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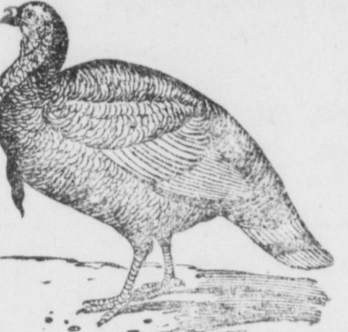
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Thanksgiving

BIG NATIONAL HOLIDAY WILL BE OBSERVED THURSDAY

A Brief Account of the Origin of the Day is Appended—A Day Set Apart for Prayer, Rejoicing and Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is a day especially set apart for prayer, rejoicing and feasting, originated with Governor Bradford, of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. He proclaimed a day for Thanksgiving in gratitude for the plentiful harvest of 1621, following seasons of depression. The day set apart was Dec. 13 (old style) of that year. He supplemented his proclamation by sending out four men in search of game, which was the first introduction of our reliable friend, the turkey, as a Thanksgiving necessity. After the religious services of the day, it is told, while partaking of the sumptuous dinner, ninety friendly Indians, with their chief, Massasoit, came into the camp bearing haunches of venison. The day of thanksgiving lengthened into three, the feasting being varied with the singing of psalms, war dances by the Indians and exhibitions of military drill by Capt. Miles Standish's soldiery. The festival proved a prelude to frequent days of thanksgiving in following years. Sometimes it was appointed once a year, sometimes twice, and sometimes a year or two were skipped, according as reasons for giving thanks presented themselves. The festival became an annual one in Massachusetts in 1684, and was imitated by all of New England. The traditions as to a Thanksgiving menu have been well preserved. Turkey, chicken pie, pumpkin pie, etc., being the usual dishes in the early history of the event. In New England it was common to hold raffles on Thanksgiving Eve, and a shooting match on Thanksgiving Day. Washington issued a proclamation for a general Thanksgiving by the Continental Army, Dec. 18, 1777, and again at Valley Forge May 7, 1778, and when President, Nov. 26, 1789. Following Washington several Presidents issued general proclamations on special occasions, but finally it was left to the Governors of the States. Sarah J. Hale, editor of Godey's Magazine, Philadelphia, was probably responsible for its general observance on a regular date. She wrote letters to the Governors of all the States suggesting that they should, by proclamation appoint the last Thursday in November as a day of Thanksgiving, so that the celebration might be given a national character. This she did year after year, until the appointment of that day became finally established.



The Union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. G. W. Dungan, M. D., pastor, on Thursday, beginning at 10 o'clock. The following order of service will be observed: Hymn, Choir; Prayer, Rev. Rishe; Scripture, Rev. Johnson; Hymn; Sermon, Rev. Kern; Prayer, Rev. Spangler; Quarter; Offering; Doxology; Benediction, Rev. Dungan.

The cloth bound souvenir books of Mount Joy are now ready for distribution and are a credit to the publishers, Messrs. Chandler and Sheetz. They must be seen to be appreciated, representing a vast amount of labor. One of these should be in every home in this entire community.

A bright young man to learn printing. Good wages paid from the start with an increase every three months. Apply at the Bulletin office, East Main St. Mt. Joy.

While looking over some old papers a few days ago Mr. D. H. Engle found a deed 108 years old.

Wedding, Birthday and Xmas gifts at Donaven's.

Florin News

HAPPENINGS IN THE BUSY VIL- AGE WEST OF HERE

Local and Personal Briefs That Have Occurred Since Our Last Issue in Our Hustling and Wide Awake Neighbor Village, Florin.

Mr. Oscar Young spent Friday at Elizabethtown.

Mr. E. S. Weaver sold 57 extra fine horses last week.

Mrs. Leah Rutherford, is spending several weeks at Marietta.

George Neff and H. K. Geyer, spent Sunday at Union Square.

Revival services will start at Eby's church on Sunday night.

Henry Rinehart is visiting friends in the Western part of the state.

Mr. David Hollinger of Marietta, called on friends in town Sunday.

Mr. A. R. Strickler of Lancaster, visited relatives in town Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Rutherford, spent Sunday at Marietta visiting relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Bennett and son of Altoona, spent Sunday at Geo. Geyer's.

Mr. George M. Hauck of Lancaster, called on friends in town Monday.

Mr. David Hartz of Harrisburg, made a business trip to town Monday.

A series of revival services will be held at Eby's church starting on Sunday.

Mr. W. F. Comstock of Lancaster made a business trip to town on Monday.

