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Our Three Days' Chautauqua Closes Tomorrow--Don't Miss the Final Number--It's Dr. Bible

DONEGAL REUNION WELL ATTENDED

THIS SOCIETY WILL APPLY FOR A CHARTER--PROF. BECK RELATES BIRD LIFE AT DONEGAL

Historic old Donegal Church, "the local shrine of Presbyterianism," was filled with a capacity audience Thursday afternoon at the twelfth annual reunion. All day, people came from every direction by auto, train and trolley cars. Not only Lancaster county, but various other sections were represented in the assemblage. The occasion proved a very successful event throughout, even though the late afternoon and evening were marred by a heavy storm.

Scores of prominent people were present. The program was a most delightful one and varied in its features.

Re-elect Officers

Miss Martha B. Clark, of Lancaster, was re-elected head of the Donegal Society in the afternoon; Bernard J. Myers was also re-elected corresponding secretary. Miss Rebecca J. Slaymaker, recording secretary, and B. S. Ingram, treasurer. Miss Clark presided over the business session, with Miss Slaymaker performing the duties of secretary. Reports showed the organization is in a flourishing condition, and looking forward with enthusiasm to the celebration next year. A memorial anniversary of the establishment of Donegal congregation.

A request was presented by the American Forestry Association for the use of a photograph of the giant oak "Witness Tree" (standing in front of Donegal Church) in a series of pictures of famous American trees to be published in a periodical. This series will also include the big tree at Poquea Presbyterian church. Certificates of honor to the three young men of the Donegal Society--Benjamin Hiestand, Robert Rogers and Daniel Keller--who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War and for whom memorial trees were planted last year, were received from this association. It was decided to secure photos of each of these young soldiers, if possible, and have the pictures grouped with the certificates in a frame and have the memento placed in Donegal church.

The securing of a charter for Donegal Society during the present year was given into the hands of a committee consisting of Hon. H. Burd Cassel, Bernard J. Myers and H. Frank Esleman. It is hoped to secure this in time for formal presentation at the bi-centennial of Donegal church next year. Rev. George Israel Bryson, who has always taken a prominent part and shown a great interest in the Donegal Society efforts, was unanimously elected to life membership of the society.

A very pleasing impression was made by Lady Herbert, whose subject was "Gleanings of Glasgow and Scotland." Though a resident of Glasgow at present, she is a native of Southern Lancaster county, being a daughter of Col. Thomas Collins. Miss Anna M. Wharton, of Philadelphia, an author of prominence in historical circles, read part of a chapter of a book on "Pennsylvania and its history." Her subject was "Washington in Western Pennsylvania." Lancaster county will figure in prominent form in the forthcoming volume from her pen.

Great Future of Philippi

An interesting historical and present-day picture of our Pacific island "The Philippines" was presented by Col. D. Brainard Case, of Marietta, who was an officer in the United States Army stationed in the island group. He expressed great hope for the future of the islands, spoke of their great mineral wealth--including an entire mountain of excellent coal that can be blasted off the side like rock without need of sinking any shaft--and gold in certain places also. He told of the rapid progress the native Filipinos have made in the score of years America has been their instructor and protector. He showed, however, that it would be a grave error for them to be given their independence now, in the formative period of their civilization. He pointed out the eye of envy that Japan casts upon us for possessing this Pacific key to the Orient and how easily it would be for Japs to get hold of the Philippines in the present not yet highly advanced state of the native, should America withdraw and even retain a protectorate over them. He scored the Democrats for entertaining such a thought as setting free these islanders now.

Bird Life of Donegal

Prof. Herbert H. Beck of Franklin & Marshall College, delighted his hearers with an enlightening address, "The Birds of Donegal." It was a general talk of very profitable character to those who heard this local authority on bird lore. He brought in many things about the bird life of Donegal. He dwelt in very informing manner upon the prominent Lancaster contain, Dr. Samuel Stehman; Haldeman, the eminent scientist whose home was a splendid mansion at the base of Chickies Rock near Marietta. Prof. Beck told how his father, Abram R. Beck, had spoken with Dr. Haldeman as the subject of Darwinism, and that Haldeman was one of the few Americans.

