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## Thanksgiving

**CELEBRATED AS EARLY AS 1621  
BY OUR PILGRIM FATHERS**

Union Thanksgiving Services Will be Held Here Tomorrow—Stores and Industries Will Close—Two Games of Foot Ball.

The annual Thanksgiving Day will be celebrated tomorrow, when a general holiday will be observed and religious services will be held by the various Churches throughout the United States. It is set apart as a day on which praises and thanks to our Heavenly Father for the great blessings He has bestowed on the human family, and is a National harvest festival fixed by proclamation of the President.

The earliest harvest Thanksgiving in America, was kept by the Pilgrim Fathers at Plymouth, Mass., in 1621, and the first Thanksgiving Proclamation was issued by George Washington, on October 3rd, 1789 and the day was observed on Thursday, November 26th, of the same year. It was however not regularly observed thereafter until 1863, since which the Presidents have always issued proclamations appointing the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day.

Some people may get the idea that since the crops of the past year were not so plentiful, our praises and thanks should be less; but this, however, should not be so, for God has again bountifully supplied the needs of his creatures. Let us take heed to the words of David: "Let every Lord; praise ye the Lord."

### Temperance Rally

A cordial invitation is extended to the Sunday Schools of Mount Joy and vicinity to attend the Temperance Rally to be held in the Church of God on World's Temperance Day, Sunday, November 28th, at 3 p. m. when the following program will be rendered:

Singing, Congregation.  
Scripture Reading.  
Prayer.  
Music, Male Quartet of the U. B. Church.

Address, Rev. Frank Bossert.  
Marching Song, by Pupils of Public School.

Recitation, Miss Carrie Frank.  
Address, Mr. H. E. Greenwalt.  
Music, Male Quartet of the M. E. Church.

Question, Mr. William Tyndall.  
Music, Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Address, Rev. J. B. Rittgers.  
Music, Male Quartet of the Presbyterian Church.

### Chance for an Industry

The Middletown Journal says that local agents of the Pennsylvania Railroad are trying to secure manufacturing sites for two firms who are looking for points along the lines between Harrisburg and Philadelphia. One of the applicants is the Unigraph Company, of Jersey City, which manufactures a register for accounting purposes in the retail trade, and the other firm which will manufacture brake shoes. The first named concern now employs 350 people, and in a few years they anticipate giving employment to 700.

On the face of it these two industries look good and we thing our local Board of Trade should give them a little attention. Possibly there is a chance to land another industry. Let's all see what we can do, thereby making our little burg boom.

### A Spelling Bee Dec. 4th

A spelling bee under the auspices of St. Mary's Guild, will be held in the Mount Joy Hall on Saturday evening, December 4th. An excellent program will be rendered. Admission, 15 and 20 cents.

### Waiting Room at Florin

The managers of the Mount Joy and Elizabethtown trolley company have rented a room and will open a trolley waiting room at the residence of John Wachsteiner, opposite E. L. Nissley's tobacco warehouse, at Florin. It will be open to the public about December 1st.

### Fish Warden Busy

Arresting people who catch fish out of season. Just so with the other merchants who sell you cotton for wool year after year. You can depend on what we say to be right and it costs you no more to get all wool for the same price that other stores charge for cotton. Getz Bros., Mt. Joy, Pa.

### Hospital Auxiliary

The regular meeting of the Hospital Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. Martha Brandt, on Thursday afternoon, December 2nd, at three o'clock.

### Advertisement

Advertise in the Bulletin. It pays.

## TWO MEN KILLED

**Two Unknown Men Met Death on the Pennsylvania Railroad**

An unidentified man was killed on Thursday evening shortly after five o'clock on the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks opposite Shreiner's station, a short distance west of Dillerville. The body was taken to the baggage waiting room at Lancaster where an investigation was held. The unfortunate man was aged about forty-five years and was about five feet, six inches tall. He had a sandy moustache and gray eyes. He wore a light slouch hat and dark clothes. Up to the time of our going to press his identity has not been learned.

A wreck that is believed to have been caused by the body of a train rider falling from the platform of a car to the track, occurred on the Pennsylvania railroad, one-half mile east of Bainbridge last Thursday morning, the man's dead body having been found under the train by the Columbia wreckers. The train was speeding along at a lively rate when the ninth car from the engine was derailed. The derailment caused the air-brakes to be applied and the train came to a sudden stop.

The Columbia wreckers were called out to retrace the derailed car and while examining the train the dead body of an unknown man was found under the fourth car from the rear of the train and thirty-six cars from the rear of the derailed car.

