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Mount Joy's Memorial Day Demonstration Will be Greater Than All Previous Occasions--Come

MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION

BOTH OUR LOCAL BANDS, MANHEIM AND EMIGSVILLE WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE CELEBRATION

Our Sons of Veterans and the various societies are working like beavers toward the success of our big annual event on Decoration Day. Owing to the advanced age and thinned ranks of the Grand Army, there being but three surviving members of the local post, this work has fallen upon the sons of Veterans. The Camp is busily engaged in making arrangements and everything points to a gala event. Invitations to join in the parade have been sent to all the fraternal societies, ministerial association and the industrial establishments.

Order of the Day.

9 A. M.—Decorating graves of comrades and services in the Florin, Lincoln and Mount Joy cemeteries.
10:00 A. M.—Similar services in the Eberle cemetery.
1:30 P. M.—Presentation of flag and banner by the ladies of the community to the fire company. The flag and banner will be presented by Mrs. Rev. M. F. Davis and accepted by Mr. Walter G. Loraw, President of Friendship Fire Co. No. 1.
2:00 P. M.—Parade of Grand Army, American Legion, Sons of Veterans, Boy Scouts, Camp Fire Girls, Schools, Civic and Fraternal organizations, Fire Companies, etc., followed by services in the park.
7:30 P. M.—Grand concert in the park by the Emigsville band.
The parade will cover the following route: Form at Main and Market streets, move west to shoe factory and countermarch, move east (Continued on Page 3)

A Very Bright Pupil.

Eli Engle, son of J. Avery Engle, a farmer near Newtown, in Rapho township, demonstrated to those present at the Kinderhook spelling bee on Saturday evening that he is a very bright pupil. He took first prize in each spelling class as well as in the general information class. In the latter, after he had successfully answered all questions prepared for the occasion, was requested to sit down by the teacher of the class Mr. Charles A. Grider.
Mr. Engle is a pupil in our High school.

SOLD HALF A MILLION CARS IN FOUR MONTHS

Even though Henry Ford is the wealthiest man in the world, his money continues to accumulate. During the past 120 days his agents sold half a million cars, thereby establishing a record.

Festival, Saturday, June 16.

A festival will be held in the park here on Saturday, June 16 for the benefit of St. Mary's Catholic church. Chicken corn soup, sandwiches, coffee, strawberries, ice cream, cake, etc. will be sold. Also a fine display of fancy work. A good band will furnish music.

Entertained His Drivers

Clarence Schuck held a meeting of all the oil truck drivers and all the men at his various oil stations in Lancaster County at his home on East Main street. After the meeting Mr. Schuck entertained his guests at a dinner at Stump's restaurant.

Who Wants This Job?

Having recently installed another linotype we are in need of another lady to learn to operate it. We prefer a person with high school knowledge. If you want a steady position at good wages call at this office. If

Fourth Convention

Between 3000 and 4000 veterans of foreign wars, representing 200 posts in the State, will attend the fourth annual convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg June 14, 15, and 16.

A Stand at Market

The Ladies of the United Brethren church will have a stand at the market house every Saturday, the proceeds to go towards the building fund of their new church now in course of erection.

That's Too Many.

One hundred and thirty-four persons paid the death penalty for murder in Pennsylvania in the electric chair from January 1, 1913 to May 14, 1923.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rettew, of Ironville, announce the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Rettew was Miss Elizabeth Dabler, formerly of this place.

Next Meeting June 10

The next meeting of the Men's Federation will be held Sunday, June 10, in the Lutheran church.

Our Constable Resigns

Constable Frank Yost, of the West Ward, resigned his position on Saturday.

R. C. GINGRICH BREAKS SHEEP SHEARING RECORD

R. Coleman Gingrich, of Lebanon, Lebanon county's leading shepherd and shearer, who needs no introduction to sheepshears in various counties of the state, spent Saturday on a sheep shearing tour to the Elizabethtown Furnaces region, where he sheared a large flock of 33 sheep, property of the Messrs. Coleman, of Lebanon, averaging the entire flock at 8 minutes per sheep.
Mr. Gingrich, who has had years of experience as a shepherd and shearer, having sheared several sheep of the flock in a period of 3-15 minutes or 12 seconds near equaling the world's championship, which is a 3-minute record.