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NORMAL GRADUATES WILL GO TO TEACHING

Millersville State Normal school will graduate a class of eighty-six at the commencement exercises today. Among the class are the following from this locality, who have already been elected as teachers of schools at various places. Frances R. Beatty, of Harrisburg, elected a teacher in the Harrisburg schools; Anna Brubaker, Manheim, will teach in the Mt. Joy High School; Anna Foreman, of Elizabethtown, Rheams school; Ruth Gise, of Elizabethtown, Dauphin county school; Grace A. Henderson, of Maytown, Mount Joy High School; Dorothy Johnson, of Manheim, North Coventry High school; Helen L. Mumma, of Landisville, Harrisburg school; Helen H. Snavely, of Manheim, Denver school; John K. Trayer, of Landisville, principal Fulton High school.

STEALS PLAIN GARB TO AID IN SWINDLE

W. W. Greenblatt, an Elizabethtown merchant, was swindled Friday afternoon when he cashed a check for \$32, which proved to be bogus. The check was given Mr. Greenblatt by a woman dressed in plain garb, who purchased merchandise to the amount of \$2.95 for which she gave in payment a check for \$32 drawn on the National Bank, of Elizabethtown and bearing the signature of Amos Coble, of Belleaire. The merchant, thinking that the check was genuine, gave the necessary charge. Later he presented the check at the bank and was told that the signature was not genuine. He then went to see Mr. Coble, who told him that he had given no such check, nor did he know any person of the name to whom it was made out. Martha Steinhart, was the name on the check. John Mills, a world war veteran, who purchased the check at the bank, and his wife, were arrested at Conewago yesterday and she confessed her guilt.

Print Shop Moved

Last week the Herald Printing Company moved from East Main street into a new building erected for the purpose on the alley south of Columbia Avenue at the intersection of Delta street. P. Frank Schock recently purchased the building vacated.

A National Delegate

Mr. Benj Groff represented the local American Legion at the state convention at Allentown last week. While there he was elected a delegate to attend the national convention which convenes in Cleveland, Ohio, in September.

Picked in a Jiffy

A large cherry tree blew down on the lawn of the A. S. Flowers residence on South Market street during Thursday evening's storm. The cherries were nearly ripe and it only took a few hours until the kiddies "skatched" the tree.

Is Robust and Healthy.

Dr. F. L. Richards, of Huntingdon, spent a few hours in town on Friday. He was first assistant at the hospital there for some time but a few months ago he hung out his shingle and is now practicing in that city.

Killed a Rattlesnake.

C. M. Hiestand, scoutmaster of the Boy Scouts at Elizabethtown, while out on a hike recently killed a rattlesnake that measured 7 feet and 11 inches. He is now exhibiting the rattlers.

Closes on Saturday

The Lease Amusement Company will close its engagement here on Saturday evening. The Elizabethtown Concert Band will be here for the closing. From here the company goes to Litz.

Now in Position

The large new siren which will be used as our fire alarm system, was placed in position in the belfry of the fire house on Saturday morning. It will now be wired and soon be ready for use.

That Pike Must Pay

The Sunday of the Feast of Roses at Manheim 625 automobiles, 70 teams, 20 bicycles and 6 motorcycles passed through the tollgate west of that town on the Manheim and Sporting Hill Turnpike.

Principal of Marietta Schools

Robert M. Walter, now teacher of mathematics at the West Chester Normal School, West Chester, has been elected principal of the Marietta public schools, to succeed Geo. E. Lee, who served last year.

Meat Market For Florin

C. A. Wiley sold his property at Florin to Geo. S. Vogle, of that place. The purchaser will take possession April 1. He contemplates opening a meat market there.

A Thing of the Past

The Klein Brothers, of Elizabethtown, tied a can on every player and Manager Brackbridge on Monday and that wonderful base ball team is now a thing of the past.

Working in Philadelphia

Mrs. Anna Millard left Sunday for Philadelphia, where she accepted a position at the P. R. R. Office. She was the clerk at Chas. Weiland's west end grocery here.

OUR MORTUARY RECORDINGS

MANY WELL KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

Mrs. Leah Lefevre Good, formerly of Bainbridge, died at Goldsboro Saturday, aged 92 years.

