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

Two Sent To Jail

The Third Foreigner Is Held As A Witness

GIVEN A HEARING BEFORE JUSTICE FRY AT BAINBRIDGE FRIDAY

The accused must answer for the murder of Alexander Suruskalet whose throat was cut during a drunken brawl on the night of March 24th.

The three foreigners who were participants in the brawl at Billmyer on the night of March 24, when one man was murdered by having his throat cut, were taken to Bainbridge from the county jail on Friday afternoon by Constable William B. Collins for a hearing before Justice I. Oliver Fry. The prisoners were Karl Polusuk, Samuel Korset and James Lukasuk. They were charged with killing Alexander Suruskalet.

The prisoners showed no signs of nervousness, save the one, Karl Polusuk, who wept considerably in the justice's office. The first witness heard was Mrs. Lizzie Mesares, who conducts a boarding house where the man was killed and she said that they never had any trouble until that night. Lukasuk boarded with her and the time of the affray was about ten o'clock at night. The dead man did not board there. He came to get one of her boarders to work for him that evening. They had been drinking freely and were fighting several times. She testified that she saw one of the men, Polusuk, with a big stick of wood in his hand and that Korset had the knife at the beginning of the affray. This was in her kitchen. She said this man was the only one seen by her with a knife. Justice Fry at this point showed a knife which was taken from the bed of one of the men and after some talk the men did not know who it belonged to. The husband of the mistress of the house found the knife in the bed which was covered with blood. In this bed Lukasuk slept.

The next witness called was George Mesos, who stated that he lives at Billmyer and with his sister only a few doors away from where the cutting occurred. He saw the man before and after he was dead and heard the fight early in the evening by the four men above mentioned.

Andrew Saybor said he lives at Billmyer and boards with Mrs. Mesares. He was upstairs at the time in bed and saw the man that died fall down the stairs, but saw nobody with a knife. He also heard them swearing loud and they had been drinking.

Michael Mullik also boards with Mrs. Mesares and said they had all been fighting early in the evening after they came back from Bainbridge where three of the men had been ejected by one of the landlords from that place, they were intoxicated. He said that the dead man was the loudest of them all and came with the three into the house, but he did not board there. The last he saw of the dead man was in the kitchen and then one of the others wanted him to tell Mr. Longenecker, the superintendent of the quarries that, Lukasuk and Korset had killed Suruskalet.

Karl Polusuk was next called and he wept when about to take the oath. This man was a friend of the dead man and was seen with a stick before the fatal end. He had not been upstairs where the killing was supposed to have been done, but saw the dead man lying at the foot of the stairs. He also saw Korset lying on top when they were found by him at the foot of the stairs.

Korset said he got the blood on his hands and trousers while assisting to dress the wounds of Lukasuk before the doctor came. He also said that the knife looks like that of the dead man's.

Lukasuk said that he was drunk at the time and he was fighting, but would not tell much about the case. He seemed very much unconcerned about the matter and is believed to know more than he would tell.

be subpoenaed for the trial at court. Justice Fry committed Korset and Lukasuk for trial at court, being held for the murder and Polusuk was held as a witness. They were taken to the county jail that evening by Constable Collins from Bainbridge.

Will We Be Favored?
The time for the annual Spring Change in the schedule of the Pennsylvania Railroad is rapidly approaching, being about a month distant, and we hope the "Pennsylv" schedule makers will remember Mount Joy in two instances.

We have most excellent accommodations here with but two exceptions. We should have a train making regular stops here east between 8:32 and 11:44. No. 64, east, going thru here about ten o'clock, and which used to stop here, would be a great accommodation to the public. There is no good reason why this train couldn't stop, even if it is a heavy one, as it can easily be started again on the "down grade" at the depot.

Last, but not least, and of far more necessity is a train west, stopping here about six o'clock in the evening. We have no train from Lancaster between 2:27 and 6:47 P. M., a period of four hours and twenty minutes. Quite a number of people from town work at Lancaster and travel back and forth daily. Hundreds of our citizens go to Lancaster weekly and are desirous of getting home in time for supper. They must either do without the supper or eat it late.

Why can't we have Altoona Express, leaving Lancaster at 5:27 P. M., stop here? This would be an ideal train and would fill all requirements of the traveling public at this point. Here's hoping the officials will give these two suggestions, due consideration.