The left arm was cut off near the shoulder and the body was almost cut in twain at the stomach. The body was taken to the company's dead house in Columbia, after which Deputy Coroner Steffy, of Bainbridge held an inquest.

The dead man from all appearances is a foreigner with a small dark moustache and dark hair. He is about twenty-five years old.

### Ed Henry Prosecuted

Last evening's Lancaster papers contained the following:  
Edwin M. Henry has been prosecuted before Alderman Stauffer of Lancaster on charges of disorderly conduct and keeping a disorderly house. Henry it is alleged keeps up a noise at his house by frequent quarrels with his wife that are a great annoyance to the neighbors, who have brought suit against him.

### Ephrata vs. Mount Joy

The High School foot ball team will line up against the Ephrata High on Eby's field tomorrow forenoon at 9:30 sharp. This should prove a good game as Ephrata claims to have one of the best high school teams in the county. It is needless to say that the locals will try hard to win. Turn out and see the boys play and you'll be in better condition to relish your Thanksgiving turkey.

### That's Going Some

The Royal Insurance Company, of New York City, of which Charles H. Zeller is the local representative, made a record for quick settlement after a recent fire in that city. Within a week after the fire the company paid \$150,000.

### Cows and Hogs

On Tuesday E. M. Souder will sell a large lot of cows and hogs at public sale at his stock yards in Florin. The cows are fresh and close springers and the hogs will weigh from 50 to 200 pounds.

### We Should Have This Law

In New Jersey each resident hunter must pay a license of \$1.00 a year and non-resident hunters \$10.00 for the same time. This should be the law in Pennsylvania.

### Home From the West

Rev. Levi H. Shank, who spent the past seven weeks on a missionary trip through the West in the interest of the Reformed Mennonite church, arrived home last Wednesday evening.

### Butcher Engle Buys a Property

The Hoffman property, occupied by John H. Engle, was sold at public sale last evening by auctioneer Chas. H. Zeller. John H. Engle was the purchaser at \$2,000.

### Entertained Men's League

Mr. John McGinnis jr. entertained the members of the Men's League at his home on Monday evening in a royal manner.

### Pants! Corduroy Pants

A large selection of corduroy pants in all shades; tan, green, brown, mouse, at \$1.50 to \$3.00; Getz Bros. Mount Joy.

### Drug Store Will Close

My drug store will be closed tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day, from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m.

### DR. E. W. GARBER

## Obituary Notes

**THE ROAD WHICH WE ALL MUST  
TRAVEL SOONER OR LATER**

Some Well Known People From Our Neighborhood Have Passed to the Great Beyond Since Our Last Issue

Henry H. Kauffman, a former resident of Mountville, died in California. The body will be brought east for interment.

Mrs. Emma Hogentogler died at her home in Columbia yesterday. She was the widow of Joseph Hogentogler.

Mrs. Elizabeth, widow of Joseph Musser, died near Osborne, Ohio, aged 90 years. She was a former resident of Marietta but has lived in Ohio since the close of the Civil war. Joseph F. Walters of Marietta, died Thursday morning, aged 58 years, death being due to pulmonary tuberculosis. Deceased came to this country twenty-one years ago. His widow and six children survive.

### Miss Mary Erb

Miss Mary Erb, daughter of Daniel B. and Annie Erb, died on Monday morning at her home near Landisville from typhoid fever, in her seventh year. Her parents and one brother Paul, survive. The funeral is being held this afternoon from her late home and at two o'clock at the Salunga Mennonite church.

### Mrs. Adaline C. Strickler

The death of Mrs. Adaline C. Strickler occurred on Saturday morning at her home, corner of Main and Market streets, in this place. She was ill for a long time and for the past four months was bedfast, general debility causing her death. Her maiden name was Wikoff, and she was born in Philadelphia seventy-five years ago. She was a member of a very prominent family in that city. Her husband, Harry H. Strickler, died four years ago. Deceased was a member of the Presbyterian church, and identified with all charities connected with the church. She was the last of her family, as she had no children, brothers or sisters. Mayor Reyburn of Philadelphia, and the wife of Judge Kunkle of Harrisburg, cousins of the deceased, are her nearest relatives. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in the Henry Eberle cemetery.

### Abram S. Brubaker

Word has been received by Benjamin Brubaker, of near this place, of the death of his son, Abram S. Brubaker, at Big Lake, State of Washington, on November 8. The deceased, who was thirty-four years old, and had spent many years in the West, at different periods, and the last time he went out about two years ago, was engaged in lumbering operations. On the date named he was caught between a tree carriage and live rolls, while getting out trees in the forest, and his legs were crushed. It was found necessary to amputate them, but the victim died under the ether. He was unmarried. The bereaved family was notified several days ago that the body had been shipped to this place, and the funeral was held Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the house, with services at 10 o'clock at Graybill's Meeting House. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining.

