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MOUNT JOY, PENNA., WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1927

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M. R. Hoffman Held For Court

\$5,000 BAIL SUPPLIED ON CHARGE OF FALSIFYING STATEMENT TO BANK

Michael R. Hoffman, of Maytown, former head of the Hoffman Leaf Tobacco Company, was heard Tuesday morning by Alderman Doebler on a charge of making a false statement to John Hertzler, president of the Lancaster Trust Company, whereby he secured \$150,000. Hoffman was returned to court, and Hoffman furnished \$5,000 bail for trial next week. His brother-in-law W. B. Detwiler of this place, supplied the bond.

The first witness was John Hertzler, who told how Hoffman went to him on December 17, 1925, and secured a loan of \$50,000 and, on January 6, 1926, procured \$100,000 on the strength of a typewritten statement which showed his assets and liabilities. In this statement, Hoffman alleged his assets were

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HOME DESTROYED AT BAINBRIDGE

The home of Clarence Niblock, Bainbridge, was completely destroyed Monday morning about 9 o'clock when an oil stove in the summer kitchen exploded, setting fire to the building. The loss, which is estimated at \$1,200, is partly covered by insurance.

Rushing into the flames to secure a purse which contained a considerable sum of money, Mrs. Niblock was severely burned about the face and arms. She was removed to the home of William R. Smith, where treatment was rendered by Dr. J. C. Stever of Bainbridge. A daughter, Dorothy, aged 17, was asleep on the second floor when the fire started. She escaped from the building unhurt.

The Bainbridge Fire Company was immediately summoned. All the furniture from the first floor and several pieces from the second were saved with the help of neighbors.

Due to the lack of water firemen were forced to form a bucket brigade, carrying water from a nearby cistern. Mr. Niblock, who is working in Germantown, Maryland, was not at home at the time.

FARMERS WILL HOLD A BIG MEETING TONIGHT

An effort is being made by the farmers throughout this section, to organize and ship their milk direct to New York City, where it is claimed they will receive a price much better than is paid them by local concerns.

A meeting with that purpose in view will be held in the Pike School house, one mile east of Mount Joy this evening at 7:30 when at least one New York representative will be present.

The local committee has procured (Bacon's) at Chickies, where they contemplate erecting a station.

Tonight's meeting will, in all probability, be largely attended.

WOMAN'S DAY SERVICE IN U. B. CHURCH

A Woman's Day Service was rendered in the United Brethren Church on Sunday evening. Miss Rhoda Shank was in charge while the following program was rendered: Hymn; Scripture, Rev. H. S. Prayer; "Selection by quartette; Exercise, "What Shall I Render," given by both the members of the Otterbein Guild and Womens' Missionary Society; Anthem by Choir; Address, Rev. J. F. Musselman, missionary from Africa, here on a furlough and was formerly from Florin; Announcements by Pastor; Hymn; and Benediction, by Rev. Musselman.

Saw Naked Man

Lieutenant Fitzgerald, of the Lancaster Pennsylvania Railroad police, was informed that a man without clothes was standing on a bridge east of Landisville. He was notified by the conductor on Train 25, westbound, due in Lancaster at 12 o'clock.

"Ab" Shot Turkey

Mr. Abner Weaver, of Newtown, arrived home from a week's hunting trip to Franklin county, on Saturday. Aside from a number of rabbits and squirrels he shot a fine wild turkey.

Elected Veterans

At Marietta last Thursday Alonso Fibby, a Civil War veteran, was re-elected high constable, a position he has held for more than twenty-five years while John W. Ditt, past 80, was elected to council.

Schools Are Closed

This is institute week in the county and all the schools are closed in order that the teachers can attend the sessions while the scholars are on vacation.

Fancy Work & Food Sale

The Needle Guild of the Trinity Lutheran Church will hold their annual Christmas fancy work and food sale in the Ricksecker Building on Saturday, December 3rd.

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LEE ELLIS' RESTAURANT WAS ENTERED BY THIEVES

State police and officers here are working on valuable clues which pointed to an early solution of the robbery of about \$44 in merchandise from the billiard parlor of Lee Ellis, this place, early Friday morning.