Mr. Elmer Klue is confined to the house with an attack of Rheumatism.

Mr. Emlin Buller, sold his valuable driving horse to Mr. J. K. Freymeyer.

Mr. Harrison Binkly of Lancaster, spent Monday in town as guest of friends.

R. V. Fegley has moved his household effects from this place to Des Moines, Iowa.

The supper held by the Florin Tennis club on Saturday was a grand success.

Mr. Jacob Hatz of Harrisburg, called on friends in our busy little village Monday.

Mr. C. C. Hallman of Lancaster, delivered several fine horses in this section Monday.

Messrs. Jay and Loyd Nissley, are spending a week in the mountains hunting.

Mr. Ira Funk of Reading was the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Funk over Sunday.

Messrs. Samuel Risser, Aaron Kuhns and Oscar Young spent Saturday at Elizabethtown.

Geo. Neff of Elizabethtown College, spent Sunday as the guest of his chum H. K. Geyer.

Don't forget that this is red letter week at Freymeyer's. Go and get your free stamps this week.

Mr. Abraham Hall of Philadelphia, spent Sunday as the guest of J. H. Haldeman and family.

Leo Kobb and family of Elizabethtown, spent Sunday as guests of George Geyer and family.

Mr. C. M. Stephan of Elizabethtown, was a welcome visitor to friends in the village, Monday.

Messrs. A. M. Garman and D. H. Garman of Palmyra, spent Sunday in town as the guest of friends.

Miss Myrtle Sprout of Lancaster, spent several days as the guest of her cousin Stella Wachstetter.

Mr. Addison Breneman and family spent Sunday at Rock Point as the guest of his brother Henry.

Mr. Harold Buller purchased a fine rabbit hound from Mr. J. D. Easton, which he prizes very highly.

Mary A. Cooper, of Harrisburg, is spending sometime as the guest of her daughter Mrs. J. D. Easton.

Messrs. Samuel, Henry and Oscar Young and Heby Weaver spent Monday at Washington Boro.

Harry Musselman and family of Harrisburg, spent Sunday here as guests of Henry Musselman and family.

Mr. Abram Eichler and family of Steelton, called on the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eichler on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Arndt and son Harold spent Sunday in Mount Joy the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Schroll.

Mr. George Vogle our local auctioneer and butcher killed a fine porker for Max Nentwig on Monday that dressed 324 pounds.

L. M. Wentzel and wife, N. R. Bistline of Blain, J. M. Wentzel of Harrisburg, A. D. Garber of Florin, made an auto trip to Philadelphia on Friday.

Mr. Isaac Sheaffer a representative of Ayer and McKinney, produce dealers of Philadelphia, made a pleasant call at the home of Mr. Jacob Rutherford, Monday.

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 Gone to Their Reward.

Mrs. Mary Willey, widow of Geo. Willey of Columbia, is dead aged 66 years.

Miss Eliza H. Huber died at the Mennonite Home at Oreville aged 68 years.

John S. Fessel died at Columbia from typhoid pneumonia in his 53rd year.

Miss Annie T. Kehoe died on Sunday at Columbia aged 34 years. The remains were interred at Klinesville.

Rev. James H. Esterline, D. D., a former Church of God pastor who is well known here, died at Thummont, Md., from apoplexy aged 67 years.

Jacob Libhart The funeral of Jacob Libhart, the retired undertaker and furniture dealer, was held from his late home on Market street, Marietta at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, was largely attended.

J. Frederick Maulick J. Frederick Maulick, a retired hotel keeper and brewer, was found dead at his home on Third street, Marietta, on Wednesday morning. He had complained of feeling ill, and Dr. Mowery was summoned, but when he arrived he found Mr. Maulick dead. Death was due to apoplexy. He is survived by two daughters, Matilda, wife of Joseph Killian, Anna, wife of John Housel; and two sons, Frederick and Ernest, all of Marietta. He was a life-long member of the Lutheran Church.

The Next Krebs Lecture The second of the series of lectures to be delivered in the hall here by Dr. Krebs will be Friday evening, Dec. 6. Here is what an exchange had to say in regards to his subject to be used on this occasion:

Dr. Stanley L. Krebs, of Swathmore, delivered his remarkable lecture and sermon on "Three Gods or One?" last night, in our Church, to an audience of over 550. The church was crowded, and those who came late had to return home. Beyond a doubt, it is the finest address I ever heard upon the subject. For an hour and a quarter his eloquence and splendid logical thought held the people spell-bound. All the best people of the town heard him; and, with a delight and mental pleasure to them, he carried them into the profoundest avenues of reasoning. Many competent persons said it was the greatest handling of this greatest subject they ever heard. While it was remarkable for its depth, the least intellectual found it easy to grasp. It is the talk of the town today, and already there is talk of planning for his return in the future, although he spent a whole week here before Christmas as a lecturer before our County Teacher's Institute, and was heard by masses then. All the ministers present said it was able, thoughtful, scriptural, scientific and orthodox.