LEG BADLY BROKEN

Mr. Peter Walters of Florin is Now at the General Hospital
Mr. Peter Walters of Florin was very unfortunate on Monday afternoon. He is the driver of Mr. E. S. Moore's coal and lumber team and was driving thru Water Alley, in Florin when he met another team. In an effort to pass, his wagon upset and he was thrown heavily to the ground. His left leg was badly fractured above the ankle.

He was attended by Drs. Thome and Newpher of this place and they found the injury so severe that he was removed to the General Hospital at Lancaster that evening.

That's Scientific Feeding
Mr. Christian Nissley has two farms south of town on which he fed twenty-four head of steers. He bought them Oct. 17, 1912 and sold them March 31st. In a few days over five months they gained 432 pounds each. They were sold to Mr. Gingrich of Lawn at 8 1/2 cents and were the finest lot fed in this section. Their net gain was also remarkable considering the brief period they were stable fed. Two weeks of the above time they were only pastured. This also speaks well for Mr. Nissley's farmers. Mr. Christian Nissley jr. and our former townsman and merchant Mr. Charles A. Greider.

This Interests Many
The Mount Joy Ladies Auxiliary of the Lancaster General Hospital announce to the people of Mount Joy that persons in need of the services of the Hospital and unable to pay for same may avail themselves of these services free of charge by applying to the Burgess of the town. This offer unity has been made possible through the provision in the will of the late Aaron B. Stoner of Mount Joy.

A Nice Gain
On Sept. 14, 1912 Mr. C. A. Greider south of town, purchased a bull that weighed 740 lbs. Today he sold him and the annual showed a gain of 475 lbs.

Oysters Till May 15
I will serve first class oysters in every style at the Washington House Cafe daily until May 15. Jno. B. Gantz, Proprietor.

Young Men Wanted
To come and see the new Spring Suits that Getz Bros. are showing. \$7.50 up.

Here's a Funny One
A Lancaster furniture dealers' team was going out the Litz pike yesterday with \$400 worth of furniture when all of a sudden the wagon was in flames. The furniture and wagon were burned. The driver said he doesn't smoke—es mawk so si.

A GOOD, SOUND BUSINESS

The Farmers' Creamery Company Quite Prosperous and Entering

Our local Farmers' Creamery Company here has closed the most successful year in its business and has just entered on its twentieth year with best of prospects for still larger patronage.

It is operated on the cooperator plan and is owned by more than 200 stockholders who nearly all at some time were hauling milk to this company.

At the end of each month the expenses are deducted from the receipts the balance is paid out to the patrons for milk. The stockholders of the Company, receiving 5 per cent, for money invested in building, machinery and working capital and all stockholders and patrons of the Creamery are invited to examine the books of the Company, as they are open to all interested.

The year 1912 just closed it has paid its patrons nearly \$200,000 for milk and cream.

The prices are not announced in advance but are adjusted after the net proceeds are figured out, the following prices were paid for the last four months Nov. 46c; Dec. 50c; Jan. 44c; Feb. 45c; Mar. 46c; for butter fat, the Mar. payment will go out the 15th of April if these prices are compared with its competitors, you will find it will pay you to patronize same; continuously, besides it is the only cooperation creamery operated so successfully within a large radius, we notice in some nearby counties and sections the prices within this period were as low as \$1.45 for milk and 30c for butter fat of the milk producers in this vicinity will only go to the trouble and inquire a little they will find out that this company has been worth many thousands of dollars to them not only directly but indirectly.

Early Closing
We, the undersigned merchants of Mount Joy Boro, do agree to close our respective places of business each evening of the week at six o'clock, Saturday excepted, from Monday April 28th, to Wednesday, October 1st, 1913:

H. E. Ebersole
C. N. Mumma
G. Moyer
John H. Buohl
H. G. Hazenberger
D. H. Enle
H. H. Krall
Simon Menaugh
Getz Bros.
H. C. Brunner
S. B. Bernhart & Co.
S. H. Miller
M. S. Bowman
H. S. Newcomer

Personal Happenings

Findings of Our Many Reporters the Past Week

THE WHEREABOUTS OF OUR FRIENDS THE PAST WEEK

What Our Able Corps of Reporters Found in the Card Basket About Yourself, Your Friends and Your Acquaintances.

Mr. E. S. Geesey of York, spent Friday in our midst.

Mr. C. B. Hershey spent Tuesday in Harrisburg on business.