The Ellis restaurant was entered Friday morning about 3 o'clock, it is thought. Ellis had closed and left less than an hour before.

Iron bars in the front of the store were broken and the window jimmied open. The entire stock of cigarettes, said to amount to about 5,000, and 200 cigars were taken in addition to a small amount of candy. The cash register was also opened but there was no money in it.

Constable Zerphy is working on the case with the state police in Manheim. Several suspects are under surveillance.

Young Folks Are Joined in Wedlock

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

Witman—Reppert
Amos W. Witman, of Narvon, Route 2, and Miss Sadie S. Reppert, of Manheim, were married Saturday night at 7 o'clock in the United Brethren parsonage, Manheim, by the pastor, Rev. I. D. Lowery. The ring ceremony was used and the couple was unattended. They will reside in Manheim.

Strickler—Wertz
A marriage license was issued at the Municipal Building in New York City to Kraybill Strickler, a farmer, widower, and Miss Bertha W. Wertz, both of this place. The couple left the marriage bureau to be married in the Little Church Around the Corner, 1 East 29th street, by Rev. Randolph Ray, the pastor.

Mr. Strickler was born in Mt. Joy, the son of William H. and Mary Strickler. He was previously married and his former wife died in 1915. Miss Wertz who is the daughter of Amos R. and Eleanor Wertz, was born in Trimberville, Pa.

MANHEIM MAN AGED 70 WAS SENTENCED TO JAIL

David E. Walters, aged 70 years, of Manheim, pleaded guilty to a charge of attempting to defraud insurance companies of money, and he was sentenced to jail for one year, and a fine of \$100 and the costs were imposed.

Walters kept a small store at the Manheim trolley station. Several weeks ago there was a fire at the place, and it was alleged he set fire to the store for the purpose of securing the insurance. The charge of arson was dropped by the Commonwealth. It was stated in defense that Walters did not know why he committed the act and that he had an excellent reputation in the community.

Special Thanksgiving Service

The Otterbein Guild will have charge of the Prayer Service to be held in the United Brethren Church on Wednesday night, November 16. At this service the following Thanksgiving program will be given: Song; Scripture Reading, Edna Pennell; Prayer, Mrs. H. S. Keifer; President's Proclamation, Nelson Newcomer; Piano solo, Edna Charles; Reading, Martha Engle; Talk, Rev. H. S. Kiefer; Sentence prayers; Vocal duet, Florence Heisey and Fern Burrell; Song and Offering; Benediction.

Wild Ducks Scarce

Hunters report a scarcity of wild ducks on the river at Columbia on Washington Boro, the past few days. They attribute this to the warm weather. The hunters hope that with cooler weather and a light rain that the ducks will again make their appearance. The early part of the season was good and many of the hunters secured big bags.

With H. N. Nissley's

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Nissley on North Barbara street, entertained the following guests on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. George Musselman, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bomberger and daughter, and Mr. Michael Nolt, all of New Holland; B. F. Garber, of this place.

Florin Community Sale

The next Community Sale at the Florin Hall, Florin, Pa., will be held Friday evening, November 25, at Florin Hall, 6:30 o'clock P. M. They will sell live stock, implements household goods, etc. Don't forget the time and the dates.

Rapho Farm Sold

The farm of Mrs. Annie Sheetz, containing 15 acres, located in Rapho township, was sold to Mr. Benj. Bradley and was later sold to Oscar Sheetz, on private terms.

Marriage License

Peter R. Grove, West Donegal township, and Fannie R. Nolt, West Hempfield township.

E'town College Gets Large Sum

MONEY LEFT FOR EXPANSION WORK—THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MUST MATCH MONEY BEFORE DECEMBER.

At the recent meeting of the Elizabethtown College Board of Trustees, it was announced that a donation of \$25,000 has been offered the Institution by a friend of the College, whose name is withheld at his request.

The provision stipulated in the bequest of \$25,000 which was contracted by the donor with the Board of Trustees about one year ago, is that this sum of \$25,000 must be matched before December 1st of 1927.

