

# THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

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FLORIN, PENNA., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1902.

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## LOCAL NOTES.

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**Milton Grove**  
Our neighbors are out in search of dandelion, which is producing abundantly.  
Trailing arbutus is covering the surface near the creamery in prolific abundance.  
The supervisors are kept busy repairing the roads which were in a detestable condition.  
Attorney William Hollowbush and Morris Groff of Mount Joy, were callers in town last Friday.  
Peter Brehm the popular miller at Keener's mill will relinquish the milling business on April 1st, and live retired for a year at least.  
The Milton Grove Creamery company, is having a well drilled on the land of E. F. Grosh; Mr. Freck of Elizabethtown has the contract.  
Frank B. Grosh has been appointed a general organizer for the Home Correspondence, of Springfield, Mass. He entered upon his duties on Tuesday.  
The social party at the Milton Grove hotel last Wednesday evening was a grand success. William Gantz of Marietta was present and made the occasion a pleasant one.  
The Milton Grove Creamery Company met last week in the office of Squire Frank B. Grosh and elected a board of managers. The officers for the ensuing year are Aaron Dillinger, president; Frank B. Grosh secretary, and Amos Gibble, treasurer.  
The following changes of residences in this vicinity took place last week: Abram Fry moved from this place to the Lehman farm near the Hill church; John Wittle to the Hiestand farm near Maytown; George Hossler to the Samuel Snavelly farm; Peter Snavelly to Elizabethtown; John Fry from the Enterline farm to Elizabethtown.

**Mastersonville Mites**  
The local school term closed on Tuesday.  
The tobacco in this locality is nearly all sold.  
Isaac Wenger of near Mount Hope, moved into the Ebersole property on Thursday.  
Amos M. Hoffer received a carload of hay on Monday and is supplying this community.  
Nathan E. Ginder was re-elected assistant operator at our local creamery for the ensuing year.  
Mary Ann Baker, aged 84 years, recently pieced a quilt which showed rare skill in workmanship.  
Edward S. Spiekler left for Lancaster and will take a course at the Pennsylvania Business college.  
D. C. Owens, Lancaster, bought A. W. Shelly and Elmer Witmer's crops of tobacco at 8 1/2 and 1.  
Jacob B. Missemmer and Isaac Z. Hackman enrolled as students at the Elizabethtown college on Monday.  
Fat cattle seem to be in demand as dealers are through this section daily offering from 5 to 6 cents a pound.

**Marriage Ceremonies.**  
Last Tuesday, George Irvin Ishler and Mary Edith Klugh, both of this place, were united in marriage by Rev. Miller at the United Brethren parsonage.  
Harry Grosh, son of Henry Grosh of near Mount Joy, and Fannie Geib of this place, were united in marriage by Rev. H. M. Miller last evening at six o'clock at the bride's home in town.  
Harry Singer of Penn Argyle, and Ella Menaugh, a well known young lady of this place and daughter of J. H. Menaugh and wife, were married at 6 o'clock on Sunday morning at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. Miller in the presence of the parents of the contracting parties. The newly married couple went housekeeping in their home at Penn Ar-

