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### HOFFER CLAN HAS ANNUAL REUNION

#### FIFTH YEARLY GATHERING IS HELD AT MIDDLETOWN ON SATURDAY—MANY PERSONS PRESENT

The fifth annual meeting of the Hoffer family was held at Hoffer Park, Middletown, on Saturday. The opening prayer was made at 2:30 P. M. by Rev. J. Russel Bucher, of the Bethel church, Middletown. The minutes of last year's meeting were read by the secretary, and approved. The president made the welcoming address. Rev. Samuel Hoffer Hertzler, of Elizabethtown, gave an interesting and instructive address of the life of his grandfather, John L. Hoffer. John and his brother Samuel were the inventors of a corn planter and made the first one used in this section of the country. They also made a double barreled shot gun. The secretary gave an interesting talk on the family coat of arms, reading letters and giving data of its authenticity.

Rev. Charles A. Snavely, of Avon, and Rev. Daniel Kreider, of Harrisburg, spoke most entertainingly upon the subject, "Taking Their (Hoffer) Word." Their remarks were interspersed with wit and humor. Rev. Henry H. Hoffer, of Hershey, chose for his subject, "Reminiscences of Boyhood Days." All of the speakers acquitted themselves equally well.

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: President, C. H. Hoffer, Middletown; vice president, U. E. Hoffer, Mount Joy; secretary, Frank B. N. Hoffer, Mount Joy; assistant secretary, Peter D. Gruber, Middletown; treasurer, Rev. Henry H. Hoffer, Hershey; executive committee, Rev. Aaron H. Hoffer, Litz; Rev. Henry B. Hoffer, Manheim; Rev. Abram E. Hoffer, Mt. Joy; Charles H. Reed, Linn; James M. Hoffer, Steelton; Genealogy—Miss Mary Engle Hoffer, Mt. Joy; Rev. Samuel H. Hertzler, Elizabethtown; Rev. Henry B. Hoffer, Manheim; Rev. Aaron H. Hoffer, Litz; T. B. Hoffer, Fort Worth, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Hoffer, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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### FESTIVALS TO BE HELD HERE AND AT FLORIN

The Florin Cemetery Association will hold a festival in the park at Florin, on Saturday, August 5th. A good band will furnish music. There will be amusements for young and old. Eats of all kinds.

A festival in the park at this place will be held on Saturday, August 5. Benefit of the Shining Star Class of the United Brethren church. A band from out of town will be in attendance. There will be a package auction at 9 p. m. Many good things to eat will be served.

On Saturday, August 19th, a festival will be held in the park at this place under the auspices of the Gerberich-Payne Shoe Co. Bass Ball Club will be amusements of all kinds for young and old. Chicken corn soup, ice cream, cake, soft drinks, etc. will be sold. Also a good orchestra will furnish music.

On Saturday, August 26th, a festival in the park in Florin, afternoon and evening. A special supper will be served. Benefit of the Florin Hall Association. Chicken corn soup, ice cream, cake, sandwiches, soft drinks, and watermelon. The Ladies Band of Palmyra, will be in attendance. A Ford automobile will be given away the night of the festival.

The Mount Joy Athletic Association will hold a festival on the old Tennis Court grounds on Saturday, Sept. 2nd. This will be the largest festival held in the borough for some time. A band and orchestra will be in attendance. Amusements of all kinds.

**Keller & Bros.' Next Sale**  
Messrs. J. B. Keller & Bro. will hold their next public sale at their stock yards here on Friday, Aug. 4 when they will sell 90 head of Union Crawford and Erie Co. cows, heifers, bulls and steers.

They will also have a carload of fresh cows and springers at private sale on Monday, July 31 and Tuesday, August 1.

**Taken to Hospital**  
David Landis, of Conoy township, near Elizabethtown, was taken to Lancaster hospital Thursday with symptoms of tetanus. Mr. Landis was kicked on the leg by a horse several weeks ago. The injury was not considered alarming until several days ago.

**Come to Military Camps**  
Quintard Comman, of Marietta, has gone to the citizens training camp at Meigs and Joseph Miller, Marietta has gone to Langley Field, Virginia. John R. Shanko, Rowenna, has gone to Camp Meade for training.

