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OUR MORTUARY RECORDINGS

MANY WELL KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

Lizzie, wife of Rolandus H. Kauffman, died at Neffsville, aged 52 years.

Gertrude Mitchell, wife of Harry Mitchell, died at Columbia, aged 64 years.

C. G. Sauer, proprietor of the W. S. Lock and Hardware Co., at Columbia, died Wednesday.

Mrs. Susan Brumbach
Mrs. Susan Brumbach died at her home near Hommer Creek on Monday, aged 60 years, of a complication of diseases. Mrs. Paris Brubaker, of this place, is a daughter of the deceased.

Menno Nissley
Menno Nissley died on Saturday evening of a complication of diseases, in his home, West High street, Manheim, aged 55 years. His widow and the following sisters survive: Mrs. John Rohrer, Rapho township; Mrs. John Risser, Manheim; one brother, Simon, Rapho. Funeral services were held in the home at 9 o'clock this morning with further services in the Manheim Mennonite church at 9:30. Interment was made in Hernley's cemetery.

Mrs. Katherine W. Stauffer
Mrs. Katherine, widow of Benjamin Stauffer, died at her home in Petersburg, Monday at noon from acute indigestion. She was in her 78th year and a member of the Mennonite church. She is survived by one daughter, Miss Alice, at home. Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock at her late home with further services at 10 o'clock at the Mennonite church at Petersburg.

Mrs. Samuel H. Snavely
Mrs. Samuel H. Snavely died Monday morning of a complication of diseases, in her home, South Grant St., Manheim, aged 74 years. She was a member of the Mennonite church. Her husband and the following children survive: Mrs. Abram Lehman, Rapho; Mrs. Phillip Ruhl, Salunga; Mrs. H. and Samuel H., Manheim. Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home, and 1:30 (Continued on page 5)

Attention, Men!
Mr. John Goode, of the Bowers Mission, New York City, will give the story of his life at the monthly meeting of the Men's Federation, in the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Special music, an orchestra and a quartet will be added features. Mr. Goode, whose life story was endorsed by the late Theodore Roosevelt, is sent out by the Bowers Mission and the offering will be sent directly to the Mission. He makes no plea for money for himself. In order that as many as possible may hear him, he will, on next Sunday, address the Presbyterian Sunday School and occupy the pulpit of the Evangelical Church in the morning and the pulpit of the Methodist Church in the evening.

ENTIRE FAMILY SICKENED BY GAS FROM FURNACE

On Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. J. Shearer and daughter, Bessie, on E. Main street, became partly asphyxiated from coal gas. About midnight they were awakened and the daughter remarked that she thought she smelled smoke. Mr. Shearer said that he did not feel well enough to investigate and Mrs. Shearer, finding no signs of fire, again went to sleep. Awakening very late Sunday morning they suffered severe headaches and found that the house was filled with gas from the furnace. A doctor was called and rendered the necessary treatment.

WILL APPLY FOR CHARTER FOR A NEW CEMETERY

Application for a charter for the Elizabethtown Mennonite Cemetery Association will be made to the Court of Common Pleas in December. The applicants are Amos C. Fridy, H. E. Garber, E. E. Shearer, C. E. Longenecker and Isaac B. Shaffer. The site for burial of members of the Old Mennonite church is located in Mount Joy township.

Engagement Announced
The engagement of Miss Mary B. Good, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Good, of East Donegal, and Clarence G. Lehman, has been announced. The wedding will occur in the near future.

Private Sale of Cows
J. B. Keller and Bro. just received a carload of cows. They will sell at private sale.

Honeybrook Here Saturday
The Mount Joy Football eleven will oppose the Honeybrook team on Saturday on the local field.

MANY PERSONS PAY FREAK ELECTION BETS

It is rather amusing to see the losers pay some of the freak election bets made prior to the election. In some instances people imagine a circus came to town but upon close investigation, are amused at the funny antics indulged in. Here are a few:

By rolling a lead pencil with a ruler around the High school assembly room, Robert Keller amused the pupils because he bet on Musser.

Amos Nissley, by making the same kind of a bet, rolled a peanut over the same course.

Miss Margaret Krall will be obliged to buy all the ice cream Misses Kathryn Longenecker and Esther Garber can eat because she thought Musser would be elected. If either or both the winners are indisposed ere long, the cause will, in all likelihood, be stomach trouble.

A Manheim street resident (who requested that we omit his name) was obliged to hop on one leg from his home out to the Mount Joy cemetery and return, with the understanding that he could rest whenever he pleased. The winner of the bet accompanied him.

Although Bigler Mumma marched in the Greist parade, he bet on Musser and now must roll a barrel around the square at the postoffice with his nose. That corner is crowded every night watching for the loser to pay his bet.