The Board was advised by the donor of the sum, that during the past year the total amount set aside for this purpose has increased, through accumulating interest, to the sum of \$27,000 which sum must be matched before December 1st, 1927 in order that the Elizabethtown College obtain the bequest.

Every possible effort is being made at the present time to match the sum of \$27,000 and the Board of Trustees of the Elizabethtown College instructed President H. K. Ober to try to comply with this provision in the proposed Donation before December 1st, 1927.

Donations from Friends and supporters of the local college will be received by the Board of Trustees if it was announced, or by the President of the College, for the purpose of matching this sum of \$27,000 before December.

Should the College be successful in obtaining this sum, it would provide the institution with a total sum of \$54,000, which would mean a vast program of expansion at the Elizabethtown College the Board of Trustees stated.

DR. EDGE ADDRESSED MEN'S FEDERATION

The folks who attended the first meeting of the Men's Christian Federation in the Methodist church here Sunday afternoon were more than repaid for their coming, Dr. Edge of the First Presbyterian Church of Lancaster spoke on what might be called "Forgetting God" and a truly wonderful and modern topic it was. Dr. Edge showed how the people of other nations disregarded the teachings of God with the inevitable result; a fallen nation. His talk was particularly applicable to our present age when he spoke on some of the "modernism" which is being taught in our colleges today and which our children are given as a part of their study. The great pity of it all, that the church was not crowded to the doors. There were three of our local ministers present for which we are glad, let us come out clergy as well as laymen and we believe the Federation will be a great blessing to all.

The next meeting will be held in the Church of God the second Sunday of December. An effort is being made to secure the services of Mrs. John Y. Boyd, of Harrisburg, as speaker. The speaker will be definitely announced in a later issue of this paper.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MISS EMILY GINGRICH

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gingrich on Thursday evening, for their daughter, Miss Emily Gingrich. The tables were beautifully decorated with pink chrysanthemums and candles, and the place cards and favors were also of pink. A chicken corn soup supper was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harner, Mr. Frank Engle, of Maytown; Miss Ruth Brill, Miss Lillian Marley, Leroy, Carl and Harry Marley, Mr. Charles Goehenaer, of Marietta; Miss Elizabeth Smith, of Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Meyre, of Lancaster; Miss Emily Gingrich, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arnitz and sons, Mrs. Wilbert Baker and daughter, Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sumpman, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gingrich, Jeanne Brandt and Cleon Sheaffer. Miss Gingrich received many gifts.

MASQUERADE SURPRISE PARTY HELD WEDNESDAY

A masquerade surprise party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Myers, of this place, for Mrs. Myers' mother, Mrs. Daisy Mowrer, Wednesday night.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Abe Byerly, Mrs. Charles Zercher, Mrs. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shissler, Miss Jane Shissler, Mr. and Mrs. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Schock, and son, Richard, Mrs. Daisy Mowrer, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Myers. The guests provided elaborate refreshments. The party was planned by Mrs. John Robinson.

Shooting Match

There will be a shooting match at the Rheems Corn Drying Plant, on Saturday, November 19th, for turkeys, ducks, and geese. All standard 12 gauge guns must be used. Nothing over 32 inch barrel.

REAL ESTATE SALE IN MOUNT JOY HALL

One of the largest sales of real estate for any one individual in the borough of Mount Joy will be held in the Mount Joy Hall on Tuesday, November 22nd at half past one o'clock by the Executors of the Gabriel Moyer Estate. A very diversified class of property will be offered, including a tobacco warehouse, industrial site, and dwellings, some with mercantile possibilities. Due to a large amount of property to be offered and the great number of people who will be interested, the sale will be held in the auditorium of the Mount Joy Hall.

Great interest is being shown in the sale of the Tobacco Warehouse, which could readily be converted for industrial purposes, and the lot adjoining it, both of which front on the Pennsylvania Railroad siding, as property with Pennsylvania Railroad localities is very seldom available in this community.

Road We Must All Travel Sometime

MANY WELL KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

Mrs. Florence A. Miller, aged 58, died at Columbia.

Mrs. Mary A. Johns, wife of Henry F. Johns, died at Columbia, aged 68 years.

