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ADVERTISERS SHOULD KNOW THAT THE BULLETIN HAS A LARGER LOCAL CIRCULATION THAN ANY MOUNT JOY PAPER

Larye —IS— Alive Word to That Effect Received Today.

'Dad' Larye is Enjoying the Fair Breezes in Jerusalem
This is What Citizens Predicted.

A few weeks ago when the report of the murder of Jacob Larye was received here, it was doubted by many of our citizens. Truly they were right as he is still living.

This morning Squire C. H. Zeller received a letter from the American Consul at Marseilles, France, stating that they looked the matter up and found that the letter which was received here by Mrs. Larye, in reference to her husband's death, was written by some one as dictated by Larye. This morning's letter also stated that a few days ago Mr. Larye sailed for Port Said, and the American Consul at Marseilles are under the impression that his destination will be Jerusalem.

We presume more information will be received within a few days. The question for debate now is, will Larye ever return to this place?

That Runaway.

Of all the stories that are afloat since that runaway on Saturday evening. The truth of the matter is, that H. C. Schock and several members of his family came driving up the pike east of town, when one of the single trees broke. Both horses were trotting along leisurely at that time. When that occurred, the pole fell from the neck-yoke and the other single tree broke, freeing both horses from the vehicle. In an instant the driver dropped the reins, and the horses ran to town, arriving at the stable, not even sweating.

On Monday morning the North American contained a dispatch from Mount Joy stating that as the pike is along the railroad and a train happened to come along at the time scaring both horses, they ran to town, ahead of the train, being almost exhausted upon their arrival at the stable.

Monday evening one of the Lancaster papers, in giving the same item, said that the horses got on the railroad and ran to town ahead of a train.

Memorial Day.

Next Monday G. A. R. Post of this place, will as on former occasions, parade our streets. They will go over the following route. Start at the Council Chamber and go up West Main to New Haven, east on Donegal to Marietta street, to Main, east to Jacob, to Mount Joy, to Barbara, to Main and west on Main to the park. The Foresters Band will furnish music for the occasion. Upon the return, Rev. G. W. Sheetz will deliver an address in the Park.

Before Justice Ricker.

Suit was entered against Miss Mae Beatrice Campbell of this place, charged with larceny as bailed by Mrs. Wm. P. Frank. The case will be heard later in the week.

Marriage Licenses.

John and Lizzie S. of Mount Joy.

Taxes Must Be Paid Early.

The legislature passed an act the last session requiring tax collectors to settle their school tax accounts on or before the first of June.

Series of Bible Readings.

The Y. M. C. A. has secured the services of J. H. McConkey to hold a series of Bible readings, the first of which was held in the Bethel of the Church of God on Sunday afternoon. His subject was "Prayer" and the service was a very interesting and helpful one and very much enjoyed by all. The second meeting of the series will be held on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the Presbyterian church. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Mr. McConkey has given bible readings at various Y. M. C. A. State Conventions and at the Bible Conference at Eaglesmere. He is the author of several books on the Holy Spirit, which have had a large circulation. He is very much sought after, having conducted services in many of the large cities of this country and Canada, and to have the opportunity of hearing him, is a rare privilege.

River Brethren Baptism.

The River Brethren adopted fifteen converts by baptism on Sunday afternoon last, the ceremony occurring at Stauffer's Mill, two miles south of Mount Joy. Those who received the rite were the son and two daughters of Rev. Abram Hess, Bishop Aaron Martin's two sons, John and Aaron, of Elizabethtown; Levi Mumma and Jacob Heisey, of near Florin, Joseph Gish, of near Elizabethtown; Charles Musser and wife, Eli H. Wolgemuth, of Elizabethtown; C. N. Hershey and wife of near Florin; a son of Benjamin Nissley, of Mount Joy. Bishop Aaron Martin, of Elizabethtown, assisted by Rev. Jacob Martin, officiated.

The "Boys" Heard From.

We received a letter from Paris Hershey a few days ago, stating that he and Walter Frey, who left here some time ago for St. Louis, have accepted positions and are clerks at the American Hotel, David Lauber, Manager, which is immediately adjoining the main entrance to the World's Fair. The hotel has 500 rooms and these two young men solicit the patronage of Lancaster Countians who may visit the fair. The rates per person are, lodging, \$1; meals, 50 cents.

