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FIREMEN SAVE FARM BUILDINGS

FLAMES DESTROYED WOOD SHED AND CONTENTS AND SMOKE HOUSE OF LATE MARTIN STOLL EAST OF HERE

One fireman was injured' and two small buildings on the farm of Mrs. Elizabeth Stoll, between here and Salunga, were destroyed when a grass field fire spread to a woodshed on the place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The belief was expressed that the fire was caused by sparks from a Pennsylvnia Railroad locomotive, as the land is along the tracks.

After burning over quite an area of land on the Stoll farm, the fire ignited a woodshed standing at the edge of a group of small buildings near the farmhouse.

Section Foreman Herman, of town, was passing the place and first discovered the fire. He immediately reported it here and Friendship Fire company responded. The firemen pumped a well dry and a cistern. A frame wood shed filled with split wood, and also containing about 1,000 feet of weather-boarding was completely destroyed. The door and roof of a brick smoke house nearby were also consumed by the flames. The house and barn were saved by the firemen.

The Salunga Fire Company also responded but did not go into service.

The loss, estimated at about $500, is partly covered by insurance.

Mr. John L. Schroll, of this place, a member of the local company, was stunned by a burning timber falling upon his head.

MISS LYDIA SHANK IS A MEMBER OF THE TEAM

Saturday's Philadelphia Inquirer had a picture of the Nurses' basket ball team of the Presbyterian Hospital, it having won the Helen Fairchild Cup, emblematic of the championship of the Nurses' Basket Ball League of Philadelphia.

Miss Lydia Shank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shank, of town, and a graduate of Mount Joy High School class of '26, is a member of the team. Miss Shank was a member of our girls' team here that won the county championship.

Grass Field Afire

Thursday evening Friendship Fire Company answered a fire call east of town. The grass field of Mr. Levi Newcomer was ablaze, being set on fire by sparks from a train.

SELECT JURORS FOR NEXT TERM

QUARTER SESSIONS AND COMMON PLEAS WILL BE HELD IN MIDDLE OF APRIL—JUDGE LANDIS PRESIDES

Jurors for the April terms of Quarter Sessions and Common Pleas courts were drawn Saturday by Judge Charles I. Landis, Sheriff Philip P. Dattisman and Jury Commissioners Joseph R. Shultz and Mrs. Louise Souder.

The following names were drawn:

Petit Jurors

To serve in the Court of Quarter Sessions, etc., commencing Monday, the 15th day of April, 1929.

Sullivan K. Becker, E-town.
Elizabeth M. Tyndall, Mt. Joy.
Irvin B. Ehrhart, E-town, R D 2.
George Doerr, Landisville.
Martin E. Gross, Manheim, No. 2
J. Alexander Buchanan, Marietta

Petit Jurors

To serve in the Court of Com-

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Properties Withdrawn

On Friday evening at the Bulletin Office, M. W. Groff and Wm. C. Rehm, executors of W. M. Hollowbush, deceased, offered the two properties on West Main street at public sale. Both were offered as one and withdrawn at $6,800.00. They will now be sold privately by the executors.

LOCAL POTATO CROP IS SECOND IN STATE

Lancaster county, with 2,357,000 bushels, ranked second among the counties of Pennsylvania in potato production, according to figures released today. Lehigh county was first with 2,525,000 bushels.

Child Badly Scalded

A child of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Good, who tenant the Hossler farm west of Florin, had its arm badly burned when it accidently fell into a bucket of hot water. Dr. Stoner attended the child.

Taken [illegible] Hospital

Mr. Scott [illegible], of this place, was removed [illegible] the General Hospital at Lan[illegible] yesterday.

Lic[illegible]

[illegible] Winzer,

BOY'S SKULL FRACTURED BY KICK OF A HORSE

Kicked in the face by a horse, Donald H. Landis, thirteen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira H. Landis, of Landisville, was seriously injured about the head Friday. He is confined to the Lancaster General Hospital suffering from a fractured skull and a badly lacerated face.

The boy was working in his father's barn and had to walk past the horse. As he was passing the stall the horse kicked, the hoof striking him on the side of the face.

WANTS TAX PAID BY DISTRIBUTORS

CLARENCE SCHOCK, OF TOWN, ASKED HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE TO REPORT OUT TALBOT BILL

Declaring that when the Legislature adopted the present system of gasoline tax collection from retailers it imposed an impossible task, Mr. Clarence Schock, of this boro, legislative chairman of the Independent Oil Men's Association, asked the House Ways and Means Committee to report out the Talbot bill providing for the collection of gasoline tax from distributors.

