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CIRCULATION ALWAYS COUNTS—OUR ADS BRING RESULTS—THAT'S WHY MERCHANTS USE THIS ADVERTISING MEDIUM

Obituary

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 Poff died at Mountville aged 76 years.

Mrs. Henrietta Davidson, a former resident of Columbia, died at Philadelphia.

George M. Delp of Manheim, died on Saturday evening aged 69 years. He served in the Civil War and for eight months was confined to Libby prison.

Frederick Lutz

Frederick Lutz, aged 38 years, of Marietta, died at the Columbia Hospital from typhoid fever.

Harry B. Gallagher

Harry B. Gallagher died at his home in Marietta on Sunday night aged 26 years, from pulmonary troubles.

Rev. Tobias Siegrist

Rev. Tobias Siegrist, of the Dunkard church, died near Millersville, aged 67 years. His wife and a number of children survive, among them being Isaac of near town and Aaron, of East Berlin, but formerly of town.

John R. Sellers

John R. Sellers, conductor on the Midletown Wreck Crew, while responding to a call on Saturday night fell between the cabin and the derrick car of his train and was ground to pieces. Deceased is a cousin of Mr. George Baughman of this place.

Buried at Maytown

The funeral of Mary, the five-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoffman, who died in the Columbia Hospital, was held from the home of the parents in Maytown, on Friday afternoon. Rev. G. Arthur Fry, of the Lutheran church officiated. Interment was made in the Union cemetery.

Solomon Gable

The death of Solomon Gable, occurred Wednesday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Shenk, near Salunga. Deceased was in his eighty-eighth year and was a cigarmaker by occupation, but retired many years ago. He was a member of the Lutheran church. His wife has been dead a number of years, but fourteen children survive.

The funeral was held from his late home on Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the Mennonite church at Salunga and interment in the cemetery adjoining.

Mrs. Leah Haines

Mrs. Leah Haines, widow of the late John Haines, one of the oldest residents of this place, died at her home on Wednesday, Feb. 14, aged 83 years. Three sons and five daughters survive, as follows: Geo. and Abraham, Susan, wife of Henry Derr; Rachel, wife of Elmer Given; Emma and Maggie, all of this place; Nehemiah and Mrs. Serena Fogey, Newtown. Mrs. B. F. Mishey, a sister and George Hoffmaster, a half-brother, of this place, also survive. Funeral services were held on Sunday morning. Interment in Mount Joy Cemetery.

Elias L. Flowers

Elias L. Flowers, one of the oldest and best known residents of Florin, died at his home in that place on Monday evening after a brief illness from infirmities due to old age. Deceased was aged 83 years, 10 months and 25 days. He was a shoemaker by occupation and for many years was a member of the Brinsford denomination. Besides his second wife, he leaves these children: Henry, of Elizabethtown; George W., of Florin; Mary, wife of Frank Shultz, of this place, and Miss Esther of near town. The funeral will be held Thursday forenoon in the Methodist Church at Florin at ten o'clock.

Mrs. Catharine White

On Monday afternoon, the funeral of Mrs. Catharine White, widow of the late Joseph White, who died at her home at Back Run, Rapho township, on Friday, was held, with services at Fairview Church at Naumann's town, and interment at Hernley's burial ground, north of this place. She was 84 years old, death being due to her advanced years. She is survived by these children: Benjamin White residing at Sporting Hill; Mrs. Minnie Hummel, Back Run; Joseph White and Mrs. Fannie Good, Shannon, Illinois, and Mrs. Sallie Krall, St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Barbara Peck

Mrs. Barbara Peck, widow of Frederick Peck, died on Monday at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Catharine Myers, who resides along

the turnpike about two miles west of Elizabethtown on the David Myers farm, at the age of ninety-six years. Deceased was born in West London township, on the farm now owned by John Rider, about a mile below Buck Lock, and was a sister of Mrs. Rebecca Gingrich, formerly of Royalton, and Mrs. Christian Gingrich, who resides near Geyer's church. The surviving relatives are one sister, Mrs. Leo Stoudt, of Hoernerstown; Joseph Peck, a stepson of Elizabethtown; and Mrs. Longenecker, the wife of Rev. David Longenecker, of Reading. The funeral was held at the house at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning.