Dinner on Her Birthday

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brown gave a chicken dinner in honor of Mrs. Thomas Stohler's birthday. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morton, Mrs. Claude Husler and daughter Myrtle, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stohler and Mrs. Lucy Stohler. In the evening a number of guests arrived in two large automobiles. A pleasant time was had by all.

VERY SUCCESSFUL FIELD MEET FRIDAY

BOYS AND GIRLS OF OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS GAVE DEMONSTRATION OF THEIR ATHLETIC ABILITY

Several hundred people assembled on the Recreation grounds last Friday afternoon to witness the annual field meet held by the pupils of our public schools. All were amply paid as they were greatly pleased with the scholars ability in the various events.

There were many surprises during the afternoon. Albert Booth was the best individual sewer of the afternoon with two individual firsts and a third to his credit, winning the 100 yard dash as well as the 440 yard dash. Amos Nissley was second high scorer with John C. Eshleman a very close third.

Mr. H. O'Neill was the official starter while the timers were Messrs. Snyder and Groff. The events and the winners are appended:

Standing Broad Jump, Girls—Jean Thome, first; Martha Strickler, second; Phoebe Rupp, third; Distance, 6 ft. 10 in.

High Jump, Boys—John Eshleman first; Charles Eby, second; Merl Hoffer, third. Five feet, 1 inch.

Half Mile Relay, Girls—Dorothy Mitchell, Rhoda Shank, Miss Hostetter and Ruth Kraybill, first; Martha Strickler, Catharine Seaman, Francis Garber and Mildred Way, second; Dorothy Loraw, Mildred Booth, Es-

Rev. Egge To Speak Here
The Mount Joy Boro and Township District Sunday School Convention will be held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday, June 28, afternoon and evening, at which time there will be very excellent programs rendered. The afternoon session will be addressed by Rev. Knittle, of Manheim, and in the evening Rev. W. H. Egge, of Lebanon, a former pastor here, will deliver the address. You will want to hear him. Watch these columns for particulars later.

Will Enter Dickinson
Miss Esther F. Kendig, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Kendig, of Salunga, member of the Senior A Class of Stevens High School, at Lancaster, will enroll in Dickinson College after her graduation. She graduated from the Landisville High School in 1922 with the record of never having missed one day from school.

Victory Notes Called
All United States Government Notes are called for payment on May 20th. A new series of notes known as United States Treasury Series B—1927 dated May 15th, 1923, and due March 15th, 1927, bearing interest at the rate of 4-3/4%, are now being issued.

Printing for Canada.
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DEFINITION OF CAMP FIRE GIRLS

JUST WHAT THE IDEALS AND TEACHINGS OF THIS SPLENDID ORGANIZATION MEAN TO ALL

Mount Joy has had groups of Camp Fire Girls for some time, who are actively engaged in some of the numerous activities of the organization. Most people have a very hazy conception of what it means to be a Camp Fire girl, and, in fact, there are more people in Litzitz who have never even heard of such a thing than there are those who know anything whatever about it. For the information of those who desire to be better informed the following sketch of the program and aims of the Organization is published.

The Camp Fire program is deeply religious in spirit and ideals; it has been tried out for ten years, and the ever increasing number of leaders who find it a most helpful and workable program for girls, as well as the fact that it has been endorsed by leading educators and ministers all over the country are proof that here is a program for the adolescent girl, which is attractive, educational, workable and lasting in effect. Of (Turn to page 5.)

A LARGER DAM THAN HOLTWOOD

ELECTRIC PLANT WILL EXCEED THAT OF NIAGARA FALLS—WILL RAISE THE SUSQUEHANNA 100 FEET

The rock-strewn surface of the Susquehanna below McCall's Ferry will in all probability within five years become a wide, smooth, lake-like plane of water, and all its little islands be buried, the farther down the stream and deeper under water; and mighty river's roar that has been heard without an instant's cessation for uncounted centuries will be stilled, when from a tearing rush, of thousands of boulders it becomes changed into a placid lake of great depth, spreading out east and west and covering hundreds of acres of land and rocky shores that lie along the stream. Many buildings must be moved and the track of the Columbia and Port Deposit railroad relocated, it is said.