**Ruhl's Sunday School Picnic**  
The annual picnic of Ruhl's United Brethren Sunday School was held in Frank Ruhl's grove near the church on Saturday. Music was furnished by the Manheim Band.

### MOUNT JOY HIGH CLASS HAS REUNION AND BANQUET

The class of 1918 of the Mount Joy High School held a banquet and reunion in the Stevens House, Thursday evening. Two thirds of the members were present. The guests were Superintendent A. P. Mylin, Mrs. Mylin, H. O. O'Neil and Mrs. O'Neil, Miss Elda Park and Miss Grace Kinard, invited guests were unable to be present. Talks were given by Mr. Mylin, Mr. O'Neil, Vivian O. Chandler, Brenner, Ross Eshleman, Florence Habecker, Calvin Kramer, Christine Moyer, Henry and Martin Musser, Beatrice Schatz, Leroy Tyndall and Earl Walters.

Officers of the class are: President Abner Nisley Gingrich, vice president, Mrs. Brenner; secretary, Florence Habecker, treasurer, Ross Eshleman. Other members of the class are: Frances Ruth Beatty, Charles Gould DeLong, Erma Muriel Hertzog, Calvin Leroy Kramer, Pearl Miller Myers, Christine Eleanor Moyer, Henry and Warren Musser, Martin Seachrist, Beatrice Schatz, Russell Wilbur Swigart, William Tyndall, Earl Brandt Walters, Edwin Walters.

### THOUSANDS VISIT LANDISVILLE CAMP

#### ONE THOUSAND AUTOMOBILES WERE PARKED IN VICINITY OF THE GROVE ON SUNDAY

The Landisville camp meeting was the center of attraction for eight thousand people on Sunday. Starting early in the morning and continuing all day there was a constant stream of people pouring into the camp grounds to worship in the huge tabernacle. Extra cars were run to the camp grounds and all of these were filled. Many people came by automobile and there were approximately a thousand cars parked about the camp grounds.

The day started with the morning prayer and praise service at 9:30, which was in charge of Rev. Charles Trux, the spiritual director. This meeting was well attended and much enjoyed. The preaching service was held at 10:30. Rev. Frank J. Andrus, of Philadelphia, gave a splendid sermon on "The Christian Life and Its Maintenance," taking I John, 5: 11-12 for his text.

The children's service at 1:30 was in charge of Rev. Harry S. Dando, who gave a talk and object lesson, interesting to adults as well as children. The musical service at three o'clock was in charge of Prof. Caselbury and the woods echoed with the volume of song. The program was as follows: Duet, Mrs. Jennie Snyder and Mrs. Harry Hipple; song by male quartet; xylophone solo, Kenneth Keeler; solo, Dr. George Huber; xylophone solo, Bender Miller; vocal solo, Mrs. Jennie Snyder; quartet, Mrs. Harry Hipple and Mrs. Jennie Snyder, Dr. George Huber, Prof. Caselbury; xylophone selection, Kenneth Keeler, accompanied on the piano by Reginald Keeler; trombone solo, H. Hiemenz; selection by male quartet. The Columbia orchestra played at all services during the day. The young peoples' service was held at 6:30, by Rev. Charles Solkeld, who talked on a portion of the Apostles Creed, "I Believe in the Cross of Jesus Christ." Dr. Frank Andrus preached the evening sermon with the topic, "The Reality of the Unseen World."

### FIVE GUARDS ON DUTY AT HABECKER DISTILLERY

To frustrate any attempt to break into the Habecker Distillery at Elm, three additional warehouse agents have been appointed by the Collector of Internal Revenue.

The names as announced today by W. R. Latz, Division Chief, are: Jno A. McGinnis, Mt. Joy; John F. Dattman, Landisville, and Amos L. Doebler, this city. There are now five guards on duty at this distillery, although only a small quantity of whiskey remains there. The other two guards are W. Frank Pennock, of Lancaster, and William E. Longbach of Manheim.