Mrs. Elizabeth Andes, widow of the late Frederick H. Andes, died at East Petersburg from apoplexy aged 75 years.

Ephraim Lawrence, aged 66 years, died at the home of Abrahm Haburg, near Newville on Friday evening from pneumonia.

Mrs. John Appley

Mrs. Mary Appley, wife of John Appley, residing at Marietta, died at an early hour on Wednesday morning, after suffering for several months with a complication of diseases. She was forty-four years of age, and was born in German, coming to America when a child. She had resided in Marietta the greater part of her life.

Peter H. Strayer

Peter H. Strayer, a former resident of East Donegal township, died at his home in Dover, following a long illness from gangrene. He was in his eighty-third year and was the second oldest man in that section. He was for years a farmer and raised considerable tobacco, being among the most successful growers of this weed. He leaves a wife and several children and grandchildren. There are a number of relatives surviving in Lancaster county.

Mrs. Mary Bryan Landis

Mrs. Mary Bryan Landis, formerly the wife of Elmer Myers, of Elizabethtown, and a native of that place, died at her home, at Shippensburg, on Sunday morning, aged 46 years, death resulting from asphyxiation. Neighbors found the woman in the kitchen of her home, prostrate on the floor, dead, and with one burner of the gas stove open. Her second husband, Harry Landis, died three weeks ago. A sister, Miss Ida Bryan, lives at Elizabethtown. The body was taken to Elizabethtown and interred in Mt. Bethel cemetery.

Mrs. Barbara Hostetter

Mrs. Barbara Hostetter, widow of the late Jacob Hostetter, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David H. Landis, at Florin, last Wednesday morning, at the age of 80 years, in the 80th year of her age. She had been ailing for some time and was bedfast for about two weeks. She was a member of the Old Mennonite church and is survived by the following children: Mrs. George M. Stoll, of Harrisburg; Mrs. Benjamin Musser and Mrs. Edwin Fish, of Elizabethtown; Mr. Andrew Hostetter, of Millersville; Mrs. Dr. Bryson, of Lancaster; Mrs. David Landis, of Florin. The funeral services were held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Landis, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, interment in the Henry Eberle cemetery, Mount Joy.

Christian S. Manning

Christian S. Manning, one of the best-known retired farmers of near Bainbridge, died from a complication of diseases after a long illness in his sixty-first year, at his home along the Falmouth Pike, Decessus was a number of years the road supervisor of Upper Lancaster county, and was president of the Bainbridge National Bank at the time of its organization, and held other offices of trust. He leaves his widow and one son, Samuel at home, and two daughters, Mrs. Mrs. R. Metzler, of Middletown, and Mrs. Albert Ebersole, near Bainbridge. Three brothers and four sisters also survive, as follows: Aaron, Plainfield, Ohio; Samuel, Blainsburg; Thomas, Hilldale; Mrs. Mary Snyder, Philadelphia; Mrs. Sara Shreman, near Elizabethtown; Mrs. Angelina Rohrer, Middletown; Mrs. William Ulrich, Middletown; Six grandchildren also survive. He was buried in the Geyer cemetery.

TRAIN STRIKES AUTO CROSSING AT FLORIN

Train No. 29 west, struck the automobile of Mr. Alvin Root, the electrician at Florin, when he was on his way home from work last Wednesday evening. Train No. 622 east had stopped at the station west of the crossing. The watchman was out and was warning passengers. Mr. Root, thinking he could cross ahead of the train, did not notice a rapidly approaching west bound train until it was too late. The front wheels of his car were on the track before he noticed the latter train. Mr. Root jumped, thereby escaping injury. The Ford was knocked off the rails and the front of it was badly damaged. At this same place the evening previous the rigging under the engine of this same train became loose, dragged along and damaged the track for quite a distance.

Will Study for Ministry

J. Thomas Hiestand, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hiestand, of Elizabethtown, took an examination on Wednesday at the Yates school at Lancaster, with the purpose of studying for the ministry of the Episcopal church. He will leave for New York shortly to enter college.