Dorothy Loray and James Krall must buy Dorothy Schroll and Howard Mumma all the ice cream they can eat at one sitting. The bet will be paid the first day either Neuman or the Sanitary Milk Company's large trucks bring a sufficient supply to any of their local distributors.

An employe at Brown's Mills here, must give one week's pay to a fellow employe.

Over at Marietta a staunch Greist supporter must take a swim in the river on Thanksgiving afternoon just because Musser carried that town by seven votes.

One of the employes at the Grey Iron Works here, who chews an average of two packs of tobacco a day, must discontinue the practice for one year. Here's an instance where, when a man loses, he wins.

YOUNG FOLKS ARE JOINED IN WEDLOCK

NUMBER OF VERY WELL KNOWN YOUNG FOLKS ARE JOINED IN THE HOLY BONDS OF MATRIMONY.

Buohl-Weidman
Paul M. Buohl, this place, and Miss Elizabeth Weidman, of Sheaffertown, were married at the home of the bride during the past week.

Houseal-Whitman
Miss Anna M. Houseal, Marietta, and Leroy R. Whitman, 209 North 15th street, Harrisburg, were married at Hagerstown, Maryland, Saturday, October 28th. Miss Houseal is a daughter of Mrs. Anna M. Houseal, Marietta. Mr. and Mrs. Whitman will be at home at No. 1712 Regina street, Harrisburg, after November 15th.

Martin-Martin
Paul H. Martin, of Elizabethtown, and Miss Rhoda Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Martin, of 435 South Market street, Elizabethtown, were married at 10 o'clock Thursday morning by the Rev. L. O. Musser, pastor of the Brethren in Christ church, Mount Joy. They were attended by Norman Brubaker, of Grantham, and Miss Esther Martin, of Palmyra. During the ceremony, the Misses Zercher, of Mt. Joy, sang. A wedding dinner was served. After a wedding trip to Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Martin will reside at 435 South Market street.

The bridegroom is an employe of Hoffer Brothers planing mill and the bride was clerk in Freymyer's bakery.

A Farewell Surprise Party
A farewell surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kauffman on West Main street last evening, in honor of their daughter Blanche who will leave next week for Florida, where they will spend several months. Many games were played and refreshments served. The following were in attendance: Misses Helen Plummer, Lena Landis, Mary Kramer, Hilda Frank, Marie Carson, Anna Webb and Blanche Kauffman, Messrs. Jay Risser, Albert Mumma, George Germer, Mark Mumma, Chas. Eshleman, Taylor Doebler and Alvin Bigler.

Defeated at York
The Mount Joy Eleven journeyed to York on Saturday and were defeated by the American Legion team, of that place, by the score of 12-6.

Red Cross Meeting
The Red Cross will meet at the home of Mrs. Edgar Eshleman, on East Main street, to-night at 7:30. All members are urged to be present.

OUR WEEKLY CARD BASKET

PERSONAL MENTION ABOUT THE MANY COMERS AND GOERS IN THIS LOCALITY

Mary Kramer spent the week-end at York with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harmon visited at Philadelphia last week.

Mr. Alex Kramer visited his sister, Mrs. Chas. Yeager, at Lancaster.

Rev. and Mrs. M. F. Davis spent several days at Atglen with relatives.

Dr. Swab, wife and son, of Lancaster, were Tuesday guests of H. C. Schock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beimesderfer and family spent Sunday at Middletown.

Mr. Arthur Trager, of Philadelphia spent the week-end here as the guest of friends.

Mrs. Martin Bowman and Eugene Boggs are spending the week in Pottsville.

Mrs. Solon Barr returned home Saturday from a visit to her parents, in Tremont.

Carrie Druckenmiller, of Elizabethtown, spent Tuesday here with Mrs. Fannie Welsh.

Mrs. William Weldon spent Tuesday at Lancaster as the guest of Mrs. C. A. Swisher.

Mrs. Malinda Sheaffer, of Los Angeles, Calif., is the guest of Mrs. John Wharvell.

Mrs. Amos Garber spent several days at Philadelphia as the guest of Mrs. Thomas McGee.

Mrs. Harry Leib spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. George Cunningham, at Lancaster.

Mrs. John Zeller and two sons are spending the week at Pittsburgh and Altoona, with friends.

Mrs. Young, of Williamsport, is spending some time with Rev. and Mrs. George A. Kercher.

Mr. and Mrs. David Landis, of Florin, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fasnacht.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hendrix were week-end guests in the family of Mrs. Annie Youtz, at Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Weaver and son, Lester, and Donald Smith, spent Sunday at Lawn with relatives.