Killed 15 Straight.

Philip Pyle, who participated in the State shoot at York last week, can well feel proud of his record. On account of his gun breaking on Thursday, Mr. Pyle was handicapped considerably. In the live bird event on Saturday, Philip was one of the three that killed fifteen straight. On account of no birds, this event was not decided but will be shot off at Harrisburg within about two weeks. The winner gets the Williamsport Diamond Badge Trophy, which is well worth owning.

"And Still His Whiskers Grow."

S. S. Hamaker, one of Manheim's prominent citizens, has a beard that touches his toes. In 1884 Mr. Hamaker bet his beard on Blaine's election, but Cleveland was successful and the beard came off. The one that now adorns his face has been growing since that distressing time for Republicans.

A Strange Sight.

An amusing incident occurs in our neighbor John F. Pyle's yard almost daily. Mr. Pyle owns a big black turkey gobbler as well as a number of young chicks. The chicks will fly on the gobbler's back and Mr. turkey will strut leisurely about the yard carrying the chicks and seemingly enjoys it as much as do the people that see so rare an occurrence.

Register Changes Hands.

J. Edgar Thompson has purchased the Marietta Register of Willis G. Kendig. Mr. Thompson, though a young man, is well known in newspaper circles and we wish for him abundant success.

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MANY LOCAL NOTES.

Happenings of the Week Told in a Brief Yet Interesting Manner.

Summer weather.

Don't forget next Monday is a legal holiday.

The subscription price of this paper is only 50 cents a year.

Harry G. Stoler disposed of 300 pounds of porkies yesterday.

Monroe Yings purchased a large graphophone a few days ago.

Two companies of soldiers passed through here on Monday forenoon.

Don't forget that the early closing movement goes into effect next Monday.

Laundryman Risser is sporting a neatly lettered and beautiful new delivery wagon.

C. A. Greider is putting in new water pipes from the main to his residence.

J. N. Hostetter delivered one of his famous Hutchins' roller swings at Marietta on Saturday.

Communion services will be held at Risser's Mennonite church near Milton Grove on Sunday.

The Rheims Sunday school has been abandoned for a few weeks on account of an epidemic of scarlet fever.

A love-feast will be held by the German Baptists in their church at Fairview on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Our job department printed a lot of letter heads for A. S. Sprout, of this place, who is assistant deputy warden for this section.

Charles A. Greider was laid off at the freight station this week. Hundreds of railroad employes are being laid off almost daily.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend the commencement exercises of State College during the week of June 12, 1904.

A love-feast will be held at the Cross Roads church today and tomorrow. If the weather permits it will undoubtedly be well attended.

The biggest shad that was brought to Mount Joy this year was one shown us on Saturday morning by Harry G. Stoler. It weighed 9 1/2 lbs.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Dr. Elmer Weaver Garber and Miss Grace Cling of this place, Thursday, June 2, at 5:30 p. m.

The output of the Elizabethtown shoe factory has gradually increased from 150 pairs a day three years ago to their present output of 1000 pairs daily.

Auctioneer Zeller will sell the personal property of Ed Gamber, deceased at public sale at his late residence on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Ephram Morton of Columbia, who is very well known here, purchased a polo pony. The Columbia News says the animal is an excellent saddler.

On account of the sickness of Mrs. Miller the Men's prayermeeting Friday evening will be held in the Bethel church. Eli Snapp is the appointed leader.

The Men's meeting will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, in the Bethel of the Church of God, instead of the Methodist church as previously announced.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Ellen N. Forrey to Monroe H. Lindemuth, at the home of the bride's parents near this place at noon on Thursday, June 2.

June 4 is the last day to pay the 1904 state and county taxes in order to get 5 per cent rebate. The amount will remain yet until October 4, and after that date 5 per cent will be added.

Ruth DeHoff, aged nine years, was bit by a dog that exhibited all the symptoms of rabies. The dog was shot and the young lady is being cared for by Dr. Harter at Maytown.

The Mount Joy Steam Heater Company was awarded the contract heating with hot water, the residence of Harry H. Engle, at Rowley.