TEACHERS IN WEST HEMPFIELD NEXT TERM

The Board of Directors of the West Hempfield school district met at Salunga and elected teachers for the term of 1920-1921. The salaries were increased and now range from \$90 to \$110 per month. The tax rate was fixed at six mills, an increase of one-half mill. The occupation tax was increased from \$1 to \$2. The schools will open on September 6 for a term of seven months. The teachers are: Maple Grove, Mrs. John Eshenshach, of Florin, and Miss Elizabeth Fry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fry of Elizabethtown, were married on Thursday morning by Rev. Noah Risser, at his home at Lawn. After a wedding trip to eastern points, Mr. and Mrs. Gingrich will reside for the present at the home of the groom's mother, at Florin.

YOUNG FOLKS ARE JOINED IN WEDLOCK

Gingrich--Fry.

Joseph N. Gingrich, son of Mrs. Kathryn Gingrich, of Florin, and Miss Elizabeth Fry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fry of Elizabethtown, were married on Thursday morning by Rev. Noah Risser, at his home at Lawn. After a wedding trip to eastern points, Mr. and Mrs. Gingrich will reside for the present at the home of the groom's mother, at Florin.

Newcomer--Charles

Mr. Clarence S. Newcomer, a very well known young man of this borough and Miss Clara Charles, of Lancaster, were united in wedlock at 10 last Thursday morning. The ceremony took place in the Memorial Presbyterian church by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Harling, in the presence of their immediate families. The ring ceremony was used. They are now enjoying an extended wedding trip and after their return will reside on South Market street, in this place. The groom is a very popular young man here. He is associated with his father, Mr. H. S. Newcomer, in the hardware, implement and automobile business. The groom is a world war veteran. The newly wedded couple have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Peterson--Zook

On Friday at 9:00 A. M. a very pretty wedding was solemnized under the Witness Tree, at the Donegal Presbyterian Church, when Miss Katharine Zook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Zook, of Donegal Springs, was united in wedlock to Mr. Thorpe Peterson, of South Bethlehem, Pa., by Rev. Frank G. Bossert, of Roxborough. The ring ceremony of the church was used. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by a close friend, Miss Helen Danhower, of Norristown, Pa., while the groom was attended by a close friend, Mr. E. L. Nisly, of Norristown. The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of white crepe meteor. After an extended honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Peterson will reside in South Bethlehem.

MISS ANNA STAUFFER ENTERTAINS MANY FRIENDS

On Saturday afternoon, Miss Anna G. Stauffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris N. Stauffer, residing near town, entertained a large number of her friends. The afternoon was spent in social chatting and singing. Refreshments were served. The following were present: Messrs. C. N. Hostetter, Jr., Henry Hostetter, Roy H. Mann, Henry Heisey, Jacob Lutz, Emma G. Lutz, Fannie Heisey, all of near Washington Boro; Edna Stauffer, Landisville; Stella and Mamie Snavely, Anna Heisey, Martha Lawer, Wayne Peters, Jacob Lehman all of near Manheim; Edith Miller, of near Nebraska; Emanuel Haas, of Enterprise, Kansas; Mary Sentz, Harrisburg; John Metzler, Ephrata; Harry J. Fishburn, Hummelstown; The Misses Mary Hess, Esther Stauffer, Katie Shearer, Anna, Stella and Mary Witmer, Amanda Ginder, Anna Koser, Harry Landis, of East Petersburg; Hettie Mumma, Eva Brubaker, Anna Kuhns, Reta Nolk, Beulah Zercher, Grace Engle, Rhoad G. and Mary Wolgemuth, Messrs. Nisley Greider, Clay Stauffer, John K. Wolgemuth, Daniel Ginder, Elam Shearer, Albert Nisley, Mrs. Harry Stauffer and children Almeda and Helen, Mrs. Hattie Clay, Fannie Mumma, Sue Hummel, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Shery, Helen Broughton, Dolly Page, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stauffer all of near Mount Joy.

Get Your Jars and Glasses

All persons wanting their fruit jars and jelly glasses, returned for refilling, from the General Hospital, will please call on Mrs. T. M. Breneman to whom they were sent for distribution.

Every Farmer Can Do This

Along the fence on one side of one of his fields, a Warwick township farmer has 400 feet of trellis covered with grape vines. He sold bushels of fine fruit last fall.

Granted a Divorce

The Court on Saturday granted a divorce to Mary M. Brosey, of Lancaster, from Elmer C. Brosey, of this place, on the grounds of desertion.