**A Harvest Meeting**  
A harvest meeting will be held on the farm of Graybill Wolgemuth, on Saturday, August 12. Services, which will be held in the barn and also in a large tent, will start at 1 o'clock. In the evening Bishop C. N. Hostetter, from Washingtonboro, who recently returned from a missionary trip to Africa and India, will speak of the natives of those countries. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

**A Sweet Little Pet**  
Linn Kemper, of Litz, has added to his stock of wild animals—opossum, raccoon, fox and squirrels—a five-foot blacksnake that he captured with a forked stick while on a huckleberrying trip.

**Drowned Near Marietta**  
Norman Neudorf, aged 23 years, of Lancaster, who was camping with several companions near Accomac, opposite Marietta, was drowned on Sunday afternoon. While bathing he was attacked by cramps.

### OUR WEEKLY CARD BASKET

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

H. G. Smoker, of Columbia, visited on Tuesday.  
Mr. Henry Evans spent Monday with Kerwin Martin at Marietta.  
Misses Marie and Celeste Carson visited friends at Lancaster on Monday.

Miss Dorothy Louise Lauer, of Harrisburg, was a visitor here on Monday.

Elmer Jackson, of Steelton, spent Wednesday here with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Jackson.

Miss Celesta Carson, of Philadelphia, is spending several days in town with relatives.

Mrs. Minnie Carson of Philadelphia, spent Monday in town visiting relatives and friends.

Burgess J. A. Bachman and wife, and Miss Laura Harley, are spending their vacation in Maine.

Miss Mary Schroll, of this place, spent several days at Maytown with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. McCurdy.

Misses Kathryn Longenecker and Esther Brown and Benj. Brown, spent Sunday at Longs Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Leber of Trenton, N. J., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Campbell.

Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Snyder and daughter Helen, returned home, after spending several days at Chicago.

Mrs. Harry Burkhardt of Perth Amboy, N. J., spent several days here with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Schroll.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Moyer and daughter Martha, of this place, are spending several days at Wildwood, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McNichol and children of New Jersey, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stoll.

Mr. Frank Schneider and daughter Helen, of Trenton, N. J., spent Sunday here visiting his mother, Mrs. Eva Schneider.

Mr. and Mrs. David Leber Jr. and Alfred of Lansdowne, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Campbell.

Misses Dorothy Loraw and Dorothy Schroll have gone to Harrisburg to spend the week with the latter's sister, Mrs. R. R. Lauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder and daughter Louise and son Junior, of Bethlehem, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Simon R. Snyder.

Mrs. E. G. Hanscomb and daughter left for their home in Bradford, Ohio, last Thursday, after spending four weeks with her mother, Mrs. Samuel Zink.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Nisley and daughter Caroline returned home Saturday after spending several days at Tarrytown, N. Y., with their son Raymond.

Mrs. Amos Garber accompanied Misses Catherine Shirk and Anna Golt to Rocky Springs on Monday afternoon. The latter celebrated her birthday anniversary there.

### INTERESTING CLIPPING FOUND IN AN OLD BIBLE

The following clipping was found in an old Bible by Mrs. Walter Smith, of near Bainbridge.

"Six Cents Reward—Ransaway from the subscriber, living in Elizabethtown, Lancaster county on the twenty-second day of August last. John Robinson, and indentured apprentice to the shoe-making business. He is about thirty-three years of age, had in when went away, a black cloth coat and pants and a white hat. He has stolen a French watch from me, when I forwarn anyone from purchasing it. It is supposed he went to New York county. Any person taking up said runaway, shall receive the above reward of six cents, but no charges paid if brought back. Henry Frank, Elizabethtown, September 8, 1830."

**Reddies Will Hold Outing**  
Otsego Tribe No. 59, Improved order of Red Men of this place, will hold their annual outing in Snyder's grove, east of town, on Saturday, August 12, starting at noon. Chicken corn soup and other refreshments will be served. Each member is requested to bring one guest. There is every indication that the affair will be a success.

**A Freak in Piggery**  
"Pigs is pigs" in Oklahoma, and W. J. Underwood, who raises them, is quite satisfied. A Poland China sow in his piggery recently had a litter of ten pigs. Ten days later the same sow had a second litter of nine. All of the first litter are living, and seven of the second litter survive.

