

# THE MOUNT JOY BULLETIN

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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

To be Successful You Must be Awake; If You're a Rea Live One, You'll Advertise in The "Bulletin"

## HUGHES OR WILSON WHICH?

Although Reports of Last Night and Newspapers This Morning Gave Hughes a Victory, at Noon Today Things Look Wilsonish

## Should Hughes Win the Democrats Show a Wonderful Gain

The battle of ballots is over but from all indications the result is as yet in doubt. All the returns received up until one o'clock this morning seemed to make the election of Hughes a certainty. These reports were substantiated by the morning papers claiming victory for the Republican party and even some of the strongest Democratic Journals gave victory to the Republicans.

At six o'clock this morning when more authentic reports were flashed over the wires the tide began to turn and up until our going to press it looks very much like a Wilson victory.

A dispatch from the Lancaster New Era at 10:30 today to this office gave Hughes 212 electoral votes and Wilson 232. At this time eight of the doubtful states were yet to be heard from and their vote could swing the victory to either man.

10:45—Reports from California, which gave Hughes great majorities last night, now favor Wilson.

10:48—The vote from Minnesota also favors Wilson.

10:50—An Associated Press Dispatch says that it looks like a Wilson victory although both sides are claiming a victory.

AT 12 M.—The Lancaster Intelligencer has received an official dispatch that Hughes has 216 electoral votes and Wilson 272. At this hour there are 80 doubtful electoral votes to be heard from.

12:45—The New Era bulletin claims a slight increase for Hughes and says that the result from California is still doubtful.

1:05—Intelligencer bulletin says latest editions of all Philadelphia papers claim victory for Wilson.

1:45—The Phila. Public Ledger gives an official count as follows: Hughes, 229, Wilson, 237. At this same time all the special editions of the Phila. papers give Wilson a victory and all the doubtful states favoring Wilson.

The doubtful states are California, Delaware, Indiana, Kansas, Minnesota and New Mexico.

2:45—Every bulletin board in Philadelphia claims a victory for Wilson as he needs but 29 more electoral votes.

In Mount Joy things were rather quiet yesterday, most interest centering in the Democrats polling the biggest vote ever, especially in the East Ward and the result of Dr. E. W. Garber's run.

In the East Ward Mr. Garber ran 4 ahead of the ticket, getting 74 votes while he ran 2 ahead in the West Ward getting 73 tallies there. The doctor and his friends however, acknowledge defeat as Lebanon county, where he expected to poll his best vote, went Republican by a big majority.

In this place the vote polled for president was: East Ward—Wilson, D., 70; Hughes, R., 199.

West Ward—Wilson, D., 69; Hughes, R., 157. Hauley, the Prohibition candidate, received 28 votes in the boro.

## OUR WEEKLY CARD BASKET

### PERSONAL MENTION ABOUT THE MANY COMERS AND GOERS IN THIS LOCALITY

Mr. Owen Brandt spent Monday at Harrisburg.  
Mrs. Chas. Bishop of Elizabethtown spent Monday in town.  
Mr. Martin Strickler has gone on a business trip to Berks County.  
Mr. Roy Walters of Lancaster, spent Sunday here with his parents.  
Mr. Fred Stretch moved his family to South Barbara street on Tuesday.  
Mrs. Amanda Greenleaf spent the week-end in Lancaster visiting friends.  
Mrs. Simon Menaugh spent Monday and Tuesday at Lancaster with friends.  
Mr. John Greenawalt of Lancaster, spent Sunday in town visiting relatives.  
Mrs. Fred Sheaffer and daughter Dorothy of Lancaster, spent Monday in town.  
Mr. Charles Brady of Lancaster, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pennell.  
The U. B. Sewing Circle met at the home of Mr. Eli Bentzel on Thursday night.  
Miss Clara Barlow returned home Monday after spending the summer at Mount Gretna.  
Mrs. J. H. Gingrich and Mrs. Charles Morton are spending the day in Lancaster.  
Mrs. Haman Cunningham is spending a week at Elizabethtown, as the guest of her mother.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Foreman and daughter of near Lawn, spent Sunday with relatives in town.  
Mrs. David Vogel and daughter Sara Margaret of Enola spent Thursday with Mrs. John Kramer.  
Mrs. E. F. Long of Joplin, Mo., is here on a visit to her mother-in-law Mrs. H. H. Long, who is ill.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pennell and daughter Emma spent Sunday with Mrs. Pennell's brother at Steelton.  
Dr. and Mrs. B. Wright and two children of Harrisburg, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. B. Detwiler.  
Mrs. J. B. Sheaffer of Manheim, is spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gingrich.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Freed of York, spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's brother, J. Willis Freed and wife.  
Miss Sallie Graybill and Miss Marie Gantz of Lancaster, visited friends and relatives in town Sunday.  
Mr. Clarence Campbell of Hershey, spent the week-end with his