GENERAL NEWS FOR QUICK READING

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY FOR THE BENEFIT OF BUSY PEOPLE

This state paid out \$113,802 in bounties the past year.

The shad fishing season, which was a poor one, closed on Saturday.

The Zion Lutheran church at Marietta will purchase a pipe organ.

Lebanon county has 50 licensed hotels. Several years ago there were 125.

Jacob M. Schroll had a new porch erected at his residence on Cherry street.

Yeegs blew open a safe at Witmer one night last week, only to find it was empty.

There is an embargo on freight to Philadelphia, because the yardmen there struck on Saturday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. N. J. Harmon on Monday evening, June 28, at 7:45.

Miller & Koser, surveyors of Landisville, have just completed a survey and map of the Florin Water system.

John M. Heisey, Route 3, Mount Joy, is the executor of the estate of Warren M. Heisey, late of East Donegal.

Mr. John Baer, who was employed on the state highway work near Halifax, in Dauphin county, resigned on Saturday.

D. W. Kramer was operated on at the General Hospital last Thursday. The operation was quite successful and he is recovering gradually.

William G. McAdoo positively refuses to permit his name to go before the San Francisco convention as a Democratic candidate for president.

The Eagle Wheel and Bending Works at Lancaster, were able for five hours Thursday causing the destruction of \$60,000 worth of property.

Rev. Michael M. Davis moved his family and household effects to town on Thursday, occupying the Methodist parsonage on South Market street.

ED. MORRISEY DIES FROM HIS INJURIES

Edward Morrissey, an employe of the State Highway Department, was seriously injured Friday evening when he jumped from the auto truck in which he was riding. Both legs were broken and he suffered internal injuries.

Morrissey is employed as a hoister on the road between Elizabethtown and Rheams. That evening at quitting time, about twelve men boarded an auto truck, which was driven by Henry Taylor. The truck was being backed down a steep hill and gained so much speed in the descent that it got beyond control and struck an elevation made by some pipes recently laid, when Morrissey jumped. He was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital where he died next morning.

Deeds Recorded.

Michael G. Myers and S. Nisley Gingrich, jointly in Florin, \$3,400.

E. L. Nisly to Nisly Swiss Chocolate Company, tract of land in Florin, \$4,000.

John W. Wolgemuth to Mary R. Wolgemuth, one-half interest in a property in West Donegal, \$1.

Jacob B. Shearer to Andrew G. Reider, 23 acres and 144 perches of land in Mount Joy township, \$3,500.

Sarah E. Hershey and Mary R. Wolgemuth to John W. Wolgemuth, 86 acres and 49 perches in West Donegal, \$10,000.

Big But Scarce

The strawberry crop around Bainbridge is the smallest for many years. One grower, John H. Finley, living near there, has some extra large berries, having carried water daily to freshen them. Among the lot picked yesterday were several which measured six inches in circumference, and were very luscious.

Elizabethtown Pastor Chosen

At the closing session of the East Pennsylvania Conference Christian Endeavor convention, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Rev. I. N. Seldomridge, of Elizabethtown; vice-president, Rev. I. M. Hershey, of Maytown; recording secretary, Rev. C. E. Rettew, of New Holland.

Mt. Gretna Campmeeting.

The Mount Gretna United Brethren Campmeeting and Bible conference will be held from August 3 to 12 this year. The association has secured four of the best and ablest speakers--men who rank foremost and have appeared to large audiences in all sections of the United States.

Will Embark in Business

While in town last week on a visit to friends, Mr. Harry E. Getz, formerly a member of the local clothing firm of Getz Bros. here, informed us that he will embark in the clothing business at Kutztown. He contemplates opening some time next Fall.

Autoist Arrested

Paris Garber, a resident of West Donegal was arrested yesterday by a state policeman, for driving an automobile without a license. Garber was fined ten dollars and costs.

Now It's Summer

Summer began on Monday, June 21, which was the longest day.

