

MT. JOY BULLETIN
MOUNT JOY, PA.
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LANDISVILLE

Miss Edith Lump spent Saturday with Rhoda Shenk, of Mt. Joy. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cooper spent Sunday with relatives in Anville.

The regular meetings of various Sunday school classes were held on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clara Newcomer and Miss Mae Shreiner spent Sunday with friends in Lancaster.

Miss Kathryn Rodman, of Lancaster, was the guest of Miss Myrtle Witmer on Sunday.

Miss Edith Heiserman spent Sunday in Elizabethtown visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Hertzler.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Hershey celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Hershey were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Kendig, of Millersville, on Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Dattisman and Mrs. E. L. McElhenny visited Mrs. Ralph George, in Lancaster, on Monday afternoon.

Miss Mary Kolp, a nurse at the Lebanon hospital in New York City, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Weaver, on Monday.

Mrs. Abbie Zinn has returned to Landisville after spending several weeks at the guest of Miss Maud Hughes, of Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McElhenny and son, Lloyd, and Mrs. Lulu Ritzenhouse and son, James, spent Sunday at Springville, visiting Mrs. Caroline Dieck.

Refreshments were served to the following: Misses Bertha Landers, Edith Lump, Miriam Summy, Myrtle Witmer, Ella Stanley, Kathryn Kreiter, Hilda Minnich and Bertha Wittmer.

Mrs. Barbara Martin and daughters, Anna and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Stevens Martin and son, Donald, and Robert, all of Paradise, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Caskey on Sunday.

The Ladies' Bible Class of the Church of God met at the home of Mrs. Aaron Hershey. Miss Ellen Bennett, of Lancaster, had a recitation, after which the minutes were read by Mrs. Harvey Greiner.

The Adult Bible Classes of the Zion Lutheran church held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Andrew Eshleman. An hour was devoted to the study of the scripture after which the annual election of officers took place.

The Sunshine class of the Church of God was held at the home of Miss Ruth Showalter. The program began with Bible readings after which Edith Lump gave a solo and Ella Stanley had a recitation. Myrtle Witmer and Bertha Landers rendered solos. Jokes were given by Ruth Showalter. By request, Miss Miriam Summy played "The Rosary."

Refreshments were served later in the evening to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bushong, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. David Hankins, Mr. and Mrs. David Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Showalter, Mrs. Warren Long and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Benjamin Long, Mrs. Amos Hoffman and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Seipe, Mrs. Jonas Minnich, Mrs. Samuel Swarr, Mrs. Albert Heistand, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shenk and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Eshleman.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Addison Miller, Mrs. Charles Baker, Mrs. John Stehman, Mrs. Amos Herr, Mrs. Harry Lump, Mrs. Gertrude Bennett and daughter, Ellen, Mrs. Benjamin Hess, Mrs. Wm. Mease, Mrs. P. H. Meekley, Mrs. John Greider, Mrs. Ralph Shultz, Mrs. Harry Grube, Mrs. Ira Hess, Mrs. Robert Mease, Mrs. Paul Baker, Mrs. Harry Dattisman, Mrs. J. Urban Baker, and Misses Myrtle Greider, Alma Hershey, Ada Malehorn, Alice Hershey, Edith Heiserman, Edith and Gertrude Nissley, Mrs. Harry Greider and Mrs. E. L. McElhenny.

MAYTOWN
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hollenbaugh, of Somerset, visited friends in town.

Mrs. J. McCurdy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Eakin, of Harrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Resh, of Newtown, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frank Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Holwager attended the funeral of Miss Susan B. Faus, at Mastersonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dohmer and son, Paul, and Mrs. Lottie Dohmer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hartman.

Miss Mary Heisey returned home after spending several weeks at McKeesport, the guest of her brother, Dr. W. C. Heisey.

Mrs. Annie Mackley, Mrs. Minnie Haines, Mrs. Howard Derstler, Mrs. Jack Frank, Mrs. Henry L. Haines spent Friday in Lancaster.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Reformed church, held a thank offering service on Sunday evening. Mrs. Charles Hollenbaugh, president, opened the services. A prayer was offered by the pastor, Rev. C. H. Faust. Miss Gertrude Hoy, of China, gave an interesting talk. The thankoffering was then lifted, the offering to go toward the fund for the thankoffering hospital in Yochow, China.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church held its monthly meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Hiram Mayer. The election of officers for the coming year resulted as follows: President, Mrs. C. C. Hicks; vice president, Mrs. Sue Wolfe; secretary, Miss Emily Shireman; treasurer, Mrs. Annie Mackley. The Society then voted to send a donation of stockings for the children at the Bethany Orphan Home, Womelsdorf, Pa.

