellas is one of his chief characteristics?"
"Yes. But I lent it with the understanding that he is to bring me back the one he gets in its place."—Washington Star.

'Twas Ever Thus.

Jones, like a fool, had poked his nose 'twixt man and wife—and got the blow. Quoth Jones: "It has been truly said. Fools rush in where angels fear to tread."—Chicago Daily News.