PIANOFORTE PUPILS GIVE A SPLENDID RECITAL

The primary and intermediate grade pupils of Miss T. Anna Welsh gave a piano-forte recital in Mount Joy Hall on Friday evening. All the participants played well and pleased a good sized audience. The program follows:

Trio, Diploma Waltz, Marion Musser, Esther Lindemuth, Lillian Backenstoe; Duet, Merry Bobolink, Mildred and Kathryn Lindemuth; String of Pearls, Alice Longenecker; Minstrel, Gavotte Gracieuse, Anna Mumma; Softly Sings the Brooklet, Marion Musser; Hide and Seek, Helen Snyder; Moss Rose Waltz, Silver Raindrops, Blanche Newcomer; Little Runaway, Kathryn Lindemuth; Twinkling Stars, Alida Greider; Spirit of the storm, Folk Song, "Du Lieber Augustin," Oliver Longenecker; Doll's Dream, Elsie Hoffer; Maypole Dance, Jack and Jill Polka, Laura Supman; Duet, Lehigh Polka, Martha Moyer and Ethel Newcomer; Song Without Words, Fond Memories, Charles Brandy; March, In Brave Army, Lillian Backenstoe; Sweet Kiss Polka, Mildred Lindemuth; March of the Boys' Brigade, Carl Engle; Trio, Valse, Op. 110, Miriam Lindemuth, Pauline Engle, Dorothy Boyce; Morning Prayer, Ethel Newcomer; Mountain Belle, Schottische, Lester Brubaker; Lady Bird, Rondo, Esther Lindemuth; Playing Tag, Elizabeth Eby; Rondoletto in C, Pauline Engle; Morning Dew, Dorothy Boyce; California, Song of the Rushing Stream, Robert Heilig; Valse Mignonne, Miriam Lindemuth; Bicycle Galop, John Brandt; Blushing Roses, Martha Moyer; The Waterfall, Anna Mumma; Tarantella, Sparulets, Alice Longenecker; Dream Waltz, Alois Heilig; Dance of the Wild Flowers, Marion Musser; Trio, Fast Mail Galop, Anna Mumma, Alice Longenecker, Martha Moyer.

WE HAD NUMEROUS STORMS LAST WEEK

There were a number of hail and rain storms throught this section last week and as a result, fruit trees, tobacco, etc. suffered. In some parts of Rapho township hail fell as large as big cherries on Thursday evening. Hundreds of trees were uprooted throught this entire neighborhood. The storm was quite severe in the vicinity of Keener's Mill and the Green Hills. Thru the meadow along these hills quite a number of hickory and willow trees were felled by the storm. Many sour cherry trees, heavy with this season's crop, were blown down. The rain fall was so heavy that fields in many places were badly washed and in some instances the new setting of tobacco plants was carried away with the water. This necessitated replanting.

The belfry on the Evangelical church was struck by lightning and damaged.

FORESTERS DEGREE TEAM AT LEBANON SATURDAY

Thirty-one members of Court Mt. Joy No. 228, Foresters of America, went to Lebanon on Saturday evening. They made the trip in D. G. Brinsler's big truck in charge of Enos Floyd and Roland of Rheams. Immediately upon their arrival at Lebanon they were tendered a banquet.

At 7:30 accompanied by the Lebanon club, they had a parade after which the Mt. Joy degree team gave an exhibition drill in the square in that city. At 8:30 our degree team initiated a large class for the Lebanon lodge. Another banquet followed and the "boys" returned home well pleased with their treatment and trip.

A Lot Out of Nothing

There were all kinds of wild rumors about the sudden disappearance of John Landis, of Elizabethtown, who was hired on a West Donegal farm, near Bossler's church. When the facts were learned he had only changed places. Several daily papers had lengthy articles on his mysterious disappearance.

SALE REGISTEK

Saturday, June 26--On the premises in Mount Joy township, near Baker's Bridge, large lot of household goods for the estate of Barbara H. Brandt, deceased by D. G. Brandt, administrator. Frank, auct.

Graduated at West Chester

Miss Vivian O. Chandler, daughter of Dr. W. D. Chandler of this place, was one of the graduates at the State Normal School at West Chester last week.

Held Picnic Saturday

The employes of the Bachman Chocolate Company held their annual outing and picnic at Litzitz on Saturday and it proved a big success. A game of base ball was a feature.

On Shorter Time.

George Brown's Sons mills here have gone on a four days a week shift for the present. They will only work eight hours a day.