Mr. J. J. Behney of Lebanon was seen in town Saturday.

Mr. H. A. Bowman of Harrisburg, spent Saturday here.

Mr. Morris Eisenhart of Lebanon was in town Thursday.

Mr. M. B. Miller of Lancaster, spent Monday in town.

Mr. Jno. S. Groom of Philadelphia was in town on Monday.

Mr. E. E. Dyer of Richmond, Ind., was in town yesterday.

Mr. C. A. Martin of Newville spent yesterday in our borough.

Mr. J. H. Stiles of York was the guest of friends here Friday.

Mr. Walter Gillam of Pittsburgh, spent last Wednesday in town.

Mr. H. G. Brown of Harrisburg, spent last Wednesday in town.

Mr. C. H. Beisel of Altoona, spent Wednesday in the borough.

Mr. B. F. Steigelman of Harrisburg, spent Thursday in town.

Mr. Amos H. Risser of Elizabethtown, spent Saturday in town.

Mr. F. S. Lachance of Harrisburg, called on our business men Monday.

Mr. C. D. Hartman, of Philadelphia, was the guest of friends here Friday.

Messrs. Behmer, Jacobs and Meese of Lancaster, spent yesterday in town visiting friends.

Mrs. Galbraith of Harrisburg was the guest of Mrs. A. K. Manning on Saturday.

Miss H. C. Aller of Glen Loch is spending several days here with her sister, Mrs. M. M. Leib.

Mr. Henry J. Wolf Jr. and Miss Ethel M. Wolf of Lancaster, spent yesterday here with friends.

Mr. Melvin Peffer of Harrisburg visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peffer on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Gribbel of Renova, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wesley Curgan for a few days.

Miss Belle Leader of Elizabethtown attended the funeral of Miss Ethel Harry Saturday afternoon.

Miss Sarah Shank of Lancaster, visited friends and relatives in Florin and this place on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Brown of Philadelphia visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Brown, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Bernice Garber of Lancaster spent a few days in town the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Shelly.

Miss Katharine Fortenbaugh of Lancaster, spent a week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dieter.

Mrs. Elizabeth Owens of New York City spent Saturday and Sunday as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Manning.

Misses Irene Hess and Hattie Porter of Philadelphia, were guests of Miss Elsie M. Battye Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. P. S. Pyle of the Smoky City, spent Saturday in town the guest of his father Mr. John Pyle at the Exchange Hotel.

Mr. Jno. Rahm, two daughters, Sophia and Eva and Mr. Jesse Watson attended a chaire at Elizabethtown last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gingrich and daughter Sara of Reading, spent Sunday in town as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gingrich.

Mr. James Ouston of Reelington, Yorkshire, EEngland, after a tour around the world, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Walker Brown.

Miss Margaret McConaughy has gone to Johnstown where she will spend the Summer. She was visiting here since last December.

Will Lay Sewers

MR. J. N. HERSHEY OF FLORIN GETS STONE CONTRACT

Four Hundred Feet of Twelve Inch Sewer Pipe Will Be Laid on Old Market Street, Thereby Eliminating a Dangerous Gutter—Council Sustains Burgess Hoffman's Veto

Our Boro Dads (all but Chairman Brown) and Burgess Hoffman assembled Monday evening for the regular April routine of affairs. Mr. Wm. Tyndall handled the gavel.

Burgess Hoffman vetoed the action of Council for laying a crossing on North Barbara street at Detwiler Avenue, for the reason that the crossing would intersect with ground that does not belong to the borough and that is not graded; neither is there a pavement on the opposite side of its proposed termination. Council unanimously ratified the veto.

The following bids for stone were then offered:

Mr. J. N. Hershey of Florin, bid 88 cents per 2000 lbs. for Nos. 1 and 2 and 75 cents for Nos. 3 and 4, delivered on the streets of the borough.

Messrs. J. N. Stauffer & Bro. bid \$1.00 per 2000 lbs. for No. 3, \$1.05 for No. 2 and \$1.10 for No. 1, delivered on the streets of the borough.

Before the contract was awarded Messrs. Barto and Dillingier stated that the quality of stone should be carefully considered. The contract was then awarded Mr. Hershey, dating to Jan. 1, 1914, every member voting for the motion.

A communication was read from the boiler inspector which stated that the new boiler at the pumping station will safely carry 125 lbs. to the square inch.