**Has a Good Memory**  
Exactly seventy-two years ago today our townsman M. N. Brubaker attended a baloon ascension held by John Wise at Lancaster and the day previous he loaded manure.

**Marriage Licenses**  
Harold Zimmerman and Maud G. Webb, both of this place.  
Luther B. Greenawald, of Kinderhook and Myrtle May, of Harrisburg, of Columbia.

### ELIZABETHTOWN CLUB HELD A GOOD SHOOT

The most successful shoot ever held at Elizabethtown took place there Saturday when the Trapshooting Association of that place staged a target shoot. The entry list was not so large but the field of shooters was the best in this section. Walter W. Posey, the Lancaster crack, Joseph P. Breneman, the double expert, also of Lancaster, Jno. G. Martin, "Jack" Sheaffer and Samuel Hoffman, the best in Harrisburg, Strickler of Lebanon; "Bill" Elliott, the daddy of the trap shooters at Coatesville and many others participated.

Harry Garman, the leader of the home club, shot a very good race and was only "nosed out" at the finish. Jno. E. Schroll, of this place, a member of the E-town club was high with 97, while Garman was second with 96 and Elliott third with 95. The scores are appended:

100 Bird Race	
Schroll	20 18 19 20 20-97
Garman	19 20 20 19 18-96
Elliott	20 18 19 19 19-95
Martin	19 18 19 19 19-94
Hoffman	17 19 20 19 19-94
Shirk	18 17 19 20 18-93
Strickler	20 18 19 17 19-93
Posey	17 19 18 20 19-93
Sheaffer	18 18 16 19 20-91
Moore	19 20 17 18 16-90
Siegelbaum	18 18 17 18 19-90
Haldeman	18 18 19 18 16-89
Balmes	18 20 17 16 18-79
Shissler	18 17 20 15 18-88
Charleston	16 17 19 17 18-88
Snyder	16 18 19 16 19-88
Stoner	16 16 16 17 19-84
Andrews	19 17 18 17 13-84
Houck	15 18 17 19 14-83
Ault	17 14 18 13 16-78
Weaver	18 14 17 14 13-76
Keener	16 14 11 11 11-41

**Sweepstakes**  
A 25-bird sweepstakes was shot and was a dead heat between Schroll, Garman, Sheaffer and Strickler. The score:

Schroll 25, Garman 25, Sheaffer 25, Strickler 25, Siegelbaum 24, Hoffman 24, Snyder 23, Shissler 22, Charleston 22.

In the 100 bird race Schroll broke his last 58 straight. In the two events following he broke 48 more, making a straight run of 106.

**The Protection Shoot**  
A protection shoot, which was quite a novelty, with eighteen entries, was won by Messrs. Sheaffer and Haldeman, of Harrisburg.

### PERRY CO. REUNION WAS A SUCCESS

**SENATOR BERNTHEISEL, PROF. GRAYBILL AND REV. MILLER WERE THE SPEAKERS FOR THE OCCASION**

The third annual reunion or picnic of the Perry counties was held in Cassel's Park, near Marietta, on Saturday. The day was ideal and the affair was a success, although the attendance was not quite as large as the year previous. The Ladies Band, of Palmyra, furnished the music and greatly pleased all.

Rev. Miller, Prof. Graybill of Maytown and Senator Berntheisel of Columbia, were the speakers engaged for the occasion. They spoke in behalf of the farmers in their proficient acts of tilling the soil in this grand old Garden Spot of Pennsylvania. Their discourses were very interesting.

In the afternoon there was a game of base ball between Kinderhook and Royaton. The pie eating contest was well handled, especially when our noble friend, Ed Ream, was at the helm. The wheelbarrow race was the most laughable feature of the occasion as was also the bag race and foot jumping act. All in all that picnic will go down in history as one of fond remembrance.

Mrs. S. H. Tressler presented the reunion committee with a handsome cake that was chanced off at the park putting into the treasury sixteen solid bucks.

The committee in charge deserve credit for the success of the affair.