Marriage Licenses.

Abram E. Hershey, East Donegal township, and Mary R. Horst, of Lebanon county.

Too Big for a Calf.

E. W. Hollinger, the East Petersburg butcher, killed a 30-day-old calf last week that weighed 274 lbs. This is something never before heard of a calf of this age. The calf was raised by Martin Swarr, of Bamford, and it took on five pounds each day for the last week it lived.

OUR WEEKLY CARD BASKET

PERSONAL MENTION ABOUT THE MANY COMERS AND DOERS IN THIS LOCALITY

Miss Grace Dietz of Dickinson, is home for the summer.

Miss Christine Moyer of Hood College, is home on her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arntz and son Gerald visited friends at Maytown, Sunday.

Mrs. Alpheus L. Brandt, returned home Tuesday after spending two weeks with friends at Baltimore.

Misses Viola and Ruth Espenshade of this place, spent last week at Philadelphia, with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Groff and son George and Mrs. Sarah Hamaker spent Sunday with friends at Enola.

Mrs. J. C. Carmany spent last Wednesday at Elizabethtown, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Diebold.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Niblock and Mrs. Walter Michaels, of Bainbridge, spent Tuesday with Mrs. John Dabler.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon F. Snyder and daughter Miss Marie Klugh have gone to Mount Gretna where they will spend two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Miller and daughter Miss Elsie, spent Saturday and Sunday at Reading and Kutztown visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Manning and Mr. and Mrs. John Hensleman, all of Millersville, spent Sunday with John Dabler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shenk and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Shenk and son Walter of Elizabethtown, visited with Mr. C. S. Gingrich and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Boynton, of Wilmington, Del., spent Saturday and Sunday here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Myers on Marietta Street.

Emanuel Haas of the Messiah Bible School, Cranham, Pa.; Miss Isabel Hoffman, Hope, Kansas; Misses Miriam M. Hlinger and Albert H. Sprout, of Mt. Joy, were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wolgemuth near Mt. Pleasant.

A LARGE BARN WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE

The large barn on the farm of Mrs. Mary Habecker, in East Donegal township, one mile northeast of Marietta, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The origin of which is unknown. The loss is estimated at \$3,000.

Mr. Norman Stauffer, son-in-law of Mrs. Habecker, tenants the farm. A short time before the fire was discovered his six-year-old daughter Elsie saw an aged couple enter the barn. Some time later the fire was seen issuing from the stable. The man and woman had not reappeared. An alarm was sounded, but when aid arrived the building was a mass of flames. All livestock in the building, including three horses, a mule and a number of pigs, were burned to death and some chickens. Also a wagon and forty tons of hay and straw, as well as a lot of fodder. The barn, which was 40x90 feet, pig sty, chicken house, straw shed and a large silo were completely destroyed. The loss is estimated at nearly \$8,000, only partly covered by insurance in the Manor Mutual and Mt. Joy Township Mutual Fire Insurance Companies.

The barn was built of timber from the old historic wooden bridge that spanned the Susquehanna River at Columbia, but which was replaced by the present iron structure.

It is believed that the two strangers seeking shelter, met death when the structure was destroyed and a search among the ruins will be made today.

3-DAYS' CHAUTAUQUA IS NOW ON IN FULL

The big tent for the Chautauqua here was erected on Monday and yesterday afternoon the Versatilians, a trio of young ladies, gave a very good rendition of song and music. In the evening Dr. Poole's illustrated lecture on China packed the big tent, many being obliged to stand. Today Brush, the magician and DeMarco entertainers, will, we feel sure, please all who attend. The final and concluding numbers on Thursday will be Dr. Geo. P. Bible's discourse on "Fads and Extremes" and last but not least, the National Four, an unusual quartet, will close a most successful chautauqua.

Case From Landisville

Before Alderman Spurrer, at Lancaster, Stephen Weaver, Thomas Martin and M. H. Donovan are charged with larceny, and were committed for a hearing. The accused, who gave Philadelphia as their home address, were arrested at Landisville by Constable Cooper. It is alleged that they stole money from milk bottles in Landisville and then threw the bottles away.

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Summer began on Monday, June 21, which was the longest day.