## BIG ANNUAL MEET AT MILLERSVILLE

MOUNT JOY TAKES THE CLASS A MILE RELAY AND THE CLASS A 100 YARD DASH

The fourth annual Fall Field Day for the borough and township high schools of Lancaster, Lebanon and York counties, was held on Saturday afternoon at the Millersville State Normal School. All morning, touring cars, big trucks, as well as special cars came pouring into Millersville, the largest crowd ever gathered at that place, for an event of this kind. The heavy laden sky threatened rain in the morning but nothing daunted the contestants and nearly the entire student body in many cases came in good time, Litzitz having two special cars; Mount Joy, Ephrata and Roanoke each one, while the other schools packed the regular cars, throwing the cars over a half hour behind their schedule.

**Ephrata Wins Class A Cup**  
There were twenty-two high schools entered from the three counties. Ephrata High with 21 points won the cup in Class A. Millersville, with 24 points, took the cup in Class B, while in Class C, Roanoke with 18 points, won the cup. The Shand (Continued on page 4)

**Growing Business the Reason**  
Groff's Saddlery on North Market street, is sure a busy little hive of industry and for the fourth time since its erection several years ago, the place is being enlarged. Carpenters are now busy converting the entire second floor into a work shop. Heretofore only about one-third of this floor was utilized for that purpose. A new glass front was also placed in position on this floor and one of the most modern and up-to-date power sewing machines on the market is also being installed.

**PLEASANT HILL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dupell from Reading and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dupell from Philadelphia, spent Sunday in the family of George T. Ulrich. They made the trip by auto.

Mr. John Sudyam of Chester, is spending a few days at home with his brother.

## A NEW CHURCH FOR KINDERHOOK

BIG MEETING HELD SUNDAY—PRESENT BUILDING NOT SUITED FOR NOWADAY NEEDS

Sunday was a great day for the United Evangelical church congregation and Sunday school at Kinderhook, when the rally day services were held, having been postponed from September, owing to the state quarantine which was on. The committee who worked hard for the affair were more than repaid Sunday, when everything passed off to the delight of all. The purpose of the movement was for the raising of additional funds for the erection of a new building to be made shortly, as a lot 107x160 was recently purchased from the Wisler estate, near the present site. The Rev. Norman Lower is pastor of this flourishing congregation. The first service of the day was held at 9:30 and the evening service at 7 o'clock. Rev. W. J. Edelman, pastor of the First United Evangelical church, Lebanon, was present and preached two sermons. The Rev. G. B. Gensemer, of Columbia, was also present, and the choir of the latter church, assisted in the musical program, which was no small feature of the day. In the afternoon at 2:15 o'clock the Sunday School held special services. Among the visitors were George B. Stibgen, of Marietta, who is president of the Lancaster county Sunday School Association. Mr. Stibgen gave a few remarks, which were well received. The church was very prettily decorated, and everybody seemed to take a deep interest in all the services of the day. The present church was built in 1852, on land donated by the late Jacob Matthoit, and was dedicated to the Methodist church. Other denominations also held services there, and in 1860, at the outbreak of the Civil War, it was abandoned. In 1894, the United Evangelical congregation was organized by Rev. D. F. Young, and Rev. D. N. Metzger. The congregation purchased the property in 1899, and it has since prospered. The Builders' society, organized in 1904 was since at work on a new church committee, organized in 1915. So they expect to have a new church in the future.

## THE DOINGS AROUND FLORIN

ALL THE UP-TO-DATE HAPPENINGS FROM THAT THRIVING AND BUSY VILLAGE.

Mr. Samuel Walters is spending the day at Harrisburg.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Royer announce the birth of a son.  
Mr. R. J. Sweeney of Harrisburg, is here on a visit to friends.  
Mr. E. H. Denlinger of Lancaster, made a business trip to town Monday.  
Messrs. Samuel and Frank Skeen of Lancaster, were Sunday visitors to town.  
Mr. C. H. Rineer of Pequea township, visited friends in our village Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershey of Lancaster, were Sunday visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKinley.