**MOUNT JOY BOROUGH.**  
**Happenings of the Week Told in a Brief Yet Interesting Manner.**  
Andrew Widman is now working at Sumpman's broom factory.  
Harry Shelly of Columbia, is home nursing a very sore hand.  
The banks in this place observed Good Friday by remaining closed.  
A nearly new piano for sale cheap. Address box 275, Mount Joy, Pa.  
John C. Shelly, of Philadelphia, spent the Easter holidays in town.  
Charles Willer took charge of the Washington House yesterday.  
Frank Conrad has been appointed to collect the outstanding taxes of 1901.  
Charles Eby of Williamson school was the guest of his parents over Easter.  
O. K. Greenawalt on Monday moved into the property vacated by Harry Miller.  
Simon Heilig of Hummelstown, was transacting business in this vicinity last week.  
Watches and clocks repaired promptly by Harry Peopple, Mount Joy, and all work guaranteed.  
Mrs. T. F. McElligott won the barrel of flour chanced off by the local base ball club.  
The dancing party in the Mount Joy Hall on Easter Monday evening was well attended.  
James Glatfelter erected a very fine monument for the Hoffer estate in the Mount Joy cemetery.  
Newcomer's implement sale in this place on Saturday afternoon brought many people to town.  
The Foresters of this place have organized a new band. The instruments have already been ordered.  
For Sale—A solid walnut marble top bed room suite, half a century old. Apply to Mrs. John B. Myers, Mt. Joy.  
Benjamin Bender and Jerre Wintermoyer sold six acres of tobacco to John D. Skiles of Lancaster for 8 and 1.  
Sallie A. Webb of town, has applied for a divorce from Harry H. Webb on the ground of desertion.  
Thoroughbred Cochon Partridge and Single Combed Black Minorca eggs for hatching. 75c per 13. Apply at this office.  
Fred Farmer who was employed by H. S. Newcomer for some time past, is now a P. R. R. baggage master at Middletown.  
Harry Miller moved from West Main street to the property he recently purchased on Columbia Avenue on Thursday.  
H. H. Morton had charge of the auction at the Washington House on Saturday evening. He was reby "Pinky" Peffer.  
The seven-months-old son of Mrs. Della Albright of town, died on Sunday afternoon at 3.45, death resulting from spasms.  
Christ Hoffman severed his connections with the Elkhorn Steam Laundry on Friday. Mr. Hoffman expects to go west some time in May.  
John Smith who is hired with Jacob Zercher a short distance south of town, took a sneak on Sunday. He relieved Mr. Zercher of \$40 and a watch.  
Mrs. John Runk of Chester, was the guest of her daughter Mrs. Wm. Dillinger over Easter. During her stay here she made a pleasant call at this office.  
H. G. Stoler has re-rented the Phoenix saloon and will continue business. Tammany Hall will also continue and the occupants will not move into Dierolf's pavilion as recently announced.  
J. C. Cassel, general superintendent of the Norfolk and Western railroad; J. W. Cook, division superintendent of the same road; Frank Dillinger, just appointed superintendent of the Chapleau division of the Canadian Pacific—all three were Mount Joy boys years ago.

**General News of the Community.**  
Samuel R. Gish was appointed Auditor of West Donegal township, in place of Peter R. Gish deceased.  
Samuel J. Becker sold to Henry M. Nauman, 16 acres and 13 perches of land in Rapho; consideration, \$1,500.  
C. Eugene Montgomery, attorney for N. R. Hoffman, has issued an execution for \$617.40 against Harry Sweigart, of Conoy township.  
Frederick Strittmatter, of Ironville, committed suicide by hanging himself to a locust tree at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Rettew.  
Harry Dugan of Marietta, died on Sunday evening at the home of his sister Mrs. Mary Lindsay aged 56 years, death resulting from Bright's disease.  
Amos M. B. Heisey, a Rapho township farmer, born and reared in the county, never saw Lancaster. He has visited Harrisburg, Lebanon and some other places but he has never seen the city.  
During the past week six catboats which were formerly used on the Pennsylvania canal reached Marietta in the Susquehanna river. The boats will be taken through to the bay by psolots Frederick Waller and Isaiah Hipple.  
On Monday night burglars broke in the general hardware store of Aaron Dissinger, at Elizabethtown. They entered by smashing a window on the side of the building. They stole about \$250 worth of shoes, clothing and other goods.  
Daniel B. Bard, a son of Jacob Bard who resides on the road leading from Ironville to the Lancaster and Columbia turnpike, died at his father's home on Friday afternoon from the effects of typhoid fever. The deceased was 20 years of age.  
From the York County side of the river, near the mouth of Dugan's, run comes the report that Hiram Ely, in forty-eight hours caught 954 catfish. The catch was made in four nets. Not for many years, if ever before, were so many fish of this kind caught in so short a time.