Mrs. Mary Frey died at Washington, D. C., aged 71 years. She was a native of Marietta.

Mrs. Elizabeth Troyer, Mrs. Elizabeth Troyer, widow of George Troyer, died at Pottsville, Monday, aged 90 years. Mrs. Iona E. Terry, of Maytown, is a daughter. The funeral was held at Lancaster Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Kimmey, Mrs. Mary Kimmey, widow of Henry Kimmey, Past Master of the Philadelphia Lodge, No. 380, died Thursday in the Philadelphia Memorial hospital, at Elizabethtown.

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General News for Quick Reading

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

Mrs. Samuel Meckley, of Newtown, is ill at her home with pneumonia.

Three men, fake magazine solicitors were arrested in the county last week.

Mrs. John Darrenkamp, on Mt. Joy street, is improving at this writing.

Mrs. Clarence Grissinger, on North Barbara street, who has been ill, is now about again.

Mrs. Emma J. Thompson, aged 73, of Nine Points, fell against a stove and died from her injuries.

The barn on the farm of John Olmstead, near Kirkwood, was destroyed by fire entangling a \$12,000 loss.

A. B. Hollinger, aged 83, of Lincoln, this county, shot the limit of rabbits, five in six hours one day last week.

Mrs. David Gable, on North Barbara street, who was unfortunate enough to fall and injure her knee is better at this writing.

Bernard, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. David Hockenberry, of East Donegal township, who was quite ill with convulsions is improving.

Dorothy, the six year old daughter of Mrs. Maude Edwards, on North Barbara street, who has been quite sick the past week is somewhat improved at this writing.

With William Gotshall's Roy Gotshall entertained at the home of his parents the Sunday School class of the Methodist Episcopal Church of this place, taught by Lester Brubaker, the following were present: Catherine Shirk, Mary Diffenderfer, Martha College, Gibony Diffenderfer, James Fletcher, Roy Gotshall, Lester Brubaker, Rev. and Mrs. Wonderley, Mr. and Mrs. William Gotshall and children, Elnora, Floyd, William, Jr. and Bernice.

ELECTS DIRECTOR TO FILL VACANCY

At a meeting held by the directors of the First National Bank, Tuesday morning, Mr. Benjamin W. Brown was elected director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Gabriel Moyer.

Preached at Mechanicsburg

Rev. George A. Kercher preached the sermon at the re-dedication services of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Mechanicsburg, Cumberland county, last evening.

Served Luncheon

The Women's Auxiliary of the Lancaster General Hospital, served a luncheon yesterday, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Stoll, on Donegal street.

Local Doings Around Florin

MR. AND MRS. JAS. HOCKENBERRY GAVE A PARTY IN HONOR OF THEIR SON—FORMER RESIDENT ELECTED PASTOR AT PLEASANT VIEW

Mr. Irvin Kraybill enjoyed a vacation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Sheaffer of near Butler, are visiting here.

Mrs. John Gingrich spent Thursday at Middletown, with her parents.

Miss Elizabeth Hostetter, of Lancaster, spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Dortha Leister spent the week-end at her home at Juniata County.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Ebersole and daughter Esther, spent Sunday at Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Groff and son, spent Sunday with Michael Wagenbach.

Mr. John Berrier and Wm. Mumpser, spent the week-end hunting in Perry County.

Mr. Abram Hershey of Paxtang, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Hershey.

Miss Ruth Kraybill and Miss Raymond are attending the teachers institute at Lancaster.

Mrs. Ruth Ntssly had her tonsils removed at the St. Joseph Hospital at Lancaster last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Hostetter of Chicago, Ill., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elam Hostetter.

Mrs. Thomas McElroy and daughters and Miss Jane Zeller are spending the day in Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Seiders of Canada, visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Wolgemuth on Monday.

Mr. D. M. Wolgemuth is beautifying his residence by laying concrete curbing and side walks.

Mrs. Chas. Lawrence and Mrs. J. H. Dukeman spent Sunday at Lancaster, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roth and son John, Mr. J. M. Roth and Alvin Rutt spent Sunday at Little Britain, Pa., and Conowingo, Md.