Messrs. W. D. Skeen and Earl M. Mackintosh of Washington, D. C., spent several days here with friends.  
Mr. Samuel B. Longenecker of Weillerville, Ohio, and Mrs. Martha M. Longenecker of town were united in marriage last Friday by Rev. Musser. They will leave for Ohio this week where they will reside.

Women's Day will be observed in the United Brethren church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Jones of Lebanon, will be one of the principal speakers. A very interesting program has been arranged and a feature of which will be a Chinese wedding.

A surprise was held at the home of Mr. W. S. Espenshade in honor of his birthday, Sunday, November 5th 1916. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Simon Espenshade and children Marguarite, Marie Elizabeth, John and William; Mr. John Espenshade, Mr. James McGurgan, Mr. Walter Magill, Mr. Clarence Hoskins, Mr. Claude Manbeck of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Flowers, Newville; Mr. Samuel Stoner, Mr. Earl Garvick, Elizabethtown; Mrs. Maggie Mauback, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. V. Geisler and children Glen and Helen of Middletown; Miss Gattie Geb, Mount Joy; Mr. Martin Eshleman, Mr. Jonas Parret, Manheim; Misses Stella Wachstetter, Fannie Kline of this place, Mr. R. J. Seitz of Harrisburg. Quite a few gifts were received. All spent a pleasant day. Mr. Espenshade wishes (Continued on page 5)

## SHOWER BATHS AT SCHOOL

Our School Board Unanimously Opposes Monopolizing the Gym.

The Mount Joy Borough School Board held its regular monthly session on Monday evening with a full attendance.

The Board decided and ordered the installation of two shower baths in the locker room adjoining the gymnasium.

A proposition was put before the board, offering to rent the gymnasium for the season by playing at least twenty games of basket ball and to pay the School Board 35 per cent. of the receipts as rental for the gym. The Board was a unit in its decision not to accept the proposition and agreed that the fixed rental of 40 and 60 per cent., which was decided at a recent meeting, shall stand and that any one can rent the gymnasium on nights that will not conflict with the dates of the High School basket ball team. The board did not "fall" for monopolizing the gym, being of the opinion that it should be "free for all."

The majority of the two dozen desks recently purchased, were placed in position Monday evening by Mr. Flowers.

The Board decided to attend the County Directors Institute which convenes at Millersville on Thursday, Nov. 23 and after the payment of a large number of bills, adjournment.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Odd Bits of News Boiled Down For Quick Reading.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Neidig announce the birth of a daughter.

The November Court Proclamation may be found in our advertising columns.

Mr. Eli B. Hostetter has taken charge of Wm. Scholing's baker route and will continue over the Winter months.

Mr. Arthur Hendrix, who has been on the clerical force at H. E. Hauer's store for some time, quit his job and is working at the Grey Iron Works.

Mrs. Minnie Vogle has been appointed executrix of the estate of Andrew Vogle, late of Rapho township. The legal notice may be found in another column.

## MANY BUNNIES WERE KILLED

RABBITS & TRESPASS NOTICES ARE REPORTED PLENTIFUL—A NUMBER OF GUNNERS GET THE LIMIT

With over nine thousand hunters' licenses issued prior to November first, the gunning season for cottontails opened last Wednesday. From the reports of gunners in various districts rabbits and quail are more plentiful this Fall than they have been for a long time.

The only unpleasant feature that gunners encountered this year was the unusually large territory that is trespassed as there seems double the area of land placarded as compared with other years.

The result of some of our gunners is appended:

There's no use talking you'll have to hand it to the gunners from Mt. Joy when it goes to shooting rabbits. Following is the result of some of them on the first day: Harvey Sheaffer 7, George Groff 7, Oliver Mateer 9, Harry Brubaker 10, John Zerphey 7, Peter Zerphey 5, Geo. Loraw 7, Henry Loraw 7, Frank Good 6 and a stuffed one, Henry Smeltzer 10, J. M. Backenstoe 3, Harry Hor (Continued on page 4)

## CREAMERY ELECTS DIRECTORS

Mr. D. B. Eby Succeeds Jacob M. Hostetter, Deceased

Yesterday was not only presidential election as the stockholders of the Farmers Creamery Co. also met at the office of the company and held an election for a Board of Directors from 1 to 3 p. m. The total vote polled was 387 and the only new man on the board this year is Mr. D. B. Eby, who succeeds Jacob M. Hostetter, deceased.