A BARN BURNED

Fire Started by Sparks Causes Heavy Loss

A large barn on the farm of Rev. Levi Musser, a minister of the River Brethren denomination, half a mile west of here, was destroyed by fire on Thursday, causing a loss of several thousand dollars. The threshing outfit of Mr. Daniel Derr had been in use in the barn on Wednesday. It was being operated close to the fodder stack, but a close watch was maintained to prevent a fire. On Thursday morning at about 7 o'clock, when he arrived on the farm to remove the outfit it was necessary to start the fire in the boiler of the engine. A spark from the engine lodged in the fodder stack and in a short time the flames had made great headway. From the fodder stack the flames communicated to the barn, which was a large structure of the old style with stone wall gable ends. It was about 48x70 feet in dimensions and had a tobacco shed attached.

The live stock was saved with the exception of one hog, but the flames spread with such rapidity that it was impossible to save the farm implements. In addition to these the straw and hay and some wheat were consumed. Some tobacco was also consumed but only recently much of the crop had been sold and delivered.

By hard work the pig sty and corn barn, located near to the burning buildings were prevented from falling prey to the flames.

The loss on the buildings and contents will probably reach \$3,500. There was a rumor current that the River Brethren did not believe in fire insurance, that Rev. Musser did not carry any insurance and that the members of the church would make good the loss. This, however is a wrong impression.

The River Brethren denomination have formed their own insurance company called the Brethren's Fire Aid. The company carries about \$3,000,000 worth of insurance and one of the best in this section. In this company Rev. Musser carries \$1,800 on the barn. The contents were also amply covered.

Mr. George Shetter of Florin, is quite a loser thru this fire. He farmed tobacco on this farm and was stripping it at the time. Eighteen bales of tobacco were consumed. When the barn was discovered to be on fire, Mr. Shetter was in the tobacco cellar. He quickly ran to assist and a little later, upon returning for his coat in which there was a purse containing a \$10 bill, was unable to get it, and his coat, purse and money went up in smoke.

Lost His Teeth

One of the strangest railroad episodes that we ever encountered, happened a few evenings ago while returning from Harrisburg. A certain man from Elizabethtown, had been to Lancaster and upon returning home exclaimed, when he reached Elizabethtown, and actually insisted that that was not his home, and of course went thru to Harrisburg. He returned on the next train and when alighting at his home town, left a full set of upper and lower teeth lying on the seat which he had occupied. They were returned to him within a few days but imagine a man dieting on soup that length of time and a hard working blacksmith at that.

Big Sale a Success

The big sale at S. B. Bernhart & Co.'s, is beyond a doubt one of the greatest successes in the history of the store. That the reductions are good honest ones was clearly demonstrated by the fact that never before have the clerks waited on so many satisfied customers. The second week of the sale the firm will add other material and will make an effort to exceed the first week's sales. The third week of the sale will make you all sit up and take notice. Watch this store's big ad for further particulars.

The Sheriff Did It

The sheriff has sold the personal property of Benjamin Blocher, of Rapho township, for \$177.25.

Personals

THE WHEREABOUTS OF OUR FRIENDS THE PAST WEEK

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

Miss Anna Hoffer of Elizabethtown, called on friends in town.

Jeweler S. H. Miller spent a few days in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. Phil Pyle of the Smoky City, called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Eshleman spent Monday at Maytown with friends.

Our former townsmen C. L. Eby, of Lemoyne, Pa., was in town Friday.

Miss McNeal of Marietta, called on relatives and friends here on Sunday.

These were responded to by America, Maude Schroll. The history of these different countries were interspersed by number of choruses.

Rev. Kern gave a most interesting talk, comparing a lead pencil to the life of a child.

PRESIDENT ENTERTAINS

On Saturday afternoon the entire League, which numbers 106, were entertained by the President. Five were graduated as follows: Marie Klugh, Gladys Flowers, Jennie Witmer, Ruth Yellets and Mary Jackson.

Diplomas were given tied with their Luther League colors, Black, Red, White, Blue and Gold. Ninety-six were present.

ENTERTAINS HIS FRIENDS

On Monday evening Mr. S. A. Rickert of this place, entertained a number of his friends. A grand banquet was served at Mr. J. M. Backstage's Exchange Hotel. Covers were laid for thirteen. Those present were: Mr. Albert Dierolf, Miss Blanche Kilburn, Miss Nona Marks, Miss Katharine Lehman, Miss Florence Witmer of Lancaster; Mr. and Mrs. John G. Keener, Miss Beulah Detwiler, Mr. Carl Bube, Mr. Morris Groff, Mr. Clayton Keller, Mr. Harry Getz, Mr. S. A. Rickert, all of this place.