Willie Marquart injured several fingers last evening by getting between the cogs and chain of a wheel.

Personals.

Ira Metzger paid his best girl in town a visit on Sunday.

Miss Fannie Stoler spent Sunday with friends at Landisville.

John Herchelroth and lady friend visited in Harrisburg on Sunday.

Harry Darrenkamp made a business trip to Philadelphia yesterday.

Miss Sarah Kahl of Lancaster, was the guest of Miss Fannie Stoler Sunday.

Charles Bailey and John Roth, of Florin, spent Thursday in Harrisburg.

Edward Maynard of Landisville, transacted business in town on Monday.

C. H. Herr and wife were visiting friends near Moor's mill on Sunday.

M. M. Brubaker and son Paul, transacted business in Harrisburg, Thursday.

Mrs. John Greenawalt was the guest of her mother near Mountville on Sunday.

Mrs. O. K. Greenawalt spent Sunday with friends and relatives at Newtown.

George A. Fisher and Albert Heck of Elizabethtown spent part of Sunday in town.

Mrs. A. G. Farmer left for her home on Sunday after spending a few days in town with friends.

Joseph Haines and wife were guests in the family of Millard Foltz at Elizabethtown, Sunday.

Electrician Harry Peoples and bride are off on their honeymoon trip to Hanover, Pa., this week.

Misses Miriam Hendrix and Clara Schroll spent Sunday with the former's sister at Elizabethtown.

Simon Snyder, Harry Stoler and Joseph Detwiler attended a shooting match at Rothsville on Monday.

"Abbie" Shelley's smiling countenance was seen on our streets on Sunday. He is hosslering at Lancaster.

Christian Gerber and wife and Mrs. Jacob Schroll and granddaughter Maud, spent Sunday at Maytown with friends.

Esrom Spera, formerly of this place, is lying seriously ill at the home of his son Wm. Spera, in Newark, N. J.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ricksecker will accompany Mr. Philip A. Pyle to Pittsburg tomorrow for a brief visit among friends.

Miss Emma Schwitzenberger and friend Charles Miller of Lancaster, were guests of Mrs. Willer at the Washington House on Sunday.

John Runk of Spring Forge, York county, spent several days in town last week the guest of his son-in-law William Dillinger and family.

S. N. Eby of this place, was elected treasurer of the camp-meeting association which will convene at Mount Gretna from August 2 to 12.

Opinions Filed.

Court met Saturday morning for the calling of the judgment docket and the delivery of opinions.

Commonwealth vs. Isaac Seachrist, habeas corpus. Defendant discharged. Seachrist was arrested for illegal fishing and the penalty was imposed upon him. The proceedings were certiorated and after a decision filed by the court Seachrist was arrested in default of the payment of the penalty. The court discharged him, which relieves him from the payment of the penalty.

The equity suit of Margaret Raymond vs. the supervisors of East Donegal township was dismissed.

Rheumatic Pains Removed.

The prompt relief from the severe pains of sciatica and rheumatism which is afforded by Chamberlain's Pain Balm, is alone worth many times its cost. Mr. Willard C. Vail, of Fonghkeepie, N. Y., writes: "I am troubled with rheumatism and neuralgia of the nerves and Chamberlain's Pain Balm gives relief quicker than any liniment I have ever used." For sale by J. L. Carmany Florin Pa. and all Mount Joy druggists.

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THE NEWS FROM FLORIN

What Transpired in Our Busy Village the Past Week.

Christ Risser has gone to Saint Louis.

Roy Baker was a visitor at Harrisburg on Saturday.

Mrs. George Stoll of Harrisburg, is visiting in town.

Henry Young made a business trip to Columbia on Monday.

William Rider spent Sunday with his parents near Elizabethtown.

John D. Easton and H. Charles were at Columbia on Monday.

H. G. Stacks of Lancaster, spent Sunday in town with his parents.

Two of C. A. Wiley's children have recovered from the measles.

Emanuel Miller and wife called on friends at Ephrata on Sunday.

Ed Krodol of Elizabethtown was the guest of Emlin Buller, Sunday.

Wm. Bates accepted a position as electrician with a Harrisburg firm.