**Donegal Springs**  
Farmers are busy plowing.  
John Martin sowed oats on Thursday.  
Herman Drager moved on Wednesday.  
Cyrus Schroll sowed a bed of tobacco seed on Monday.  
A good driving horse died for A. C. Rutherford on Thursday.  
C. C. Miller and Cyrus Schroll delivered their tobacco on Tuesday.  
While plowing on Friday Clayton Shearer unearthed a lot of locusts.  
D. P. Raffensberger accidentally fell down the hay hole one day last week. We are glad to say that he was only slightly injured.  
Der 'Bob' is in der shtolt gongom Mondawk moria fer groat plonsa Aer hut dri dutzet hame gabrocht un hut se gablonsed. Se vela net voxa. Ich denk aer hut se avenich su hot gadrickt.  
In last week's issue we noticed that Jacob Loraw of Florin saw a white robin. A certain Donegaler is trying to find something still more startling. He is looking for a white blackbird.

**Made a Change.**  
Rev. J. M. Shelly, pastor of the United Brethren church at Mount Joy, was appointed to the Hamburg Berks county charge of the M. E. Conference at the recent session of that body at Columbia. This office printed sale bills for the disposal of a lot of his household goods on Wednesday, (this afternoon) prior to his departure. Mr. Shelly's action is a great surprise to his former congregation here, who had no previous knowledge of his intention to sever his connection with the United Brethren church.

**Sporting Hill Items**  
Springtime has come.  
Messrs P. C. Geib and J. C. White sold their tobacco at 6 3/4 cents, and Joseph Werner at 7 and 1 to Mr. Longnecker, of Mount Joy.  
W. S. Machmer and wife, got company last Friday that came to stay. It is a bouncing girl with the head thickly covered with long dark hair.  
The people who are changing their places of residence are busy moving their household effects this week, as the roads and weather have been exceptionally fine.  
The attendance at the public schools is on the decrease. Chiques Hill, which had thirty-six enrolled, now has only twelve, and one of Mount Joy township schools has only seven pupils.  
The man who assited the two single ladies out of the quicksand, where they stuck and could neither moved forwards or backwards, the other week, thinks he ought to have received a sweet kiss from each of them as a reward.  
Among the Sunday visitors on the Hill we noticed Misses Annie and Lizzie Weidman, of near Manheim, with their father, Mr. Jacob S. Weidman; Jacob B. Kreider, of Brownstown, with friends; Frank Wedly, of Philadelphia, at Levi Fissel's; E. S. Sahn, of Penn township, and H. B. Gibble, of Elsonville, at Phares Gibble's; Miss Mamie Keener with Miss Mary Snyder.

**Joint and Vicinity.**  
The farmers are busy plowing and sowing oats at present.  
A flock of wild geese passed over this section on Sunday.  
Samuel Garber bought a fine driving horse last week.  
Mr. Bricker and family of near Mount Joy, were the guests of Henry Zeiger on Sunday.  
Ezra Zercher, a prominent farmer, who lived on his father's farm in this vicinity for the past 9 years, moved to his new home, about 1-2 mile south of Mount Joy. Mr. Zercher has as fine a home as can be desired and has a very pleasant location. The new barn has many conveniences which would be of interest to our numerous farmers.

**Happenings at Rheems Station.**  
A son was born to Henry Acher and wife.  
Our rising auctioneer C. L. Peirce has thus far this year called 49 sales. Ex Senator Cameron received a carload of hay in this place one day last week.  
Aaron Groff will erect a large and spacious barn on his premises in the near future.  
Miss Phoebe Risser, teacher of the Pleasant Hill school, is making extra time each day in order to finish the term before April 1st which she did. Her ambition is to become a trained nurse.

**Better Than Money.**  
We issue certificates of deposit that draw 3 1/2 per cent, interest, clear of all taxes, which, when endorsed may be transferred from one person to another and often takes the place of money, are used in purchase of property. We take certificates and pay the interest due on them, makes no difference where they are payable.  
Columbia Trust Co.