The report of Burgess Hoffman showed collections to the amount of \$121.50 the past month, which included license money of peddlers, post office rent and pole tax.

Mr. Dillingier of the Street Committee, reported a few crossings repaired, stone scraped to centre of several streets, excess ground hauled off Patterson alley, and progress on the Marietta street crossing. He also recommended the laying of 400 feet of 12-inch sewer pipe on the east side of Old Market street from property of the A. Bube estate to the Farmers' Inn, thus eliminating the deep gutter. This was ordered and the Street committee was instructed to get bids on No. 2 sewer pipe.

Mr. Dillingier also reported that Sassafras alley from Jacob street east should be graded as the surface water does not drain off. This was referred to the Street Committee to investigate and report. This committee was also ordered to repair the streets in general throughout the town, and haul all ashes and rubbish placed on streets and alleys between April 15 and May 15. Also have posters printed and distributed to that effect.

Mr. Dillingier stated that as there was sufficient money to do the borough's work with a four mill tax last year, the tax rate should be the same for 1913. So ordered. This is quite gratifying when it is considered that our sister borough Marietta just laid an 8 1/2 mill tax.

Mr. Tyndall of the Water Committee, reported everything O. K. at pumping station and that Supervisor A. B. Welsh was ordered to flush all the plugs.

Mr. Barto of the Finance Committee reported the approval of a number of bills.

Mr. Mumma of the Property Committee reported three gas lights placed in post office and that they are very satisfactory.

Mr. Mumma of the Light Committee reported a few lights out and all were promptly repaired.

Mr. Mumma, Chief of the Fire Department, reported having tested the fire engine Saturday and it was very satisfactory.

The report of the Union National Bank, treasurer, showed a balance of \$893.60 in the Borough account and \$4,156.63 in the Water account.

Tax Collector T. M. Breneman appeared before Council with a most excellent report. At this time there is considerable less than \$100 of outstanding tax and last year there was \$1,500 outstanding April 1st.

Mr. Breneman was then exonerated from collecting these taxes: Jacob Childs 50c; Geo. Fack 50c; Jacob Rinehart 50c; Isaac Watson 50c; Dr. J. P. Ziegler and Dr. E. W. Garber each 50c as they pay taxes on real estate; Paul Murphy 50c; Harry Snyder 50c; Amos Gantz 50c;

LOCAL NOTES

News Items Told in a Brief Yet Interesting Way

Mrs. M. M. Leib is entertaining the Wednesday Club today.

Dr. E. W. Garber has installed an independent telephone at his drug store.

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board was held Monday evening.

The large maple trees around the Methodist Church were trimmed yesterday.

On a wager, J. Curwin Hake, of Felton, York county ate 24 eggs in nine minutes.

Boys' Suits of exceptional value—Getz Bros. \$2.50 up. Norfolk and double breasted.

Mr. Harry Miller, barber at L. P. Heligs, quit his job Saturday and has gone to Elizabethtown.

A new line fence is being erected between the Kern and Nissley properties on East Main street.

A two-and-a-half pound oel was one of four, together with a number of suckers caught by Mr. S. H. Miller yesterday.

Mr. Elmer Bard of Dayton, Ohio, in a letter to Mr. Frank Peffer of this place, states that he is safe and well. This will be good news to Mr. Bard's many friends here.

Postmaster J. Fred Fenstermacher has resigned his position with Mr. Clarence Schock and will devote his entire attention to handling Uncle Sam's mail.

A Mt. Joyan Lives There
Mr. S. B. Bernhart brought us a copy of the world-Herald of Omaha, dated March 25, which contains quite a number of illustrations of scenes after the storm as well as columns and columns of reading matter relative thereto. His brother Mr. J. W. Bernhart, who is in the printing business in that city, is a former Mt. Joyan. His property was in the path of the disastrous tornado and while he escaped injury there is considerable damage to his property. Scenes from the paper he included are on display at this office.

90th Anniversary
Today Hager & Bro. are celebrating their 90th anniversary of the founding of their business. This is the oldest store doing business under the same name for that length of time in the United States. Their store is very fittingly decorated for the purpose. At 4:30 today they are entertaining guests and this evening at 6 an informal dinner will be served at the Hamilton Club.

Trinity U. E. Church
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Subject for the morning: "Personal Work for the Master," and in the evening "The Serpent Behind the Hedge." The evening service will be preceded by a fifteen minute song service in charge of Harry Kaylor. Rev. N. A. Barr, pastor.