Misses Esther and Anna Garber, Mrs. A. D. Garber and Mary Esleman, and Paul Diffenderfer, motored to Philadelphia on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Guhl and daughter Miriam, Mr. and Mrs. John Ferry and daughter Katherine, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Hess and children, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ferry.

LUTHER LEAGUE CONVENES AT COATSVILLE

The 33rd annual convention of the Lancaster District Luther League was held at Coatsville on Armistice Day. A very interesting program was carried out. The theme of the Convention was "God's Plan." Rev. M. J. Hoepfner, pastor of the St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Lancaster, had charge of the devotional services. After a memorial service at eleven o'clock in charge of Rev. John P. Fox, Trinity Lutheran, Coatsville, an address by Rev. W. B. Smith, Ph. D. of Reading, on "God's Plan, The Immovability of It," was very ably delivered. Features of the afternoon were two pageants: "Luther's Coat of Arms" presented by Coatsville Junior League and "The Church Year" by the Reamstown Junior League. Then followed a very interesting address on "God's Plan, The Challenge of Youth to Further It," by Rev. L. C. Manes, Jr. D. of Harrisburg. The following persons attended the Convention from Mount Joy: Mrs. George A. Kercher, Mrs. George H. Brown, Mrs. W. R. Heilig, Messrs. David Lutz and James Metzler.

ENTERTAINED AT MASQUERADE PARTY

A masquerade party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fenstermaker, on Saturday night. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Skiles and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Flick and daughter, and son, Mr. and Mrs. H. Musser, Mrs. C. Wise and children. Mrs. Daisy Waitz, Miss Mae Waitz, Miss Gladys Rote, Miss Miriam Pfenniger, Mrs. Dall, Mr. and Mrs. John T. C. Manes, Miss Lizzie Fenstermaker, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde, Jr. all of Mount Joy. Prizes were awarded for the prettiest, original and most comical costumes. Games were played and refreshments served by the host and hostess.

Public Schools Closed

The annual institute of the Lancaster County school teachers opened in Lancaster. On account of this meeting public schools of the boroughs are closed for the week.

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SEVENTY BABIES ATTENDED CLINIC

The Well-Baby Clinic met at the American Legion Home Tuesday afternoon. There were seventy babies present with forty-five mothers. The total registration is 403. The new registrations were Arthur Gansse, 1 1/2 years; Rachael Keener, 4 years; and Nancy Forney, 1 year, from Elizabethtown. The hostesses were Mrs. W. R. Heilig, Mrs. E. W. Parker and Mrs. O. G. Longenecker. The visitors were, Miss Lou Kuhns, Mrs. Schwenker, Miss Fanny Munnma, and Mrs. James R. Kreider, of Anville, Pa. Miss Martha Hauck, State Nurse, was in charge of the clinic with Dr. Workman. Mrs. C. E. Knickle is secretary. The clinic is held every Tuesday afternoon and all are welcome. Diphtheria toxin-anti-toxin was given to many and will be continued next week.

Youth Killed By Motorist

LAD STRUCK WHILE WALKING ALONG HIGHWAY—DIES UNDER ANESTHETIC

Charles Banker, aged 16, who worked on a farm for Martin Stoll, near town, was struck by an auto last Wednesday evening and died at the St. Joseph Hospital.

While the youth was conscious only a short time before he died under anesthetic and there is not known to have been any actual eye witnesses to the accident, it is believed by the State Highway Patrolmen investigating, that Banker was run down by an automobile operated by William E. Demert, of 1212 Mulberry street, Harrisburg.

Banker was brought to St. Joseph's hospital by Demert at 7:45 Wednesday night and at that time the Harrisburg man told attendants that he ran down the youth, they say.

The police released Demert, Coroner Trexler, of Lancaster, pronounced death due to shock and concussion.

The State Police and also Deputy Coroner H. O. O'Neill, of this place, are now making an investigation in an effort to determine the responsibility.

Funeral services were held from the home of the lad's mother, Mrs. Thomas Banker, at Florin, Saturday afternoon. Interment was made in the Florin cemetery.