**That Was Some Festival**  
One of the biggest festivals in the county was held by the Fire Company at New Holland Saturday night. A large number of soft drinks, lamps, clocks, work boxes and baskets, dolls, aluminum ware, 100 pounds of Sheet's candy, other candies, four bushels peanuts, 100 watermelons, 100 fruit baskets, 40 quarts ice cream and 300 large cakes were sold. The receipts were \$1,600.00.

**His Auto Ran Wild**  
Losing control of his machine, Morris Wolf, of Bainbridge, ran into an embankment and badly wrecked his car. He was thrown against the windshield, receiving a scalp wound. He was taken to the office of a physician who dressed his injury.

**Eastern Zone Shoot**  
The second largest target shoot in the United States this year is being held at Lancaster this week. It started today and ends Saturday evening. Everybody is welcome as a shooter or spectator. The best shots in the country will participate.

### OUR MORTUARY RECORDINGS

#### MANY WELL KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

Mrs. Annie Lonhart died at Columbia, aged 53 years. She died as she sat down at the table for supper.

Charles A. Carraigan died in the Columbia Hospital, aged 58 years. He underwent an operation for gall stones.

**Warren T. Schneider**  
Warren T. son of Mr. and Mrs. George Schneider, died at his home on East Donegal street, in this place, on Sunday morning from lock-jaw, resulting from an infection of vaccination. He was aged seven years. He is survived by two sisters and four brothers: Hilda, Henry, Maud, Frank, Forest and Arthur, all at home. Funeral services were held this forenoon at 9 o'clock. Interment was made in the Mount Joy cemetery.

**J. Edwin L. Mann**  
J. Edwin L. Mann died at his home on East Main street, on Thursday at 3 P. M. of a complication of diseases, aged 48 years, 4 months and 17 days. He was a son of the late John S. and Barbara Ziegler Mann, of Manor township. He is survived by one sister, Miss Harriet Mann, at home. Funeral services were held from the house on Monday afternoon at 2:00 and 2:30 in the Presbyterian church. Interment in the East Donegal Cemetery, (Pecks Cemetery).

**Fanny N. Greiner**  
Fanny N. Greiner, died at her home on Delta street at 10:00 on Sunday morning from a complication of diseases, aged 61 years. She was a daughter of the late Philip and Mary N. Greiner. She was a member of the U. B. church and is survived by three sisters, Linnie at home, Mrs. J. G. Metzger and Miss Mar Greiner, of this place. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home and 2:30 in the U. B. church. Interment was made in the Florin cemetery.

**Gabriel M. Schwager**  
Gabriel M. Schwager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Schwager, of Mt. Joy township, died at his home on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from (Continued on page 4)

**Entertained Many Guests**  
Mr. and Mrs. Russel Shoop, prosperous farmers of near Cassel's park, entertained the following friends at their home from Friday until Monday: Mrs. Oliver Jones, Mrs. Gerald Adams, Miss Jessie College, Mr. Bernard College all of Philadelphia; Mr. William Mumper, wife and children Bennie and Ray, Mr. Barclay Mumper, all of New Germantown; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boyles of Marietta; Mr. and Mrs. David Hassinger and daughters Mabel and Edna, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swartz and daughter Betty; Mr. Roy Snyder all of Plain; Mr. D. C. College of Harrisburg; Mrs. Truman Walk and Miss Mabel Breneman of near Marietta.

**Appointed District Deputy**  
Mr. Martin A. Metzler, of this place, Collector of Wampum of Otsego Tribe No. 59, Imp. G. R. M., was appointed District Deputy by Great Sachem Cyrus Y. Stern. Metzler's district comprises Otsego Tribe No. 59, of this place; Metamora Tribe No. 2, of Lancaster and Tangasocotae Tribe No. 215, at Christiana. Mr. Metzler's appointment is a popular one.

**Baby Clinics Growing**  
The baby clinics which are being held in the public school building every Thursday, are showing splendid progress, and the committee in charge is very well pleased with the support being received. The enrollments are steadily increasing, and now number ninety-three.