John Musselman of Lancaster, called on his parents in town last Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Birch attended the funeral of a friend at Harrisburg on Monday.

George A. Geyer and family were guests of their son at Lancaster on Saturday.

Misses Annie and Lydia Witmer of near Donegal, were at Millersville Saturday.

Haydon White and family of Marietta, spent Sunday in town with J. W. Shank.

John Widman lost a valuable watch charm a few days ago. Reward for its return.

Harvey Schutte and wife of York were guests of friends and relatives in town on Sunday.

H. G. Musselman of Harrisburg, was pleasantly entertained by his parents last Saturday.

Daniel Brandt left a few days ago for Kansas, where he will spend some time visiting friends.

Rev. G. W. Sheetz preached an excellent sermon in the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

Eli L. Nissley started excavating for his large tobacco shed which he will erect on the Hostetter farm.

John Brandt and lady friend of Middletown, were guests of the Misses Widman in town on Sunday.

Miss Mary O. Carmany arrived home from college Monday and is spending some time with her parents.

Jacob Hostetter purchased an entire team, horse, harness, wagon, etc., of Dr. F. M. Harry at Mount Joy.

S. S. Gingrich and family and Jacob Snyder and wife spent Sunday with friends near Erisman's meeting house.

Harvey Nye and family and Harvey Roads and family, spent Sunday with Samuel Nye, on the Carmany farm near town.

Baptismal services were held at the Conewago bridge, north of Elizabethtown, by Rev. C. I. Behney of Elizabethtown, on Sunday afternoon. The following were baptized: C. H. Musser, Frank Miller, Martin Ebersole, Clayton Farmer, Harry Heisey, Matthew Campbell, John Prescott, Harry Hamilton, Clayton Hoffman, Mrs. Hamilton, Annie Heisey and Mrs. Bealor.

Closing on Decoration Day.

Decoration Day falls on Monday, May 30, and, in obedience to a time-honored custom, the stores will close at noon. Heretofore, when the day fell on a Saturday, the business places opened again in the evening, but this year they will close at 12 o'clock, and remain closed the balance of the day.

Weaver-Kahler.

On Thursday evening Samuel K. Weaver of Newtown, was married to Miss Annie C. Kahler, at the U. B. parsonage in Silver Spring, by Rev. B. M. Breneman. The couple was unattended. Their future home will be in Newtown.

Church Notes.

CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. C. F. Reitzel will preach a sermon to the members of the Grand Army, Sons of Veterans and Boys Brigade in the Bethel Church on Sunday morning.

UNITED BRETHREN

C. E. at 6.30 p. m. lead by Paris Hawthorne.

Owing to the death of Mrs. Runk's father, there were no preaching services last Sunday but Sunday morning and evening Rev. Runk will preach at the usual time.

UNITED EVANGELICAL

Rev. Chas. Knox of Lancaster, will preach in United Evangelical church Sunday. His morning subject will be Complete Surrender. Evening subject, From the Depths. The evening talk will be on slum work in the great city. The things I've seen and know about raising up the fallen. Rev. Garr will preach at Farmersville, Pa.

Roof Garden.

Manager Peoples has a bill for the Woolworth Roof Garden this week headed by the celebrated Frederick Bond and including such clever entertainers as Edouin and Edwards, Vernon and Sansone and Deila; that continues to crowd that popular resort with delighted audiences. Next week, beginning with Memorial Day, is a holiday week and Manager Peoples has prepared a "holiday" programme. It is doubtful if seven vaudeville acts of such high quality have ever been given on a local stage. A star feature will be Rosa Naynon's trained birds, a hundred or more who do the most wonderful feats with human-like intelligence.

Ball Notes.

The G. I. C. Tigers and the Athletics of the packing department will cross bats here on Saturday.

The White Rose Club contemplates a trip to Middletown, Saturday where they will play the Juniors.

The High School went to Elizabethtown on Saturday where they were easily defeated by the club of that place, 14 to 7.

The G. I. C. defeated the White Rose Club here on Saturday by a score of 14 to 10. Batteries, Derr and Hennrix; Schroll and Conrad.

Wedding Bells.