The directors elected are Messrs. A. L. Nissley, A. N. Musser, B. L. Garber, A. H. Erb, B. D. Peters, D. B. Eby and B. O. Musser.  
These auditors were also elected: Messrs. E. W. Strickler, G. Meyer and Levi Eby.  
The directors will effect an organization at their next regular meeting.

## REAL ESTATE SALES

Nearly All the Bube Real Estate Sold Last Thursday

At the Exchange Hotel last Friday evening, the real estate for the estate of Pauline Bube was offered at public sale by the executor John A. Coyle. The property formerly occupied by Mrs. Bube on North Market street, was sold to the present occupant, Mr. Jeremiah Frymeyer for \$1,400. The double house on Olh Market street, at present tenanted by Messrs. Geo. Loraw and Clayton Brubaker, was sold to Mr. J. B. Keller for \$1,602.00. The vacant lot adjoining this property on the south was withdrawn at \$160.00.

## TAKEN ILL SUDDENLY

Dr. William R. Heilig Underwent an Operation Last Night

Dr. W. R. Heilig, took sick very suddenly last evening and his condition became such that he was removed to the General Hospital at Lancaster at 8:30. Immediately upon his arrival there he was operated on by Dr. Appel. He was suffering from an attack of strangulated hernia. The operation was a success and Dr. Heilig is resting comfortably today.

## C. S. Frank's Sale

Mr. C. S. Frank will hold his next public sale of live stock at the stock yards at Hotel McGinnis, in this place, on Friday Nov. 17, where he will sell a carload of cows consisting of Holsteins, Durhams, Brindles, etc. Also a few good shoats, some stock bulls and cattle for beef. This is an exceptionally good lot of stock.

## Sang at Reich's

The male quartette of the United Evangelical church autored to Reich's church Thursday night accompanied by the pastor, Rev. I. E. Johnson, where they had charge of Revival service. They were greeted with a large attendance.

## Leg Badly Crushed.

Golden Thompson, colored, employed at the Baker quarries at Billmyer, had his left leg caught between two cars yesterday and badly crushed. He was hurried to the Columbia Hospital where it was amputated at the knee.

## WANTED

Any young man desirous of learning printing, can get a position by applying immediately at this office.

## CUR BORO DADS MET ON MONDAY

THERE WILL BE NO CURFEW LAW IN MOUNT JOY FOR THE PRESENT—OTHER COUNCILMANIC NOTES

Mount Joy Borough Council met in regular session Monday evening with all the members, the Burgess and Clerk present. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.  
The report of Burgess Brown showed his collections for the month of October amounted to \$24.63, all of which was turned over to the Boro treasurer.

Mr. Gable of the Street committee, reported Chestnut street macadamized, laid two 6-inch drain pipes across Columbia Avenue and Delta streets and repaired Fairview street as far as the Boro line.

The report of the Water committee, reported work on the building at the pumping station progressing but very slowly, recommended placing a door where a window was being put in, flushed all the fire hydrants the past month and completed laying the water main on West Main street as far as the railroad and will finish the work as soon as they get permission to cross the P. R. R.'s tracks. The president referred Mr. Ricksecker's recommendation to the Water committee.

Mr. Dillinger, also of the Water committee, reported connection to the water wheel placed in position and suggested placing a guard over the cog wheels. Same will be protected.

Mr. Keener of the Finance committee, reported the approval of a (Continued on page 5)

## OUR MORTUARY RECORDINGS

MANY WELL KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

**Elizabeth Gantz**  
Elizabeth Gantz, widow of the late Wm. Gantz and mother of Mrs. Edwin Shriner died at the home of her daughter in Harrisburg, Thursday morning of apoplexy, aged 94 years. The body was brought here Saturday afternoon on the 2:57 train and taken to the Chapel in Mount Joy cemetery where services were held and interment made at the same place.

**Charles Hoffman**  
Charles Hoffman, a resident of Manheim borough, died Saturday morning from tuberculosis. He was twenty-nine years old and a saddler by trade. He is survived by his wife and three children, Elizabeth, Richard and John; also by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Hoffman, of Manheim, and by the following brothers and sisters: Frank, of Lebanon; Paul, Walter, Clarence, Blanche and Sarah all of Manheim. The funeral was held on Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock from the home of his father. Interment was made in Fairview Cemetery.