KINDERHOOK
Joseph Steckler, of Lancaster, was the guest of his brother, Samuel Steckler Jr.

Mrs. Elmer Hess and son, of Salunga, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rogers.

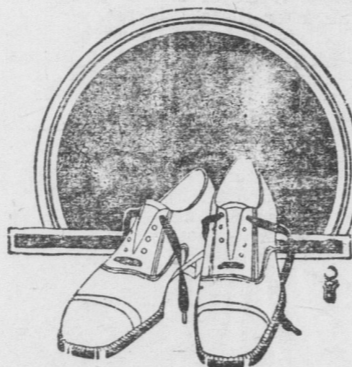
The following officers were elected by the Sunday School at Kinderhook: Superintendent, C. M. Lichty; assistant superintendent, J. J. Gable; secretary, J. Harry Schlegelmilch; assistant secretary, Marie Stauffer; librarian, Roy Keiser; assistant librarian, Harold Albright.

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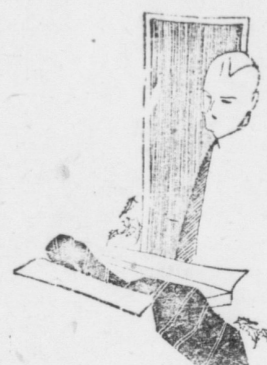
Dress Hosiery

Priced at 25c to \$2.00. Silks, plain and clocked, 75c to \$1.75. Lises at 25c, 35c, 50c. Fibre Silks at 50c. Fancy Silk-and-Wool and All-Wool, 75c to \$2.00. Part wool and lisle, 39c, 50c. Black and Gray Cashmere, 65c, 75c. Featuring such brands as Westminster, Onyx and Interwoven.

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ROCK POINT

Misses Dorothy and Betty, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Mumma were ill with the gripe, last week. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Tressler attended the funeral of Samuel Sloat of Maytown, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Boyles and son, Ralph, of Marietta, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Shope, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rhinehart, Messrs. Walter, Vernon and Geo. Stahl, motored to Philadelphia on Sunday.

Mr. H. K. Breneman and family wish to thank all the neighbors and friends for their kindness shown during his accident. He is greatly improved and is able to be out again. The following visited him since his return from the hospital: Rev. and Mrs. Henry Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. C. Herr, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Shelley, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. Jno Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jno Mumma, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Tressler, Mr. and Mrs. John Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Zeager, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Gotschall, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Walk, Mr. and Mrs. John Breneman, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. William Witmer, Mr. and Mrs. John Shepp, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Strickler, Dan Frysinger, Mrs. Clara Weidman, Bishop Isaac Brubaker, Dean Daniel Miller, Messrs. Harry Hilt, Harry Ober, Grandpa Miller, Simon Tshudy, Roy Meyers, Rev. B. L. Kraybill, Amos Stauffer, Norman Stauffer, Walter Spangler, Michael Souders, Mr. Miller, Oscar Breneman, Vernon Stahl, Luther Wondery, B. O. Musser, Frank Weidman, Jacob Brubaker Sr., Her-

SPORTING HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibble and children, Ray, Martin, Stanley, Harry Jr. and Grace, visited Mr. and Mrs. David Shank, near Chiques, Tuesday evening. The revival services conducted by Rev. Matthew Brinser, of Middletown, will continue until Sunday evening. The meetings are well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller entertained these guests: Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Miller, of Mt. Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Elam Stauffer, Mary Sangrey, of Lancaster Junction.

An interesting Christmas program to be rendered by the singing class and the Sporting Hill school, has been arranged. The date of the rendering of the program is Tuesday evening, December 22. A musical treat is promised.