The Ladies' Glee Club of Salunaga will be present and render a number of selections. Reserved seats 35 cents. The chart is now open at Garber's Drug Store.

Will Lecture Mrs. Sarah Ernest Snyder, of Pittsburg, Pa., will give one of her great lectures, in the Evangelical Church, Saturday evening, at 7:45 P. M. under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society. Annual "Thank offering Service." If you want Missionary intelligence, inspiration, enthusiasm, or be fired upon the subject of Missions, do not fail to hear this "Twentieth Century Silver Tongued Missionary Orator." The U. B. Quartette of town will sing. Everybody invited.

Granted a Divorce John R. Barnhart of Elizabethtown has been granted a divorce from his wife, Sarah M. Barnhart. Desertion and cruel treatment were the grounds alleged.

Divorce Granted Effie M. Baker of West Hempfield was granted a divorce from Irvin M. Baker of this place, on the ground of desertion.

Charter Recorder The charter of the East Donegal Water Company has been recorded. The incorporators are Henry Weaver of Florin and Daniel Weaver and Raymond S. Bickler, of Lebanon county. The capital stock is 5,000 divided into 50 shares.

Larceny of Fish Net Alleged Amos Foltz, of East Petersburg, has given bail for a hearing before Alderman Stauffer on a charge of larceny preferred by Amos Klesinger. It is claimed by Klesinger that Foltz stole a fish net.

Auxiliary Meeting The regular meeting of the Hospitality Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. Louisa Frank on Thursday afternoon, December 5th at three o'clock

Convention

WELL ATTENDED SESSIONS HELD HERE YESTERDAY

Undoubtedly the Most Successful Convention Ever Held—A Very Large Attendance—Illness Prevented Mr. Boehm From Attending—The New Officers

The Mount Joy Borough and Township Sunday School Convention was held in the Lutheran church here yesterday afternoon and evening.

Rev. F. G. Bossert of the Presbyterian church opened the Quiet Hour at two o'clock with song, Joy to the World. He read for the lesson Isa. 9th chapter and spoke at length on "His name shall be called Wonderful."

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, after which the president appointed the following nominating committee: Messrs. Wm. Tyndall, Frank Stoll and J. S. Hamaker.

Mrs. Estella Bucher, superintendent of the Elementary department reported three graded schools in Mount Joy, viz., Lutheran, United Brethren and Presbyterian. Miss Wallace followed with a splendid outline for Elementary work and very good reasons why all Sunday Schools should be graded.

Miss Alice Strickler, superintendent of Home Department for Lancaster County, gave a very good illustration of the results and good work of the Home Department which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Pres.—H. N. Nisslev.
V. Pres.—Harry Stoll
Secy.—Edith Myers

Treas.—S. F. Eshleman.
Supt. Home Dept.—Dr. E. W. Garber.
Supt. O. A. B. C.—H. E. Greenwalt.

Teacher Training—Rev. F. G. Bossert.
Secondary—Miss Carrie Frank.
Elementary—Miss Estella Bucher.

Missions—Miss Alice Klugh.
Temperance—Mrs. J. S. Eby.
The evening services were splendid all the way thru. The singing by the High School, as heretofore was excellent, as was also the solo by Miss Marie Zeller, entitled, "In a Pilgrim."

Rev. James A. Boehm was on the program for an address but was unable to be present on account of sickness.

The address by Rev. Lewis Mudge D. D., was full of advice to our Sunday School teachers, telling them that to be successful teachers they must be pious, praying and trained teachers. His subject was "The Responsibility of the Teachers for the Spiritual Welfare of the Pupil."

After singing No. 275, the most successful convention ever held closed with the benediction by Rev. J. E. Johnson.

Flittings Mr. Joseph Bundle moved to Elizabethtown today.

Mr. Joseph Farrel moved to Philadelphia last Thursday.

Mr. Martin Brown moved into the C. Seitz property east of town on Friday.

Mrs. Mary Michael moved from the Detweiler orphan school building to the Brown property on Mt. Joy street.