Here Comes the Ice Man
I have harvested about 400 tons of natural ice the past winter which I will serve to my customers during the coming summer. When my supply is exhausted I will continue serving good clean ice. Look for my ad in next week's Bulletin. Prices will be very reasonable considering the scarcity of ice last winter. C. S. Frank.

Practically a New Store
One of the most important store changes at Lancaster is that of Buchanan & Young, who are about completing marked improvements about this well known place of business. The entire front was modernized, an elevator is being installed and the entire second floor is now devoted to ladies' ready-to-wear apparel. Don't fail to pay this store a visit when in Lancaster. We also wish to call your attention to their spacious ad elsewhere in this issue.

Garden Theatre
The Herbert Bros. in a musical act will be at the Garden to-morrow, Thursday evening playing upon their famous (shines) mandolins, ocarinas etc. The real Bros. in fact, twins and cannot be told apart. There will also be 3 reels of pictures. It looks like a great show.

Spring Shirts
Are here and in the new patterns and colors. 50c to \$1.50 Getz Bros.

Ellis Slaydam 50c; Benjamin Welsh 50c and Mrs. Whiteleather \$1.50.

The auditors' report of the Borough account was presented, read, accepted, and ordered advertised in the Bulletin and posters printed at the Herald office.

A number of bills were then paid and Council adjourned.

Mortuary Recordings

Mrs. Barbara E. Myers Dies Near Rheems

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.

Myra M., daughter of Ephraim Newcomer, died at Central Manor, aged fifteen years.

Charles M. Bittner, a former resident of Columbia, died in Philadelphia aged 69 years.

Mrs. Susan J. Eyde, widow of Theodore Eyde, died Friday evening in Washington Boro aged 70 years.

Clinton W. Lohenecker died at Manheim on Wednesday from tuberculosis, aged 35 years.

The remains of a child of Mr. Frank Waltz of Harrisburg, were brought here for interment on Thursday.

Samuel Foltz
Samuel Foltz, a highly respected and life-long resident of Marietta, died shortly after one o'clock on Monday afternoon at his home on Market street, that borough, after a lingering illness from a complication of diseases, in his eighty-first year.

Roy Pierce
The remains of Roy Pierce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Pierce of near Manheim, were interred in Henley's cemetery yesterday afternoon. He was found dead in bed Saturday, heart failure causing death. Besides the parents he is survived by a sister and a brother.

Mrs. Harriet Greiner
Mrs. Harriet Greiner, widow of Jacob H. Greiner, died on Wednesday evening at her residence, on West Main street in this place in her eighty-fifth year. She is survived by one sister, Miss Mary Stoner, of this place and one son, Scott Greiner of Philadelphia. Her funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from her late residence.

William Diffebaugh
William Diffebaugh, a farm siding near Elizabethtown, Thursday evening at the Hospital from heart trouble seventy years. The deceased Civil War veteran, a 1st Company C, of the 72nd and Seventh Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers. He was a member of the Christ Reformed Church, here, and is survived by his wife, who was Miss Lucie, and the following children: William and Fleming of near Elizabethtown; Annie at home and B. C. Hatfield of Mount Joy.

Mrs. Barbara E. Myers
Mrs. Barbara E. Myers, widow of the late Henry L. Myers, died on Wednesday evening, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tillman S. Schwanger, of near Rheems, death resulting from cancer of the stomach. She was 50 years old. She is survived by the following children: Alice, wife of Tillman S. Schwanger of Rheems; Amos, of near Hummelstown; Tillman of Middletown; Aaron, missionary to India; Christian, of Downingtown; Gabriel of Gilbertville, Mass.; Elizabeth, Mennonite Mission of Lancaster; Mary, wife of B. Herr Whistler of Mount Joy township; Robert of Minota, North Dakota; Bertha, wife of Andrew G. Landis of Oxford, Chester county and Kathryn of Lancaster. She was a member of the Old Mennonite church. The funeral services were held on Saturday forenoon at Risser's Church, and buried in the adjoining cemetery.

Fine Display
See the east window of Bernhart & Co. Every woman will be interested.

Tax Notice
All unpaid school taxes for 1912 must be paid on or before Apr. 20th. T. M. Breneman, Coll.

Brooms
Special sale at wholesale price. Bernhart & Co.