A beautiful quiet home wedding took place on East Main street, Monday evening at 8 o'clock, when Jno. H. Kehley of Danville, was married to Miss Pearl C. Marquart, daughter of Mrs. Mary Marquart, who lately moved here from Middletown. Rev. G. W. Sheetz performed the ceremony. The young couple left yesterday for Danville.

Some Potatoes.

Among the exhibits at the Louisiana Exposition at St. Louis will be five hundred potatoes that weigh an even ton, the product of Colorado. Now while Lancaster county farmers are not slow on potatoes, they can't reach Colorado by half a ton but when it comes to tobacco and pretty Dutch girls—why, Colorado, you come east to Pennsylvania.

Laying a Walk.

Quite a number of workmen are busy grading and getting things in shape for the laying of a fine stone walk from Florin to the Cross Roads church. The work will be completed in a few weeks and will be a grand improvement.

Planting Trees.

Fifty men are engaged in planting 50,000 locust trees west of Conewago Station for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, on their ground. These are the second installment of a million trees that the railroad company will plant for cross tie purposes.

Unclaimed Letters.

Following is a list of letters unclaimed for at the Mount Joy post office, May 25th 1904:

Miss Lillie M. Raffensberger.

J. Fenstermacher, Post Master

ANCIENT HISTORY

A Few Things About Our Town Many Years Ago.

The town of Mount Joy, the east end, then known as Rohrerstown, was laid out by Jacob Rohrer in 1812 and the lots disposed of by lottery. The west end of the present borough was known as Richland or the Cross Roads. The old hotel, destroyed by fire in 1868, which used to occupy the vacant lot corner of West Main and New Haven streets, was a well known point for many years before the town was laid out. It was known as the Cross Keys, and on a large swinging sign on the corner the crossed keys were painted. It is said that in the early days this point was known in Ireland as the three crosses; the cross keys, the cross roads and the cross land lady. The shades do not echo forth the name of the latter cross.

The central part of the present borough used to be known as "Wallekshtettle"—Wallecktown—and some of our older citizens remember when there was a pond in this part of the town, about where the Bethel of the Church of God now is, with stepping stones which were always used by pedestrians along that point after heavy rains. After houses were built along Main street and some filling up done, the water did not stand on Main street at this point but gathered at "Lake Delta" where the depot now is.

Ten years ago the streets were graded in such a manner that the water that used to settle at "Lake Delta" was carried to Main street. After a sudden violent rain storm the old pond formed in front of the church and for a half square on Main and many cellars in that vicinity were flooded before some one ran to Delta and turned the water from gutters into the lower land there.

Jacob Rohrer, who laid out the town, is buried in the Henry Eberle cemetery.

Uncle Tom and Eva.

Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin is the title of a really big company, which, under the personal management of Leon Washburn, whose name has been long and favorably associated with up-to-date amusements, will appear under a water-proof tent on Newcomer's lot, in this place, on Wednesday evening, June 1. The company comprises fifty people, including a dozen specialty artists, two quartets, a superb orchestra, and many colored comedians who add to the big production, not a little by their spontaneous wit and clever singing and dancing. Watch for the big street parade. Prices, children 15c, adults 25c. Don't miss it.

New House for Florin.

This morning Samuel Z. Young closed a deal for one of H. B. Nissley's most desirable building lots, No. 6, corner of Main and Orange streets, in Florin. Mr. Young's intentions are to build a very beautiful mansion dwelling in the near future. We would suggest that any person desiring number one building sites, can purchase them of Mr. Nissley a very reasonable figure. Don't wait until they are all sold. Now's the time. When a progressive business man like Sam'l Young sets an example for building in that locality, others will surely follow.

Changed the Name.

The Dunkards or German Baptists are holding their annual conference at Carthage, Mo., this week. One of the first acts of the conference was the adoption of a motion to change the name of the organization. Hereafter they are to be known only as German Baptists and not as Dunkards.

Acquire Two Properties.

Messrs. Watt & Shand who are extensive advertisers in this paper, have acquired two valuable properties fronting on Centre Square which will evidently be utilized as an addition to their already large store at the corner of East King and Centre Square, Lancaster.

One property is that owned by J. Rohrer and occupied by him as a store and the other is in the property, owned by Harry Rohrer, occupied as a saloon by John Rohrer.