**Country Schools Closing.**  
The public schools of the various country districts will nearly all close with this week. The work done by the teachers generally has been satisfactory and productive of good results among the pupils. In some instances sickness interfered with the general attendance but all told the average is about up to the standard.

**Realized the Situation.**  
In last week's issue we made mention of Simpson, the strong man, being the first man to advertise, covering two full columns to demonstrate his strength. This week the Bulletin has a number of new advertisers and one of them is of the Sampson type, who consumes two full columns to advertise the product for which they are agents. We would refer you to M. L. Greider & Co's. ad which may be found elsewhere. Another who realized the situation of not being a "century back" is Young Bros. Although being constant advertisers in the Bulletin, they believe in being conspicuously displayed in these columns and such is the case if you glance at the fourth page. Our increased advertising patronage is due to the large local circulation, and which we are pleased to say, is daily increasing.

**East Donegal Items.**  
Hamilton Inners was the first in this section to sow tobacco seed.  
John and Isaac Simons attended the alumni dinner at Maytown on Wednesday evening.  
Daniel Musser and family attended the funeral of David Newcomer at Salunga last Wednesday.  
Samuel Leopard has decided to remain in J. L. Book's house, instead of moving to Mount Joy.  
Jacob Book will take charge of the Donegal mills branch of the Farmers' creamery on April 1st.  
Jacob Musser hauled the well drilling machine of E. G. Myers from the home of H. S. Beates to Ed. Weaver's residence in Florin.  
Washington Holloway, the gatekeeper at Hiestand's hill, was taken sick very suddenly on Wednesday morning and had to be taken home in the afternoon.

**A Valuable Medicine**  
"I have not the slightest hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to all who are suffering from coughs or colds," says Chas. M. Cramer, Esq., a well known watch maker, of Colombo, Ceylon. "It has been some two years since the City Dispensary first called the attention to this valuable medicine and I have repeatedly used it and it has always been beneficial. It has cured me quickly of all chest colds. It is especially effective for children and seldom takes more than one bottle to cure them of hoarseness. I have persuaded many to try this valuable medicine, and they are all as well pleased as myself over the results." For sale by J. S. Carmany, Florin.

**Sale of Bank Stock.**  
George S. Vogel, auctioneer, sold for Christian Nissley, executor for Sarah Heisey, deceased, of Florin, at the Red Lion hotel on Saturday evening, 6 shares of Union National Mount Joy Bank Stock, to Jos. Detwiler at \$88 per share.  
Ten shares of First National Mount Joy Bank Stock, 3 shares to H. G. Hagenberger at \$165 and one at \$164; 3 shares to Phares Kraybill at \$163 and 3 shares to Joseph Detwiler at \$163.

This paper might be filled with items like the following, and every one be the absolute truth. I had rheumatism for years and tried almost everything, but got no permanent relief until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm, three bottles of which have cured me. It is the best medicine I ever used.—Philip E. Rhoads, Pennville, Mo. Pain Balm is for sale by J. S. Carmany, Florin.

**Marriage Licenses Issued.**  
John N. Forrey of Rapho, and Ella M. Gihl, of Florin.  
Joseph Merchro and Ellen Reidlinger, both of West Donegal.  
Harry G. Leedom of Rapho and Emma Fisher of West Donegal.  
Adam Miller of Manor and Amelia F. Eshiman of Mastersonville.

**The Best Blood Purifier**  
The blood is constantly being purified by the lungs, liver and kidneys. Keep these organs in a healthy condition—the bowels regular and you will have no need of a blood purifier. For this purpose there is nothing equal to Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These of them will do you more good than any other bottle of the best blood purifier for 25 cents. Samples free at Florin Pa.