### "Reddies" Will Celebrate

It will be of interest to Red Men in this locality to know that on April 19, 1910, the fiftieth anniversary of the admission of Past Great Inchoonee, Thomas K. Donnalley, Great Chief of Records of Penna., will be celebrated in Philadelphia. On this occasion a reception will also be tendered to P. I. Joseph Farrar, of Pa.

### The Reason Why

Mr. Guido Manfredi, who had advertised to give moving pictures in the hall here on Saturday evening, was unfortunate to have a break at his machine shortly before the doors opened and was therefore unable to show.

### Organized a Choral Society

Last Wednesday evening Prof. E. F. Wampler of Elizabethtown College organized a choral society at Landisville. They will meet every Wednesday evening in the High School building at that place.

### Revival at Reich's

Rev. M. D. Simpson, pastor of the Memorial Evangelical church, began a series of revival services in that church on Sunday to continue during the entire week.

### Two Aged Teachers

This county lays claim to the two oldest teachers in the state. They are James and Francis McClure, of Salisbury township, 89 and 93 years old respectively, and are in excellent health.

## THEY'RE HAPPY NOW

**Wedding Bells Were Ringing Loud and Long Last Week**

### Heisey-Kendig

Aaron M. Heisey, of Lebanon county, and Miss Sadie S. Kendig, of Conoy township, were married on Saturday afternoon at Lancaster.

### Galbreath-Lichty

Miss Ida C. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Lichty, of East Petersburg became the wife of John B. Galbreath also of that village, last Thursday. They are now enjoying a wedding trip to Eastern cities.

### O'Brien-Reich

On Thursday Miss Mary Theresa O'Brien and Jay Milton Reich, both of Marietta, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock in that borough, by the Rev. Father Clark. After a wedding tour they will reside in Elizabethtown.

### Warfel-Frew

On Thursday evening Rev. Harvey Hershey of Landisville, married Veranda L. Warfel, of Rohrerstown, and W. Ross Frew, of Lancaster, at the bride's home. They will reside in Lancaster.

### Munch-Forney

Elder H. S. Sonon, of East Petersburg, married Homer R. Munnich, of Warwick, and Ella May Forney, of East Hempfield. The couple left on a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., and New York.

### Martzall-Deck

On Saturday evening, November 20, Rev. A. S. Hottenstein united in marriage, at his residence, at East Petersburg, Peter H. Martzall, of East Petersburg, and Miss Minnie H. Deck, of Lebanon.

### Brown-Fairfax

On Saturday evening Charles H. Brown and Miss Melissa Fairfax, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John W. Fairfax, both colored, were united in marriage at the parsonage of the First Methodist church by the pastor Rev. S. C. Carter at Marietta.

### Sload-Harter

On Thursday evening at 6 o'clock at the parsonage of Grace Lutheran church, Rev. C. E. Haupt united in marriage Charles A. Sload of Rohrerstown, and Miss Gladys Harter of this place. The couple were unattended and will make their future home in this place.

### A Record to be Proud Of

Mr. W. R. Ishler, recently of Florin, but now of Elizabethtown, who we mentioned is home from a three years' enlistment as a marine last week, served 4 years as a first-class seaman on the cruiser, Tennessee, a flagship to the Pacific Squadron, and was discharged at Seattle, Washington, on November 4th. He is the fifth brother to do duty for Uncle Sam and has a younger brother now going into sea service. His father and grandfather saw service in the late rebellion, his great grandfather served in the Mexican war, his great great grandfather served in the Revolutionary war—some record, eh! One of his brothers is now serving his third enlistment and is in the Philippine Islands. Mr. Ishler, during his enlistment, cruised 64,409 miles during which time he crossed the Equator six times. We doubt whether there is a family in the state that can equal the record of the Ishler family.

### Conductor Shookers Injured

Mr. Marcus Shookers, of Columbia, a P. R. R. freight conductor, was seriously injured at Middletown on Saturday evening. His train had stopped to do some work at the warehouse when Conductor Shookers was caught between the side of a car and the warehouse platform. He was very badly squeezed about the body, but fortunately no bones were broken. A few years ago Mr. Shookers almost lost his life by being struck on the back of his head by an overhead bridge. The unfortunate man is well known here and his many friends will regret to learn of his misfortune.