For what is considered the greatest single step toward the development of the potential water power of the Middle Atlantic States under contemplation is now taking definite form in the plans of the Sus-

quehanna Power Co. The dam, which will be 100 feet high, will be located at Holtwood, Pa. The dam will be 100 feet high, will be located at Holtwood, Pa. The dam will be 100 feet high, will be located at Holtwood, Pa.

East Hempfield Elects Teachers for Next Year
The East Hempfield Township School Board appointed the following teachers: Landisville High School, W. Metzger, Principal; first and second assistant to the principal, vacant; Landisville grammar school, Ethel Stoner, Landisville, second; Intermediate, Laura Kaufman, Landisville first intermediate, Dorothy Minnich; Landisville primary, Mary Rounfort; Rohrerstown Grammar, T. B. Lefever; Rohrerstown secondary, Mabel Adair; Rohrerstown intermediate, Blanche Erb; Rohrerstown primary, Mame Newcomer; East Petersburg grammar, B. Ella Manning; East Petersburg secondary, I. W. Martin; East Petersburg intermediate, vacant; primary, Mary Stehlganse; Oak Grove, Martha Gansse; Independent, Barbara Heiser.

Class Day Exercises at Maytown May 31
The Maytown high school will hold class day exercises on Thursday, May 31 in the Maytown band hall, and a very interesting program has been arranged. An orchestra will furnish music. The class colors are blue and gold; the class flower, blue and yellow violets; class motto, "Our Aim Success, Our Hope to Win." The members of the class are: Beulah Hake, Lillian Fletcher, Ethel Hake, Anabel Smith, Robert Shank, Ethel Stoner, John Robert Shank, Fletcher Ney, Russell Keller, Commencement exercises will be held June 1.

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DEED 165 YEARS OLD RECORDED AT LANCASTER

A deed dated October 27, 1758 was submitted for recording Saturday in the Recorder's office. It is probably the oldest presented for months, if not years.

Printed in ink, on sheepskin parchment, the document transfers a property on the south side of West King street from Mathias Seiler to Fayette Miller for a consideration of 160 pounds sterling, "money of Pennsylvania."

"That lot of ground on King St. in the borough of Lancaster, adjoining a lot of Mathias Reaser on the West and bounded on the East by the property of George Swartz, together with a dwelling, a stable and other buildings, at and under a year, by rental to James Hamilton, Esq., for three shillings six pence forever."

Wax seals with imprint probably of "His Majesty" are used. The deed is signed by William Tevon, "one of His Majesty's justices of the peace". The wording of the document is not much different from present day "legal language."

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Monroe Blymire
Monroe Blymire died in the Columbia Hospital Wednesday night, after an operation performed Monday, aged 56 years. He resided in Marietta and was an employee of the Marietta and Hallow Ware and Enameling Co. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Blymire; one adopted daughter, Rosie; one brother, William Blymire, Marietta. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the home and later in the Reformed Church at Marietta. Interment was made in the Reformed Church cemetery, Marietta.

Luella M. Sanders
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GENERAL NEWS FOR QUICK READING

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

The Palmyra automobile club has 800 members.

Mrs. R. J. Myers, celebrated her birthday on Friday.

There are twelve in the graduating class at Highspire this year.

The Lutheran church at Kissel Hill will be 100 years old May 27.

The choir of St. Luke's Episcopal church sang at Columbia on Sunday.

Maybe the soldier's bonus will be paid when all the war babies are 21 years old.

One of the best things a father can present his son as a commencement present is a job.

The price of ice cream has been boosted at many places because sugar advanced in price.

A. M. Martin, West Main street, is converting his barn into an up-to-date private garage.

It's certainly tough to have to keep on paying instalments on a war that we're not using.

Miss Eva Germer has purchased a new Ford sedan from the local agent, Mr. H. S. Newcomer.

The Commissioners of Dauphin county are arranging to float a \$500,000 bond issue to repair roads.

Burglars barricaded the door of Wm. McGowan, grocer at Christiansa and then set the building on fire. He was saved by neighbors.

Two hens and a cat take turns caring for a litter of five kittens at the home of A. G. Weiler at New Holland.

Charles, the one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvey Risser, of near White Horse, fell into a bucket containing six inches of water and was drowned.

Albert B. Meisky, aged 41 and married, and his next door neighbor, Miss Reba Bisking, aged 18, both of Columbia, are missing from their homes since last Saturday.

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