Mr. Schock pointed out that Pennsylvania is the only State which collects from the retail dealer and that passage of the Talbot bill would mean tax collection from distributors instead of 25,000 retailers. The Talbot bill would provide collections monthly instead of quarterly and would result in more complete returns than at present.

State Treasurer Samuel S. Lewis, who is interested in the passage of the Talbot bill, said the bill would cause collection more expeditiously and that it would have a tendency to drive out gasoline bootleggers. He discussed the work involved in the present collection system and pointed out that the advantages in the Talbot bill. He urged persons interested to offer amendments to strengthen the bill and suggested that if necessary it could be rewritten.

LANCASTER GENERAL ASKS STATE FOR $110,000

A bill to appropriate $110,000 to the Lancaster General hospital for the two years starting June 1, was introduced Wednesday by Senator John G. Homsher, of Strasburg.

The Columbia hospital asked for an appropriation of $20,000 for two years maintenance.

Chorus On The Air

On Sunday, March 17, through station WMBS, Harrisburg, a sacred concert, sponsored by Elmer G. Strickler, of Maytown, will be given from 2 to 3 o'clock, by the male chorus of the Church of God, Elizabethtown. W. M. Brandt, of Maytown, will be announcer, and anyone interested is asked to send in requests for selections.

PENNSYLVANIANS OF THREE TOWNS MEET

Palmyra, Hershey and Mt. Joy Chapters of the Pennsylvania jointly celebrated Pennsylvania Day Friday evening at Wolf's Restaurant, Palmyra. The occasion was also the celebration of the first anniversary of Palmyra Chapter.

COLEBROOK HOTEL RAIDED; 100 GALLON STILL SEIZED

Wilbur Leitzel, of Lewisburg, prohibition agent, and a force of men reported Friday that they found a 100 gallon still in the home occupied by Frank Kennan at Colebrook. The still was destroyed.

Willing Workers' Class Met

Mrs. Wilbert Baker entertained the Willing Workers' Class of the Evangelical Congregational Sunday School at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arntz Thursday evening. A baked bean supper was served. Games were played and prizes won by Miss Mildred Way and Mrs. Nelson Gingrich.

Many Chickens Stolen

Chicken thieves have been quite active in the county and more than 200 fowls have been reported stolen from three places. Eli Bauman, near Hahnstown, lost 114; Thomas Bosten, also of near Hahnstown, 25, and J. G. Weidler, Landisville, 70.

Year's Leave of Absence

President Ralph W. Schlosser, of Elizabethtown college, has been granted a year's leave of absence for post graduate work at Columbia university.

Eighty-Third Birthday

Miss Fannie Shank, who is quite ill at her home on West Donegal street, celebrated her eighty-third birthday anniversary on Saturday.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ric[illegible] the birth of a son [illegible]

SEVERE STORM, HEAVY LOSSES

TOBACCO SHED RAZED, CHIMNEY BLOWN DOWN, TREES UPROOTED, BUILDINGS UNROOFED AND OTHER DAMAGE

Property damage mounting into thousands of dollars, disruption of telephone and electric service, as well as hazards to motor and rail traffic were the result of the raging wind storm which swept this section last Wednesday night and all day Thursday.

Early Thursday morning the Edison Electric Company encountered trouble and as a result we were without current here part of the forenoon. Some of our industries were compelled to shut down, but the "juice" was on again shortly before noon and thereafter "everything was lovely."

Chimney Blew Over

The large brick chimney at Mr. S. F. Ruhl's greenhouse here, blew over and fell upon his auto truck, almost completely demolishing it.

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A PEDESTRIAN KILLED BY AUTO

WM. POFF, OF LANDISVILLE, STRUCK WHILE WALKING ON HIGHWAY—DIED WITHIN AN HOUR

A pedestrian was killed while walking on the highway east of Landisville on Friday evening.

William Poff, forty-two, of Landisville, the dead man, was struck by a motor driven by Andrew M. Martin, of this boro, about two miles east of Landisville, shortly before 10 o'clock Friday night. He died half an hour after being admitted to St. Joseph's hospital. No death certificate was issued up to late Friday night, but doctors of the institution believe that internal injuries and punctured lungs caused his death.