### A Carload of Mules

C. C. Hallman will have a carload of Iowa Mules with bone size, the biggest mules he has ever shipped to this county. They can be seen at E. S. Weaver's stables, Florin, Pa., after Thursday.

### Vests! Vests!

The largest and best selection of Fancy Vests. A great thing for a Xmas present. \$1.50 to \$4.00 at Getz Bros., Mount Joy.

### Florin Property for Rent

A property on Main street. Possession given December 1st, 1909. Apply to W. M. Hollowbush, Attorney-at-Law, Mount Joy, Pa.

## Dispute Settled

**AMICABLE ARRANGEMENT EFFECTED ON SATURDAY**

Masons Will Get Title—The Bills in Equity Filed by the Parties to the Dispute Were Withdrawn by Permission of Court.

Announcement was made to court on Saturday morning that the litigation over the site for the Masonic home at Elizabethtown had been settled and that the Masons would get title to the Jacob M. Bishop property. Court was informed of the amicable settlement by counsel for Hon. George B. Orland, and others, connected with the Masonic Home, and for J. W. Lansinger and Sheriff Landis, who were restrained by court from selling the property of Bishop at sheriff's sale. This property Bishop had sold under an option to B. F. Groff, and subsequently executed a deed for the same to George B. Willson, and John N. Hetrick, representing B. F. Groff, for whom the attorneys in the case had filed separate bills in equity in the matter. Court was asked for permission to withdraw the respective bills in equity, and that all further proceedings should be withdrawn. The court permitted the attorneys in the case to withdraw their bills in equity, no opinion having been handed down, and the matter, therefore, having been settled out of court. Counsel interested will not make public the terms of settlement, but it is understood that both sides were willing to make concessions in order that the Masonic Home might not be lost to Lancaster county. The property was sold at sheriff's sale on Saturday morning to George B. Willson, who is one of the members of the committee of Masons that has secured the options on the properties that are wanted for the home at Elizabethtown.

## MEETING OF THE AUTO CLUB

Solicitor Reports Filing of Exceptions to Constables' Reports

The November meeting of the Lancaster Automobile Club was held at Hotel McGinnis, in this place, last Friday evening, and a large number of the members were present. Jacob Arnts, of Lancaster, was elected to membership. Solicitor C. G. Baker reported that he had filed exceptions to returns made recently to the Court by several constables of the county, who, it is alleged by the club, have failed to report the supervisors, either for neglect of the roads or failure to keep the index boards in position. Mr. Baker also reported that he had had a conference with Mayor McCaskey for the purpose of securing more uniformity in the rules regulating traffic in the streets of Lancaster City.

Mr. H. C. Schock was nominated as a member of the board of directors of the American Automobile Association, a national organization. Mr. J. Grant High resigned as a member of the good roads and ways and means committee, as he intends to reside in Philadelphia in the future. The Club endorsed Senator William Spruill, of Delaware county, for Governor on a good roads platform. Similar endorsement has been given the Senator by other clubs throughout the state. President Schock was presented with a handsome rosewood gavel by Martin Rudy.

## Power Company Sued

A novel suit in which an order from the Court is asked directing the York Haven Water and Power Company to remove its great dam from the Susquehanna river has been brought in the Dauphin County Court at Harrisburg by John B. Rier, of Londonderry township, who claims that the diverting of the water from the eastern channel at Duffy's Island has damaged his property in many ways.

## Teacher and Pupils Entertain

Miss Mabel Donovan, teacher of the Intermediate School, assisted by her pupils, is rendering a program specially prepared for the occasion, this afternoon. There are many persons present and the program is very appropriate to Thanksgiving.

## Union Thanksgiving Services

Union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning. Rev. George W. Getz, of the Church of God, will preach.

## Genuine Lynn Havens

If you want the finest oysters in town, go to Zeller's, where you can get the genuine Lynn Havens, the best that grow. None better for "stuffing" your Thanksgiving turkey.

## Save Money

By buying your Holiday Specials at Getz Bros., Mount Joy.

## LOCAL DOINGS

**Minor Happenings as Reported by Our Reporter Staff**

Mr. Harvey Carpenter is quite ill at this writing. Merchant I. D. Beneman was ill the past few days. There will be no express on the trolley line tomorrow.

A new steam heating plant is being installed at the Exchange hotel. Mr. Paul Getz has purchased an exceptionally fine Fox Terrier dog.

A band fair will open at East Petersburg on Saturday evening, December 4th.

James B. Busser has sold his farm of 60 acres, near Manheim, to H. F. Ruhl, for \$5,400.