LITERARY SOCIETY HOLDS MEETING AT LANDISVILLE

The second monthly meeting of the Franklin Literary Society of Landisville High School was called to order by the president, Richard Baker.

Following to the call to order were several selections rendered by the high school orchestra and the reading of the minutes by the secretary, Marian Swarr.

The following program was rendered: Recitation by Ruth Fisher, vocal solo, Esther Musser; reading, "How Tom Sawyer Whitewashed the Fence," by Irene Brubaker; an original story written by Hazel Muching; a saxophone solo, Cletus Raffenberger; a stunt by Mildred Erb and Elsie Pfeiffer; a question bee, conducted by Cora Gehman; and a selection on the piano played by Myrtle Landis.

Next was an interesting dialogue entitled "The Red Headed Man," in which Walter Landis represented Sherlock Holmes, and Ross Newcomer represented "The Red Headed Man." This was followed by the literary paper composed by editorials by Bertha Munnma; news items by Miriam Moseman; jokes by Amos Shuman, and critic remarks by Wallace Greider.

CHANGE PLACE FOR AUTO DRIVER EXAMS

Responding to complaints of city officials that Mary street at Frederick, in Lancaster was too narrow to give applicants for drivers licenses examinations, the State Highway patrol in charge of the tests, through the local detail, last night announced that future examinations will be conducted on the Dillerville road off the Harrisburg pike.

Tests will be given as before, from 11 A. M. until 4 P. M. each Monday. The new testing scene is west of the railroad bridge. A detail from Harrisburg have conducted tests at Mary and Frederick streets since the practice went into effect.

We Congratulate You

Pauline Edwards celebrated her third birthday yesterday.

Dorothy Stauffer celebrated her third birthday Monday.

Mrs. William Ellis celebrated her birthday on Saturday.

Helen Meckley celebrated her third birthday Monday.

Miss Florence Heisey celebrated her 7th birthday on Sunday 13th.

Match On Thanksgiving

A shooting match will be held at Newtown, on Thanksgiving Day, for turkeys and geese. All factory loaded shells must be used. Shoot will be held rain or shine.

Picked From Our Weekly Card Basket

PERSONAL MENTION ABOUT THE MANY COMERS AND GOERS IN THIS LOCALITY

Miss Hazel Webb spent Sunday at Columbia.

Mrs. Annie Good of Reading, visited here Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Webb is spending several days at Reading.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hendrix spent Sunday at Reading.

Miss Anna Sload is spending the week here with friends.

Charles and Bruce Pennell, are having their tonsils and adenoids removed.

Mrs. L. Hawthorne, of Maytown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Hawthorne.

Messrs. Harvey Hawthorne and Gibney Diffenderfer spent Tuesday at Lancaster.

Mrs. Alan Dattisman daughter Ellen, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dyers.

Miss Ethel Smith, of Millersville

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CHICKIES "HOLD UP" LEADS TO ARREST

A "hold up" presumably a joke, resulted in the arrest of Christ Waters, employed on the construction work of the new bridge at Chickies, as a night watchman. As the prosecutor, Mrs. William Beckline would not appear against Mr. Waters at court, Squire Samuel B. Gramm dismissed that portion of the charge, and collected a fine and costs for disorderly conduct.

Mrs. William Beckline and daughter, Mrs. Carrie Derr, were on their way to visit a relative at Chickies when Mr. Waters stopped them and pointed a loaded revolver. The screams of Mrs. Derr evidently frightened Waters, and he awoke to his senses. He claims that he knew nothing of the incident as it is alleged he was under the influence of drink.

BRICK TOSSED THROUGH WINDOW AT ETOWN

Early Monday morning a brick was thrown through the front window of the Abram E. Witmer residence in Elizabethtown, by some one whom the Witmer family believes intended to rob their home.

They noticed that the window had been broken, and a brick was tossed through, which struck and damaged a phonograph and a table lamp. The damage was estimated somewhere at \$50.00.

Five suspicious characters were ordered to leave Elizabethtown by Chief of Police R. H. Pastorious, after being in that town for a short while. Three of the men who were Knights of the Road were colored, and the remaining two appeared to be foreign.