Will Consider Change of Name A meeting of the members of the Kinderhook church and Sunday school will be held on Wednesday evening, November 27, at eight o'clock, for the purpose of considering the question of changing the name of the Sunday school from Union to United Evangelical. All persons concerned are urged to attend.

Robbed at Celebration J. F. Eyle, of this place and Charles Wentzler of Lancaster, attended the Eighth ward ox roast at Lancaster, Thursday and when they had been parted both found that they had been robbed. Mr. Eyle was relieved of \$7 and Mr. Wentzler of \$26. The matter was reported to the police.

Changed Date of Apple Sale Mr. C. S. Frank has changed the date of his apple sale from Thursday, Nov. 28th to Saturday, Nov. 30. If you are looking for choice hand picked apples don't miss this sale.

Another Tree Removed Yesterday another of the large maple shade trees in the park were removed and unfortunately the tree could not be managed, fell toward the Reed property, and broke down a portion of the fence.

Donaven's have the largest display of Dolls, Toys, Games and Books shown in Mount Joy.

Local Notes

MANY SHORT NEWS ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Brief Local Happenings Gathered as They Occur With the Whirl of the World for Quick Reading Within the Past Few Days.

This office will be closed tomorrow.

J. B. Keller's Cattle sale was largely attended on Friday.

Wanted—a good hired man. Apply to C. I. Swarr, Mt. Joy. Don't fail to see the new Strie Sweaters at Bernhart & Co's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sherk announce the birth of a son last Wednesday. For Sale—a fine general purpose driving horse, call on J. K. Freymeyer.

Don't fail to see the display of Cut Glass and Fancy China at Donaven's. Henry S. Musser of Rapho is the executor of Martin N. Musser, late of East Hempfield.

Don't fail to read the advertisement of D. B. Kleffer & Co. elsewhere in this issue. Leather goods—Pocket Books, Hand Bags, Card Cases, Music Rolls, etc., at Donaven's.

Christian M. Hostetter and Stella D. Mowrer of Rapho were granted a marriage license yesterday.

Strayed away—Billy, a small gray cat with four white feet. Notify Katie Stauffer, R. D. No. 2.

Oysters served on Sunday, same as through the week, at the La Pierre House, 35 and 50c per quart. Simon H. Landis and Elizabeth Weaver, both of West Donegal, were granted a license to wed on Monday.

B. E. Hiestand real estate dealer, sold the Morris Stauffer farm on private terms to Mr. Amos Bertelmeier of Salunaga.

Wanted—Competent lady stenographer with knowledge of book-keeping preferred. Address Lock Box Q, Florin, Pa.

Laura May, daughter of Isaiah Sumpman, was tendered a post card surprise on Saturday, it being her fourth birthday.

Don't fail to attend the big shooting match on Saturday, Nov. 30th at the Farmer's Inn, George Morrett Prop. for a lot of fine Turkeys and Geese.

Rev. Prof. E. E. Stauffer, of Albright College, Myerstown, representing the Anti Saloon League, will speak in the Methodist Episcopal Church, on Sunday evening, 7 o'clock.

Wanted—Two or three families of workers for Woolen Mill. Steady work at good wages and steady expenses paid for satisfactory families. Apply to our address George Brown's Sons, Mount Joy, Pa.

New P. R. R. Schedule A new schedule went into effect on the Pennsylvania Railroad here on Sunday and effects a number of our local trains. The time of the trains here follows:

Eastward, weekdays—7:09, 8:34 and 11:46 A. M. and 12:38, 2:28, 5:17, 8:09 and 11:50 P. M. Sundays—9:17 A. M. and 4:12 and 7:49 P. M.

Westward, weekdays—6:45, 10:05 and 10:39 A. M. and 2:27, 6:47 and 7:52 P. M. Sundays—7:20 and 10:39 A. M. and 1:57 and 7:47 P. M.

The most important change is the train west in the evening shortly before 6 o'clock which will hereafter be 6:47.

APPLES! APPLES! I have received this season 730 bbl. fine New York State apples; I have now on hand principally Baldwin's which is the best apple at this time of the year. I guarantee every barrel to be sound and to run even through the barrel; any one who buys a barrel and finds them different will please notify me or return them to me. I bought the finest orchard of Baldwin's apples in that section of New York State. I have sold now over 400 barrels. I also have a few russet and other varieties and some Coopers Mountain, which is a very late apple. I ask your patronage on these fine apples. I am respectfully yours, G. MOYER.

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