**ITALIAN VIOLINS.**  
**The First "Strad" Sent to London Could Find No Purchaser.**  
Italian violins have not always held the supremacy they now enjoy. It was not indeed till the beginning of the nineteenth century that they came into vogue to any extent outside their native land. Previously Jacob Stelder (1621-83) was the favorite maker, and his high model had been almost exclusively copied by his fellow Germans and the different makers in France and England. When the elder Corvetto, who had been a merchant before entering the musical profession, came to London, in 1738, he brought with him some instruments by Stradivari. The result of this endeavor to introduce Italian work into England fills one with pathetic wonder. It is almost beyond belief. As he could not get as much as \$5 (\$25) for a violoncello he was obliged to send the instrument back to Italy for a bad speculation. Five pounds for a "Strad," and not a single purchaser to be found!  
This incident in itself furnishes sufficient testimony to the slavish following of the great German maker and the strong prejudice of the violinists of that period in favor of the high model. It is indeed the players who are most to blame for the slow adoption of the flat model, for the creator must make what is necessitated by the demand; but the eighteenth century fiddlers, at any rate in England, France and Germany, seem for the most part to have been content that their violins should possess a small sweet tone, never realizing the lack of power and sonority.—Connoisseur.

**He Said to Himself.**  
Kansas enjoys the distinction, possibly, of being the only state in the Union where a man has been allowed by a court of inquiry to testify regarding what he said to himself.  
A committee had been appointed by the legislature, says The Green Bag, to investigate the alleged bribery of certain members in connection with a defunct railroad bill. The first witness called testified that he saw one of the representatives late one night coming down the hotel stairs.  
"I said to myself," he went on, but a member on the side of the defense jumped to his feet.  
"Hold on!" he shouted. "You can't testify about what you said to yourself!"  
The prosecutor retorted that there was no law to prohibit him from so testifying. A long argument ensued, but a majority of the committee agreed with the chairman that the testimony was admissible.  
"I said to myself," seriously proceeded the witness, "that M. had been up to Billy's room to get his pay."  
The testimony was recorded and made a part of the official record.

**He Understood.**  
Anton Rubinstein, the Russian composer, in his autobiography tells of the confusion which overcame a certain architect of his acquaintance who had a habit of interlarding all his remarks with the phrase, "You understand."  
On one occasion he was explaining certain architectural matters to the emperor, and, according to custom, made free use of his favorite expression.  
"Good heavens!" exclaimed Emperor Nicholas at last irritably. "Of course I understand! My dear fellow, how could I help it?"

**Court Proclamation!**  
WHEREAS, The Hon. John B. Livingston, President, and Hon. Charles I. Landis, Associate Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the county of Lancaster, and Assistant Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Lancaster, have issued their Precept, to me directed, requiring me, among other things, to make public Proclamation throughout my bailiwick, hata Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, also, a Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Jail Delivery will commence in the Court House, in the City of Lancaster, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,  
ON THE THIRD MONDAY IN APRIL (THE 21st,) 1902.  
In pursuance of which precept PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Mayor and Alderman of the City of Lancaster, in said County, and all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner and Constables of said City and County of Lancaster, that they be then and there in their own proper persons, with their rolls, records and examinations, and inquisitions, and their other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain in their behalf to be done; and to all those who will prosecute against the prisoners who are or then shall be in the jail of the said County of Lancaster are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.  
Dated at Lancaster, the 21st day of March, 1902.  
THOMAS L. MCMICHAEL, SHERIFF.

**Church Chronicle.**  
United Brethren Church—Preaching Sunday morning at 10 a. m. Sunday School at 1.15 p. m. Junior Endeavor at 6.30 p. m. Prayer-meeting Thursday evening at 7.15 p. m. Rev. H. M. Miller, pastor.  
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 Rissler Superintendent. Class meeting Sunday morning at 10 a. m. Prayer-meeting Thursday 7 p. m. Rev. Wayne Channell pastor, Rev. John Boehm assistant pastor.  
If troubled by a weak digestion, loss of appetite, or constipation, try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Every box warranted. For sale by J. S. Carmany, Florin Pa.