**Caroline Nentwig**  
Mrs. Caroline Nentwig, an aged resident of Florin, East Donegal township, died at the home of her son Max Nentwig, at four o'clock yesterday afternoon after a brief illness, death resulting from infirmities incident to old age. Deceased was in her eighty-sixth year and was born in Germany, but has lived here for many years. Her husband died about ten years ago. She is survived by the following children: Max and Mrs. Mary Dupler of Florin; Ernest of Iowa and Frank of Germany. The funeral will be held from the home of her (Continued on page 6)

## APPLES

Just received a carload of wind fall apples which I will sell at 50c per bushel. Also sweet cider for sale from ripe apples. My place of business at the Old P. R. R. depot will be open each day from 7 A. M. to 5 P. M.

C. S. FRANK.

## Moving This Week

Mr. S. Hess Hershey, of Landisville, who recently purchased the Hatfield mansion on West Donegal street, is moving into town this week. Mrs. Hatfield is moving to Wagontown.

## Play at Carlisle

About the most important game on the locals schedule this year is on Saturday when the Carlisle Indian Reserves are to play here's hoping they win.

## LEWIS GROGG HANGS HIMSELF

DESPONDENT OVER SICKNESS BELIEVED TO BE THE CAUSE OF HIM TAKING HIS OWN LIFE

This town had quite a sensation Friday morning, last in the suicide of Lewis Grogg, seventy-four years old, and a well known resident of this borough, who hanged himself that morning at about 9.15 o'clock with a rope from the banister at the head of the stairs in a vacant house that had been occupied by a daughter until just recently, and with whom he made his home on West Main street.

There was no evidence that the aged man, who was afflicted with an almost incurable disease, contemplated taking his life. About 8.30 o'clock he was talking to a granddaughter, Mabel Geistweit. He asked her where her mother, with whom he latterly lived, was. The girl replied that her mother was visiting a neighbor and would soon return.

Shortly afterward Mrs. Geistweit returned and asked Mabel where her grandfather had gone. The young lady did not know and a search was instituted which resulted in the finding of the body in the empty house by Mrs. Geistweit. Grogg evidently secured the rope at the Geistweit property before he went to the place where he ended his life.

The deceased was a member of three different Pennsylvania regiments serving in the Civil War, and in politics was always a staunch Democrat. He was also a member of the Evangelical church of this place. He is survived by one son, Jacob, of this place and two daughters, Mrs. Irvin Geistweit of this place and Mrs. Andrew Bagham of Malvern.

Deputy Coroner B. S. Dillinger of this place, and his physician Dr. J. J. Newpher were notified and held an investigation. From the evidence it was clearly shown and the coroner decided that the unfortunate man met death at his own hand. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon at 1:30 from the home of Irvin Geistweit. Interment was made in the Ebele cemetery.

## Keller & Bros. Sale

On Friday, November 10, J. B. Keller & Bro. will sell 100 head of cows, consisting of Holsteins, Durhams, Brindles, etc. A lot of very good heifers, lot of good bulls, stock steers and cattle for beefs, also a few shoats. This is another bunch of good stock, bought direct from the farmers that raise them. Don't forget the time and place—Friday, November 10, at Mount Joy.

## Re-appointed Inspector

His many friends through this section will be more than pleased to learn that Dr. Jno. J. Newpher of this place, was re-appointed medical inspector for the public schools of East Donegal and Mount Joy townships. This is the fourth year he has served in that capacity. The work will require about six weeks in which to complete it.

## A New Restaurant

Mr. John Gantz, who has conducted the Washington House Cafe for the past few years, has opened an up-to-the-minute restaurant in the basement of Mount Joy Hall. He serves anything in the line of "cats" and makes a specialty of oysters. He will be pleased to have you call and see him at any time at his Central Cafe.

## Will Go to Lancaster

On Friday evening a class of ten and accompanied by a about fifteen or more members of Mount Joy Lodge No. 277, I. O. O. F., will go to Lancaster by auto where they will be the guests of Emanuel Lodge No. 1124 of that city. The latter's crack degree team will confer the second and third degrees upon the class from here.

## Auto Notes

Mr. B. W. Brown had a clover leaf 3 passenger body placed on his Ford chassis and it looks real nifty.  
Mr. Fred A. Farmer, local representative of the John Deere Flow Company, is about with a fine new 1917 Ford roadster.

## Given A Surprise

Miss Mary Schneider wishes to thank her many friends who participated in the surprise given her on Tuesday. She received many and beautiful gifts.

## Miller Succeeds Freed

J. Harry Miller has been appointed agent for the Donegal & Conoy Mutual Insurance Co. of Harrisburg, Pa., and who resides