FOUND—A Christian Endeavor pin. Owner can have same by calling at this office.

Mr. Elia B. Shickley will leave on Monday for York where he has secured employment.

Daniel Kramer is remodeling the property which he recently purchased on Railroad Avenue.

Mrs. Bube has built an addition to her property occupied by Mr. Charles Marks on North Market street.

Mr. Daniel W. Kramer has broken ground for a handsome new dwelling on North Market street near his present residence.

The High School foot ball team was defeated by F. & M. Academy second at Lancaster last Friday afternoon by a score of 21 to 5.

WANTED—\$1,500 secured by first mortgage; interest paid semi-annually if desired; name rate; no agent. Address, "Money" Bulletin Office.

While out on his route serving his customers last Thursday Butcher C. K. Bennett was taken suddenly ill and had to be removed to his home. Jacob Arnts, the engineer at the Industrial Works, is now out of employment on account of the installation of an electric motor which will propel the machinery hereafter.

## A Musical Concert

On Friday evening, November 26, Miss Gertrude Murdock, a talented young musician will give a musical concert in the hall here for the benefit of David H. Nissley Post No. 478, G. A. R. Miss Murdock is quite an expert at the piano, especially when you consider that she is minus all the fingers of her one hand. In addition to the instrumental numbers there will be numerous vocal selections interspersed with comic and popular pieces. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Reserved seats, 10 cents extra. Chart at Garber's drug store. Don't fail to attend as our old war veterans are deserving of your presence.

## An Unusual Shoot

"Billy" Gantz, proprietor of the Farmers' Inn, will offer the sportsmen of this section something out of their ordinary on Thanksgiving afternoon and evening, November 25th, when a shooting match will be held close to the Farmers' Inn, in this place for a lot of turkeys, ducks and geese. In the afternoon all shooting will be with shot guns and in the evening nothing but rifles may be used. The latter will prove who the real marksmen are. Every body is invited to attend this grand shoot.

## A Good Number

The Martha Alexander Company the first number of the Star Course, appeared in the hall to a big audience last Friday evening and delighted all who had the pleasure of hearing them. The entertainment consisted of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, etc. There are three ladies in the company and the local management did well by securing such able entertainers. The second number of the course will be on Thursday, December 9th.

## Foot Ball Tomorrow

The last game of the season will be played here tomorrow afternoon, when the Elks A. C. of Lancaster, will be the attraction. This team defeated us earlier in the season and Manager Walters and his gridiron warriors will try hard and wipe out the defeat. Several new men will be found in the lineup. Kickoff at 2:30 sharp.

## Small Barn Burned

A small barn belonging to Martin Weidman, near Salunga, was entirely destroyed by fire on Thursday evening about six o'clock. The origin of the blaze is unknown. A cow and several hogs were saved, but a number of chickens were burned. The loss is several hundred dollars.

## Executions Issued

J. L. Heisey has issued an execution for \$349.22 against Charles A. Kerr, of Elizabethtown. John H. Eppler has issued an execution for \$600 against Edward C. Krodol, of Elizabethtown.

## Our Card Basket

**THE WHEREABOUTS OF OUR FRIENDS THE PAST WEEK**

Who and Where They Have Visited—Many Strangers Here Over Sunday—Were You Among Them?

Undertaker H. C. Brunner spent Sunday in Philadelphia.

Mr. John Wharvell spent days at Philadelphia this week.

Mr. Thomas J. Brown spent Friday and Saturday in Philadelphia.

Postmaster J. Fred Fennell made a business trip to Peque Monday.

Dr. M. O. Putt of Oberlin, Pa., was the guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Rickacker on Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Leib returned home Monday from a visit to her mother at Glen Loch, Pa.

Mr. Oscar Stout has returned from Warnersville, Pa., after an absence of several years.

Miss Bertha Doyle, a former resident, was circulating among friends in town this week.

Mr. M. M. Leib has returned from a two weeks' trip to northern Pennsylvania and Elmira, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hamaker returned home after spending a week with friends at Philadelphia.

Mr. Harry Powell, of Lancaster, spent Thursday in town as the guest of his friend, John H. Zeller.

Rev. Elmer E. Kaufman, a former resident of this place, circulated among friends in town this week.

Mr. Henry Derr is spending several days at Renova as the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Gephart.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Nissley, of Kansas City, were guests of the former's aunt, Miss Annie Shank Thursday.

Mr. Norman Heisey of Beavertown, Pa., spent several days in town last week as the guest of his parents on New Haven street.

Messrs. William Way and Harry Smith returned home from Lewisburg on Saturday evening where they had been employed.

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