AFTER PARTAKING OF AN EXCELLENT RE-

LAST EVENING MR. RICKERT ESCORTED HIS GUESTS TO HIS HOME ON WEST MAIN STREET, WHERE A FINE TIME WAS HAD BY ALL. THERE WAS VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC, GALORE AND ALL RETURNED HOME WISHING MR. RICKERT MANY MORE SUCH HAPPY EVENTS.

A GRAND SUCCESS

The entertainment in Mount Joy Hall last evening by the Alumni Association of the Mount Joy High School was a success in every way.

The parts were all well taken, the rendition more than pleased and the audience was all that could be expected, as nearly every seat in the house was occupied. The entertainment will net a neat sum for the Association's treasury.

THE RAPHO TEACHERS

The teachers of Rapho township will hold their annual institute at Sporting Hill on Saturday, March 2.

There will be sessions in the morning and afternoon. Many interesting topics in line with school work will be discussed. There will also be vocal and instrumental music, recitations, essays and an address by Prof. E. K. Stricker.

SALE WAS ADJOURNED

The real estate of the late Levi Shank, a fine brick property corner of Marietta and Delta streets, was offered at public sale yesterday afternoon by auctioneer Charles H. Zeller. The bid was \$3,005 and the sale was adjourned until next Tuesday afternoon.

CUT WITH AN AXE

Milton Ely, a son of Hiram Ely, residing near Wild Cat Falls, on the York County side of the river, about two miles above Marietta, is suffering with a badly cut ankle, which occurred while chopping wood. The wound is about four inches in length and causes considerable pain.

REAL ESTATE SOLD

TODAY MERCHANT H. E. EBERSOLE

AYS AS FOLLOWS: BUTTER, 34¢; EGGS

28¢; LARD 11¢; POTATOES \$1.25.

TODAY BRANDT & STEHMAN PAY AS

FOLLOWS: WHEAT \$1.00; CORN 71¢, AND OATS 56¢.

SUBPOENAS IN DIVORCE

THE COURT HAS ALLOWED THE FOLLOW-

ING SUBPOENAS IN DIVORCE:

JACOB E. KREADY, MT. JOY TOWNSHIP AGAINST AMANDA B. KREADY, DEFEN-

DANT.

A FATAL WRECK

IS WHAT YOU READ EVERY DAY. THERE

WOULD NOT BE SO MANY WEEKS IF THEY

KNEW OF GETZ BROS. ALL WOOL CLOTHES

OUR POLICY IS "LEAVE THE COTTON

WRECK OUT."

ANOTHER COLD WAVE

IS COMING AND TO KEEP WARM COME

AND GET ONE OF OUR OVERCOATS, \$15.00

VALUES, \$9.00. GETZ BROS.

FREELAND OVERALLS, THE BEST MADE

50 CENTS A PAIR. GETZ BROS.

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THE BIG SALE AT S. B. BERNHART &

CO.'S, IS BEYOND A DOUBT ONE OF

THE GREATEST SUCCESSES IN THE HISTORY

OF THE STORE. THAT THE REDUCTIONS

ARE GOOD HONEST ONES WAS CLEARLY DEMONSTRATED BY THE FACT THAT NEVER BEFORE HAVE THE CLERKS WAITED ON SO

MANY SATISFIED CUSTOMERS. THE SEC

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ADD OTHER MATERIAL AND WILL MAKE AN

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BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS AT GREAT-

LY REDUCED PRICES AT GETZ BROS.

THE SIXTH ANNIVERSARY

JUNIOR LUTHER LEAGUE HERE RENDERS

A GOOD PROGRAM

THE JUNIOR LUTHER LEAGUE CELEB-

RATED ITS SIXTH ANNIVERSARY BY A

MOST APPROPRIATE MISSIONARY PRO-

GRAMME ENTITLED "CHILDREN OF ALL

NATIONS," BEING HELD IN THE CHURCH

ON FRIDAY EVENING TO A LARGE AND APPRECIATIVE AUDIENCE.

THE PRESIDENT IN CHARGE WAS CHARLES DE LONG.

THE REPRESENTATIVES WERE AS FOLLOWS:

INDIA—MARIE KLUGH; PERSIA—HELEN KRALL; COREA—THEDA WALTERS;

CHINA—GRACE PENNABAKER; SIAM—EDGAR MISSEMER; EGYPT—MARY DIEROLF; JAPAN—EVELYN BUITS; GREENLAND—JAY KLUGH; MEXICO—JENNIE WITMER; INDIA—ALLEN MORTEN; AFRICA—ESTELLA SEVERA.

THESE WERE RESPONDED TO BY AMERICA,