At the time of the collision, Poff

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MR. STUART CHALLENGES TREASURER SAM'L LEWIS

The statement of State Treasurer Samuel S. Lewis that the state highway department will have $23,000,000 more revenue available for expenditure during the next biennium than it had during the present period, was challenged Wednesday by James Lyall Stuart, secretary of highways.

TAKEN FROM THE CARD BASKET

PERSONAL MENTION ABOUT THE MANY COMERS AND GOERS IN THIS LOCALITY

Mr. E. R. Villee, the printer at Marietta, was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Mary S. Myers, of Florin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leiberher.

Miss Louisa K. Rhoads spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Plot, at Middletown.

Miss Pearl Schroll spent the week-end at Harrisburg with her sister, Mrs. R. R. Lauer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arntz and sons, Gerald and Robert, spent Saturday in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Walters, of Lancaster, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Renz and two sons, of Coatesville, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Smith.

Mrs. Rebecca Goslin, of Royalton, is spending a few days here with her niece, Mrs. Frank Stark.

Mrs. Stratford, Mrs. Wolf, and Mrs. Sinclair, all of Lancaster, spent Saturday with Mrs. Irwin Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Furham and family, of Middletown, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Elmira Diffenderfer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gring, of Reading, spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Elmer Kane, on Mt. Joy street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Fasnacht, daughter, Mildred, and son, Donald, of Millersburg, spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Kiefer.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wise and son, Junior, of Lancaster, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weidman on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nissley Stehman returned home Tuesday from a wedding tour. Mrs. Stehman will be remembered as Miss Thelma Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Hendrix and daughter, Jacquelin Fae, Mr. Jacob M. Schroll and Miss Marguerite Schroll autoed to Harrisburg Sunday.

A [illegible]ight Fire

There wa[illegible] slight fire on the roof at the [illegible]idence of Mr. Jacob Snyder, co[illegible]ctor and builder, of Florin, at n[illegible] today. Our firemen responded [illegible]ptly. The damage [illegible]as slight.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR CHARLES FREY

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Frey gave a party at their home, Saturday, in honor of their son, Charles, who was the recipient of a number of gifts. The decorations were in yellow and white. These guests were present: Miss Evelyn Kochle, Lancaster; R. H. Kling, Jacob Frey, Mrs. Mary Frey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Myers, son Robert, and grandchildren, Dorothy and Bobby Myers, all of Lititz; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sumpman and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Frey and sons Charles and Bobby.

FAMIILY WANTS AUTO DAMAGES

LANDISVILLE FOLKS ALLEGE A PARKESBURG MAN TRANSFERRED PROPERTY TO HIS WIFE AFTER COURT AWARDS

Richard M. Knight, of Landisville, has started equity proceedings in Chester county courts against Mr. and Mrs. George Lowery, of Parkesburg, claiming that after he obtained damage verdicts against Lowery in the Lancaster county courts, Lowery transferred certain properties to his wife and self jointly to prevent collection of the damage claims of Knight.

It appears that about a year ago, suits were filed against Lowery following an automobile accident, and awards were made in the Lancaster courts of $1,022.75 to Knight, $4,500 to Mrs. Irene Knight, and $5,500 to Anna Knight, relatives of the prosecutor in the newest action.

Knight sues for an injunction restraining Mr. and Mrs. Lowery from further transfer of their Parkesburg properties, and asks also that the deed by which Lowery transferred property from his own name to that of his own and his wife jointly be ruled void.

DORCAS SOCIETY MET WITH MRS. W. ESHLEMAN

The Dorcas Society met on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Walter Eshleman, on West Main street. There was a very good attendance. Each guest received a favor of cookies which were wrapped to represent a box and on top of which an old fashioned bouquet of sweet peas laid. The offering which was taken will be given to the Building Fund of the U. B. church.

A Very Good Sale

One of the best farm sales held in this section this season was the one of Mr. B. F. Reapsome, at Donegal Springs Monday. The crowd was estimated at 3,000 people and the sale amounted to $8,000. Mr. C. S. Frank was the auctioneer. The sale bills and all advertising was done by the Bulletin.

That's Pretty Rough

Pennsylvania's county prisons are the "lowest, meanest, vilest, most inefficient penal institutions there are." Nevertheless they house nine-tenths of all prisoners in the state. That's what Dr. Lousi N. Robinson, a member of the National Crime Commission said at Phila., Thursday.