**Business Meeting and Social**  
The Men's Bible Class of the U. E. Church will hold a business and Social Meeting on the lawn in the rear of the church on Friday evening, Aug. 4th. The Ladies' Bible Class is invited to attend. After business is transacted a fine program will be rendered.

**It Was a Success**  
The festival held in the park here Saturday afternoon and evening by the F. P. A. Degree team was a big success. There were all kinds of amusements and games of chance with plenty of refreshments on the side. The Mount Joy band furnished the music.

**This County Was Eighth**  
Lancaster county stood eighth in the amount of gasoline tax paid to the state between January 1 and July 1 according to the statement made by Auditor General Samuel S. Lewis.

**Guardian Appointed**  
The Union National bank of this place, has been appointed guardian of Charles R. Eby in the estate of Amos F. Eby of East Donegal township. ship.

### MR. AND MRS. DENNISON TENDERED A SURPRISE

A surprise was given to Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l. Dennison of Stevens Hill, last evening in honor of their twenty-fourth wedding anniversary. The following were present from Harrisburg, Elizabethtown, Mount Joy and Stevens Hill: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dennison, Mr. S. G. Arthur, Mrs. W. E. Hamill, Mr. Fred B. Dahong, Mr. John A. Deshong, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Arthur, Miss Helen S. Arthur, Master Jack Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Arthur, Miss Mabel Marie Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hoffer, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Charles, Master John Charles, Miss Margaret Charles, Miss Annie M. Hoffer, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert MacDonald, Miss Dorothy MacDonald, Mr. J. Arthur Hoffer, Miss Rachael Hoffer, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hoffman, Master Richard Hoffman, Miss Hazel Hoffman, Master Clayton Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Ebersole, Master Paul Ebersole, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrison, Miss Edna Ebersole.

### GENERAL NEWS FOR QUICK READING

#### INTERESTING HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY FOR THE BENEFIT OF BUSY PEOPLE

Just because a Presbyterian minister married a couple in their bathing costumes he was unfrocked.

Henry S. Rich is preparing to rebuild the barn on his farm tenanted by Mr. Shelly. It was recently destroyed by fire.

Mrs. Z. W. Keller, who is making her home with her daughter in Detroit, Mich., is ill.

Mr. M. A. Rollman's colic dog was run down by an auto and injured so severely that it had to be killed.

It is claimed that last Thursday's rain and hail storm caused between \$75,000 and \$100,000 damages throughout York county.

Philadelphia dealers are buying potatoes around Litz and shipping them by the carloads. They pay 90 cents delivered to cars.

Miss Emma McMichael, of Marietta, who is summering at Atlantic City, was beaten and robbed at the Ambassador Hotel there.

Jno. F. Mowrer, a retired farmer of Paradise township, was so badly shocked when he saw his son's home destroyed by fire that he died.

A survey is now under way whereby the trolley line leading from Lancaster to Ephrata will be extended so as to reach Talmage, Akron and Brownstown.

Antoine Oullette, one of the Indians who served under Sitting Bull at the time of the Custer massacre, is dead at Weyburn, Sask., at the age of more than 100 years.

Wine kegs by the carload, bottle caps in any quantity and fruit presses of various capacities are so numerously sold that the county home brewers anticipate a record producing year.

The Boy Scout Executive committee at Elizabethtown leased a plot of ground from the State near Pine Grove Furnace for a period of ten years, upon which they will establish a permanent camp.

**BIG QUARRY BLAST WILL LAST A YEAR**  
Messrs Strickler and Hinkle, who operate the quarry on the B. F. Heistand farm, in East Donegal, set off a blast last week of 3,350 pounds of dynamite, and loosened and broke enough of stone to keep them busy for one year. The shot was made by experts of the Du Pont Powder works and was so scientifically arranged and carried out that not one single stone was thrown over ten feet into the air. The output of this quarry averages one hundred ton of stone per day. The stone at present is being used by the State Highway department on a stretch of road between Columbia and Bainbridge, a total of 11 miles. Strickler and Hinkle at present are making preparations to supply Lavino Furnace which is about ready to go into blast.