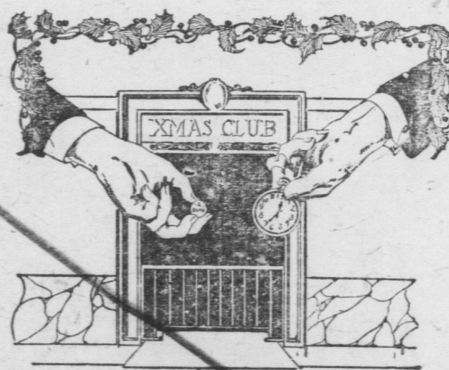
Prof. Mylin, accompanied by the Rapho township school board, Ammon Bucher, Harvey Rettew, E. B. Kready, J. W. Moyer, Harvey Newcomer, visited eight schools on Tuesday, December 8. Prof. Mylin expressed himself as pleased with the condition of the buildings, as well as with the work done by teachers and pupils. Provision to remedy the congestion at the Mastersonville school, is under consideration. Sixty-two pupils are enrolled, taxing the capacity of the school to the utmost.

New Englanders eat pie for breakfast.

Bert Snyder, Daniel Williams, Clarence Zeager, Ralph Zeager, Harold Spangler, Ray Spangler, Misses Bertha Spangler, Ruth Spangler, Ernestine Gotschall, Helen Gotschall, Anna Lutz, Margaret Rapp, and Martha Wertz.

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EDITORIAL

DON'T BLOW THE WHISTLE
Do you remember Lincoln's story about the little steamer with the big whistle? Every time they tooted the whistle it blew off so much steam that the boat stopped running. That's the trouble with lots of people today. If they would only use their energy to drive the paddle wheel of opportunity instead of eternally blowing the whistle of discontent, they would find themselves going up the stream of success so fast that the barnacles of failure wouldn't have a chance in the world to hook onto their little craft.

GET YOUR AUTO LICENSE

That annual, easily forgettable need, next year's auto license, is upon the motorists now. For weeks officials have been calling public attention to this important matter. While there has been some response, thousands of motorists are apparently going to delay until the last day and when their licenses can not be issued "while you wait" will start to fuss. Obviously the thing to do is for the motorists of the state to make their application now. There is no indication that any respite will be granted delinquent motorists after January 1. None should be. Ample notice has been given. The auto division has been ready for a long time to issue the licenses. If part of the public chooses to ignore the opportunity, they will get no sympathy if after the first of the year, they are arrested for carrying antiquated license plates.

THE COAL STRIKE

From what we can learn about the situation in the anthracite coal district, there is absolutely no occasion for a strike at this time. Seemingly the miners are determined to get just a little more than their share and as they put it, they are making an effort to "get it while the getting is good."

But here is the consumer's side. He can buy coal and pay any price so long as his earning capacity is ample. But it appears now as though he is spending about all he can afford, for coal. When anything gets beyond one's purse, what are the consequences? He does the next best thing.

That is exactly what is being done here and at many other places. People are looking for and experimenting with substitutes for hard coal. In Mount Joy we have a number of private homes where oil burners have been installed in their boilers. Others are experimenting on how to successfully burn bituminous coal.

Recently we published instructions by well known authorities and we have since learned that a number of families are now burning soft coal successfully.

While the supply of hard coal is limited, there is no end to the amount of soft coal available and we sincerely hope that by the time those disgruntled strikers go back to work, there will be so little demand for their product that they will be given another vacation by the mine operators equal that of the strike.

That would teach them a good lesson.

THE OLD-TIME CHRISTMAS

Old-timers caught in the holiday rush and gazing at the wonderfully alluring panoramas of the shop windows often fall into a reminiscent mood and re-live the Christmas in his childhood?

Most of the presents were the home-made. Perhaps Grandma furnished mittens, knitted by oil lamp after you had been tucked in bed--thick warm mittens with a long cord that extended up through coat sleeves and around the neck to prevent loss. Aunt Saphronia gave you a basket of Christmas cookies, shaped like animals and stars and covered with delicious colored sugar.

Uncle Tom gave you a watch, and his generosity appeared to you even if it was the old turnip that he had discarded. You can imagine the reaction you would get if you tried giving a 1925 boy a second-hand timepiece.

Most of the presents were useful, in the old days, including a reefer overcoat and a new pair of shoes. As for "boughten" presents, they were limited to "The Erie Train Boy," by Alger, Henty's "With Clive in India," a New Testament, a sled, a pair of skates and that most wonderful of all old-time toys, a tin monkey that climbed a string.

At that, Christmas of long ago represented proportionately as big an outlay as now, comparing earnings in the two periods.

But the gift itself was secondary to the spirit of the giver. Somehow every grown-up can't help believing the Christmas dinners of those days were superior. The Christmas eve entertainment at the church was as enjoyable as the modern movie. And the ride in a cutter over the deep snow beat the auto-trip of 1925.

Christmas is always changing and (to adults) never for the better.

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