Was Sixty Monday

We congratulate Dr. Howard G. Smoker, druggist at Five Points, Columbia, having celebrated his sixtieth birthday Monday. Doc is well known here, having been a former resident.

Violating An Ordinance

Complaint has been made about some persons on Mount Joy street that are emptying wash water in the gutters in violation of a borough ordinance which carries a fine.

She Was the First

Mrs. Jennie Kardos, 35-year-old mother of four children, of Phila., is the first woman in Pennsylvania to be sent to jail for violating the prohibition laws.

Auto Struck by Train

Mr. and Mrs. Graybill Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Christian Musser made a lucky escape when their auto was pushed off the track and a wheel broken but no one was hurt.

First Millionaire President

Herbert Hoover is the first millionaire chief executive that this nation has ever had. He is reputed to be a millionaire ten times over.

Only One Arrest

Isaac H. Dorsey, of 456 Codorus street, York, was the only violator arrested for passing a red traffic signal here last week.

Congratulations

Mrs. Harry Charles celebrated her birthday March 9th.

Miss Almeda Kaylor celebrated her birthday the past week.

A Case of T. B.

One case of Pulmonary T. B. in Mount Joy was reported to the Board of Health today.

STATE AID HIT BY SUPERVISORS

PRESIDENT OF STATE ASSOCIATION SAYS THE TOWNSHIPS ARE TOO POOR TO MATCH THE STATE'S MONEY

The 4000 members of the Pennsylvania State Association of township Supervisors do not feel warmly toward State-aid for counties and townships, S. L. Smedley, Sr., of Newton Square, said in a statement.

"Second-class townships of Pennsylvania are opposed to the so-called 'State-Aid' plan because they are too poor to supply their share of the money," Smedley said.

"What the township supervisors want is not two or three miles of road of a costly type, but as many miles as they can get of a road that will lift them out of the mud," Smedley commented in saying that the roads of costly types are the kind usually put down under the State-Aid plan.

"Township supervisors have 75,000 miles of road under their jur-

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A MANHEIM CHURCH ABOLISHES COLLECTION PLATE

St. Paul's Reformed Church at Manheim has abolished the collection plate and its ushers are left without duties—but the amount of contributions is increasing.

Instead of passing the plate to obtain contributions a box has been placed in the church vestibule in which members of the congregation can drop their money.

Rev. H. M. Leidy, pastor of the church, said that if the new system should show that collections were decreasing, the church will revert to the usual plan.

ELIZABETHTOWN FIRM IS GRANTED A CHARTER

A charter has been granted to a corporation to be known as the Winters-Atkins Company, at Elizabethtown, which will be capitalized at $10,000.

The purpose of this firm will be to manufacture garments from cotton, wool, silk and kindred materials.

Paris Snyder Spoke

Mr. Paris Snyder, of the Agricultural Trust Co., at Lancaster, made an interesting address before the Rotary club here yesterday. Mr. Snyder is very well known here, having been a clerk in the Union National bank a number of years ago.

LOCAL DOINGS AROUND FLORIN

ALL THE UP-TO-DATE HAPPENINGS FROM THAT THRIVING AND BUSY VILLAGE THE PAST WEEK

Mr. Harry Stoll spent Tuesday at Lancaster.

Mr. Enos Wachstetter is quite ill at his home here.

Mr. Clarence Musselman spent Monday at Lancaster.

Mrs. John Wachstetter spent Saturday at Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton spent Saturday at Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cosgrove and sons spent Sunday at Lancaster.

Mrs. Samuel Crowl and son spent several days at Mechanicsburg.

Mr. John Kern, of Landisville, was the guest of Mr. J. Y. Kline Sunday.

Mr. Frank Weidman, of Wilmington, Del., spent Sunday at Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Malehorn

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LANDISVILLE YOUTH HELD FOR INCORRIGIBILITY

Alleged to have abused and tried to beat his mother after she reprimended and blamed him for stealing $5 belonging to her, Fred Joost, sixteen, of Landisville, was arrested by Constable Steigerwalt Wednesday on charges of incorrigibility preferred by his mother. He is being held for court action. Joost told police authorities that he had run away from a military academy where his mother had placed him, and had been living at home for the past several weeks.