**Stern—Hess**  
The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Stern, daughter of J. H. Stern, chief burgess of Elizabethtown and senior member of the Stern Manufacturing Company and Harold Glynn Hess of Bankersville, Kansas, took place at St. Paul's United Brethren church at Elizabethtown. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. G. Nye.

**Zimmerman—Webb**  
Harold Zimmerman and Miss Maud Good Webb, both of Mount Joy, were married Saturday evening at the parsonage of the United Brethren church at Mountville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. E. Long. They will reside here.

**Frank & Bros.' Next Sale**  
Next Tuesday, Aug 15, Messrs. C. S. Frank & Bro. will hold a public sale of cows, bulls and shoats on the farm of Abner Hershey, near the Mt. Joy Boro Water Works. In case of rain the sale will be held in the dry

**Board of Trade Will Meet**  
There will be an important meeting of the Board of Trade on Friday evening August 4th, in the Council Chamber at 8 o'clock. The matter of constitution and by-laws will be brought up as the committee is ready to report. All members and prospective members are urged to attend so that all may have a voice in this important matter. Please do not forget the time and the date.

**DEED 54 YEARS OLD JUST RECORDED HERE**  
A deed made fifty-four years ago has just been placed on record in the recorder's office, at Lancaster, it was announced today. The deed conveys a tavern in West Donegal township from Jonathan Diffenderfer to Abram Greenawald.

**114 Licenses In July**  
The number of marriage licenses issued during the month of July of this year is 114. This is an increase of 38 over the same month last year, when only 76 were issued.

### THE FARM WOMEN HELD BIG MEETING

#### AT LEAST FIVE HUNDRED IN ATTENDANCE IN RAPHO TOWNSHIP ON SATURDAY

The fourth annual joint meeting of Farm Women was held at the home of Mrs. Abram W. Wolgemuth, Rapho township, on Saturday. The weather was ideal and early in the day automobiles began to arrive until over one hundred cars were parked in the yard surrounding the Wolgemuth home. The number of people in attendance is estimated at over five hundred.

This year's meeting surpassed all previous efforts by the society along this line, both in exchange of program and attendance. The main part of the meeting was conducted in the spacious barn which was transformed into a temporary auditorium. The floor was filled with chairs and benches and many were compelled to stand outside. The decorations were simple, consisting of bouquets of old-fashioned flowers. Upon entering each person was tagged with a green badge with the words "Society of Farm Women of Pennsylvania," and the number of the Society which they represented.

Mrs. Wolgemuth, county chairman, and chairman of Society No. 2, presided at the meeting. Miss Eva Nolt was pianist and Mrs. H. M. Licht conducted the community singing. The morning session was opened with the singing of "America" by the society. The address of welcome was made by Esther Wolgemuth. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Fannie Shearer, who read the 65th Psalm, and all repeated the Lord's prayer. Entertaining features consisted of recitations. "The Jinx" rendered by Miss Bortha Kline and "Sweet Day of Rest", by Mrs. Rosa Snavely, were greatly enjoyed. The address of the morning was delivered by Mrs. Frank B. Black. (Continued on page 5)

**SEVERAL AUTO MISHAPS THE PAST FEW DAYS**

Last evening Joseph Smith of Elizabethtown drove south on Comfort Avenue and at the corner of Cherry street his Lexington collided with a Ford driven by Harry Weidman of Florin. The steering apparatus of the big car was out of commission while only the crank of the Ford was bent.

On Sunday morning a Ford and Hudson collided at this same place. The Hudson was towed to a garage for repairs and the flivver continued on its journey.

On Sunday evening a Studebaker and a Chevrolet at this same point. Damaged fenders resulted. No one was injured in any of the above collisions.

**FRANK W. CONRAD WAS STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE**

Frank W. Conrad, of West Marietta formerly of this place, had a miraculous escape from death on Saturday evening about 9 o'clock when he was struck with an automobile, driven by John H. Keener, of Maytown.

Witnesses of the accident took him to the office of Dr. T. E. Ingram, who rendered medical treatment and then removed him to his home in the western end of the town. Mr. Conrad is a man fifty-nine years of age, and well known over the county having been engaged in the ice cream business for many years.

**Hospital Patients**<