Mrs. Edith Parnley, of Chestnut Level, is spending several days as the guest of Mrs. Paul E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Brown and sons, Benj., Arthur and Joe autoed to Harrisburg on Sunday.

Rev. J. L. Ferguson and S. F. Eshleman will leave Friday for the Evangelical conference at Bethlehem, Pa.

Mrs. Emedine Peters, of Middletown, spent several days as the guest of Sylvester Dearbeck and family.

Mary Brubaker, of the General hospital, spent Tuesday with her sisters, Anne and Elizabeth Brubaker.

Mrs. Sabina Arntz, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arntz and two sons spent Sunday with Mrs. Annie Youtz, in Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Barr and sons have returned from a visit to the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. N. A. Barr, at Dauphin.

Miss Elizabeth Stacks and niece, Bernice Alwine, of Florin, spent Sunday (Continued on page 5)

RECEPTION IN HONOR OF MR. & MRS. HARRY ROHRER

Mrs. Susan W. Wolgemuth gave a wedding reception dinner last Sunday at her home in Rheems, in honor of her grand-daughter, Miss Esther W. Shearer, recently married to Mr. Harry Rohrer, of Lancaster city. The following persons were present to enjoy the delicacies of the season: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rohrer, Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Shearer and sons Martin and Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Nissley and son Amos, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolgemuth and son Leroy, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wolgemuth and daughter Jean, Mrs. Sadie Hershey, Mrs. Blanche Kendig and niece Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Al. Reist from York, Mrs. Anna Kautz, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wittle and Mrs. Susan Wolgemuth.

Second Lyceum Number
Do not forget the Dr. George P. Bible lecture on Thursday evening, November 16, in Mount Joy Hall. Reserved seats on sale November 15 at Garber's Drug store. Dr. Bible, as an orator and natural humorist, ranks among the foremost. He has lectured in thirty-five states in the Union. In "Life and Opportunity", Bible is at his best. The lecture is helpful, uplifting and inspiring. He makes his audience laugh and think its way toward better living.

Attended Convention
The Luther League Convention was held at the Emanuel Church at Lancaster yesterday. The following from this place attended: Rev. and Mrs. George A. Kercher, Mrs. Jacob Zeller, Mrs. John Kramer, Mrs. Joseph Charles, Mrs. George Brown Jr., Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Heilig and Mrs. Young, of Williamsport.

Observed Armistice Day
Both our banks, nearly all our industries and many of our business places observed Armistice Day by remaining closed on Saturday. Our town was well represented at the parade at Lancaster that day.

RECEPTION FOR REV. AND MRS. ASHETON MARTIN

A reception was held in the basement of St. Luke's Episcopal church on Thursday evening, in honor of Rev. and Mrs. P. H. Asheton Martin, the Rector of that church. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received. Refreshments were served. The following persons were present: Rev. and Mrs. A. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Schneider and children, Dorothy Mavis and George; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hendrix and daughter Doris Mae, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Longenecker, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown, Jr., and son Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Hoffer, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Jr. and son George, Mrs. John Longenecker and daughter Mary Louise, Mrs. Sarah Davis and daughter Betty, Mrs. Emma Ellis, Mrs. Emma Zellers, Mrs. Roy Brown and daughter Eleanor, Miss Marian Shrite, Mrs. Wm. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Light, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hipple; Misses Esther Henry, Esther Brown, Iva Shoop, Alice Longenecker, Mary, Esther and Elizabeth Hipple, Elsie Hoffer, Mary Ellen and Betty Light and Emma Ellis; Messrs. Benjamin, Arthur and Joe Brown, Joe and Lawrence Ellis, Robert and Edward Brown, John Hipple and Oliver Longenecker. A pleasant social evening was spent by all.

BIG BLAZE ON THE HOFFINES FARM

HOME, BARN, TOBACCO SHED, CHICKEN HOUSE, CATTLE AND CROPS DESTROYED BY FIRE

A very destructive fire occurred on the Jacob Hoffines farm, about 2 1/2 miles South of this place, in East Donegal township, on Sunday afternoon, the farm being tenanted by Thomas Bankler. The loss is estimated at about \$25,000.

The fire started shortly before noon in one of the large fodder stacks near the barn. A short time before a boy was noticed running away from the place and it is thought that he saw a rabbit running under the stack and started a small fire to smoke it out.

Sparks were carried by the high wind to the adjoining barn which was soon a mass of flames. The fire spread quickly and before long the tobacco shed, pig sty, chicken house and dwelling house were ablaze. Fire companies, called from Marietta, Maytown and Mount Joy were powerless to check the flames.

The barn was a large structure, 90 by 45 feet in size and it was consumed; two mules, a horse, all of the farming implements, including a reaper, binder and a number of wagons, 10 acres of tobacco, 20 acres of hay, 20 tons of baled straw, 10 acres of corn, 7 tons of oats feed, recently purchased. Four hogs were burned with the pig sty. The chickens were rescued with difficulty. The tobacco shed, 30 to 40 feet, was filled with tobacco, all of which is a total loss.

The house, a frame structure, about 30 by 30 feet, was the last to go and with the help of neighbors who came to their assistance, the Bankler family was able to get out the greater part of their furniture and clothing.

TOBACCO SELLING AT BIG PRICES

Reports from farmers in various sections of the county at the regular monthly meeting of the Lancaster County Tobacco Growers Association indicate that a large percentage of the crop has been sold at prices ranging from 15 to 22 cents per pound.

A very leafy crop, considering the unfavorable season, was reported as being cured in East Donegal township and in the vicinity of Maytown and Rheems. H. M. Risser, of Maytown, said that very few crops have been sold and those at prices between 15 and 18 cents.

Very few crops in the vicinity of Landisville have been sold and the good crops are almost entirely without buyers, according to the report of Phares Baker, Landisville. Mr. Baker says that stripping has not yet commenced and that no sales have been made recently.

H. H. Engle, of Rheems, reports no stripping in his neighborhood and no sales within the past few weeks. Hiram Hershey, of East Petersburg, reports that the problem of disposing of half-cut tobacco in that neighborhood is a serious one. Many crops are as yet unsold and he stripping is being done.

FREE TREES FOR SPRING PLANTING

Applications for trees for the spring planting season now coming into the Department of Forestry indicate that the movement for the reforestation of waste and denuded lands in Pennsylvania is growing steadily.

Each succeeding year it is brought home to the people of the State, as well as all the country at large, with increasing force that the only hope of a timber supply in the future lies in new forests, produced either artificially or naturally.

In order to make forests more attractive as an investment, the State is spending large sums to protect them from fire, and today its system of forest fire protection has been pronounced by the U. S. Forest Service to be the best among the States.

To date the number of applications for young forest trees is far more than for the corresponding period last year. Land owners in all parts of the State have applied for trees in large quantities that the entire supply, about 4,000,000 trees, of white pine, Norway spruce, Japanese red pine, European larch, red oak, catalpa and black walnut has been allotted.

The Department of Forestry has, however, about 3,000,000 young trees of the following kinds available; pitch, pine, Scotch pine, Japanese black pine, white ash, green ash, rock oak and American elm.

These trees are from five to twelve inches in height. They are distributed free to land-owners by the Department of Forestry, and they are to be planted for wood production. They are not suited in size and shape for shade or ornamental planting.

In addition to applications from individuals, requests for trees have (Turn to page 8.)

Will Preach
Mr. John Goode, of the Bowers Mission of New York City will deliver the message in the United Evangelical church Sunday morning at 10:30. Come and hear him.

Extra Large Quinces
Miss Susan Daugherty, of Rheems, raised two extra large quinces that weighed 27 ounces; 13 and 14 ounces respectively.

Scholars on Vacation
This being institute week, the pupils of our public schools are off on a vacation while the teachers are attending institute at Lancaster.

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Do Not Forget

The Oyster Supper and sale which will be held in the Mount Joy Hall on the evening of November 23rd, given under the auspices of the Trinity United Evangelical Sunday School Orchestra.

There will be all sorts of good things to eat as well as a fish pond and package surprise booth.

The Orchestra will be enlarged for this occasion and the music will be worth hearing. Come and bring your friends and enjoy the evening with us.

The menu will consist of soup, oysters in all styles, ice cream, cake, sandwiches, home made candies and other good things.

Bring the family for supper, which will be served from five to ten.

Dogs Poisoned

Valuable rabbit hunting dog belonging Justice of the Peace, Jacob H. Zeller, of this borough, was poisoned by some unknown person early Thursday morning. The Justice fed the dog and let it run loose for a short time in the back yard and then again tied the animal. A half hour later, he had occasion to go into the yard, where he found the dog dead.

Mr. Zeller declares that the dog was one of the finest in this section. Just recently a fine collie dog, belonging to H. Laskewitz, a neighbor of Mr. Zeller's, was poisoned in the same manner.

The November Number

The November issue of the Patriot is off the press and was mailed last Friday. The publication is certainly a credit to the editor as well as to the Mount Joy school.

A Double Murder

Wilson C. Lowry, aged 66 of Lancaster, shot and killed his wife after a quarrel. He then shot and died almost instantly his daughter, Bessie, was a witness.