THE AURORA BOREALIS PLAINLY VISIBLE HERE

The long, misty fingers of the Aurora Borealis stretching forth across the northern starry sky, at ten o'clock and after Monday night, was plainly visible to the people of this section, many of whom viewed the spectacle, but failed to realize that they were gazing upon the beautiful wonder of nature.

Has New Car

Dr. Smedley, of town, is driving a new Whippet Coupe.

IRONVILLE MAN INJURED FALLING FROM ROOF

George Fornoff, of Ironville, narrowly escaped serious injury and probably death in a fall from a house top in that place. Mr. Fornoff was at work on the roof of the home of C. M. Kauffman when he slipped and fell to the ground. Mr. Fornoff was unconscious when picked up. A physician was summoned who revived him. An examination failed to reveal any broken bones, but he was badly bruised about his body.

GENERAL NEWS FOR BUSY FOLKS

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

Miss Annie Rohrer is on the sick list.

Forty-five drunken drivers lost their licenses last week.

Columbia has ousted its special policeman because of too many arrests.

William Strayer, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Strayer, is on the sick list.

The Sunshine Sewing Circle met at the home of Dolly Pennell on Saturday.

The County Firemen will hold their annual banquet at Lancaster on Saturday.

President Hoover has called a special session of Congress to convene April 15.

Field crops grown in Lancaster County last year on 371,450 acres had a value of $18,509,680.

April 1 the Reynolds hotel at Marietta will be in that same name continuously for fifty years.

Miss Annie Shelly, of Manheim has a goose which she declares is 31 years old and still lays eggs.

Motorists in Pennsylvania paid the state over twenty million dollars for licenses to date this year.

The Lancaster and York Co. commissioners will open bids on the new river bridge at Columbia April 9.

An automobile set a new world's record of 231 miles an hour at Daytona Beach, Florida, Monday.

The next meeting of the Susquehanna River Road Association will be held at Middletown this evening.

The Missionary Society of the U. B. church met at the home of Mrs. Joseph Witmer, last evening.

John Wyeth, who has been a lion tamer all his life, can't tame his wife so he has applied for a divorce.

James Klein, aged 22, was sentenced to a ten year term in jail for a robbery which netted him 91 cents.

Mrs. Fanny Culp has moved into the Trimmer property on Henry street recently vacated by Mrs. Harriet Shelly.

The Masonic Homes at Elizabethtown bought a pair of roan horses at Harvey Bachman's sale near Mt. Gretna, for $465.

The Ushers' League of the United Brethren church will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Musser, at Salunga.

Instead of sentencing Ruth Barry for stealing a $10 dress, the lawyers in court "chipped in" and gave her carfare to send her back home to New York. This occurred in court at Lancaster Saturday.

LATIN CLUB WILL PRESENT PROGRAM

The Latin Club of the Mt. Joy High School will present a program Thursday evening at 8 P. M. in the High School auditorium.

The members of the club will represent twelve mythological characters in costume.

The mythological play "Perseus and Andromeda" will be given in Latin.

The last feature of the program will be a demonstration of the "Radiola Spiritrola." This instrument eliminates time and space and connects us with heroes of the past

No admission will be charged but a silver offering will be taken.

"BLOW YOUR OWN HORN" BY JUNIOR CLASS

The Junior Class of Mt. Joy High School, will present a play entitled, "Blow Your Own Horn," by Owen Davis, author, to be given in the High School Auditorium, Thursday and Friday, April 4th and 5th. The cast of characters will be announced in next week's issue.

Old Desk Brought $180

At a public sale of old furniture and antiques, held by S. C. Young at Washingtonboro recently, an old desk with seventeen drawers was purchased for $180 by Norman Pickle of Marietta. Another article which brought a high price was an inlaid table sold to William Gehr for $82.

Hospital Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Lancaster General Hospital wi[illegible] be held in the home of Mrs. [illegible] F. Snyder on Thursday aftern[illegible] at 3 o'clock.

TWO MEN WERE SHOT AT TUESDAY

CHARLES KIPPLE FIRED TWO LOADS SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT, AROUSING THE NEIGHBORHOOD

There was quite a bit of excitement in the alley in the rear of Chandler's Drug Store about one o'clock yesterday morning when two men were shot at.

Mr. Charles Kipple and Miss Lilian Zickefouse, occupy apartments on the second floor in the W. D. Chandler property. About one o'clock the lady, accompanied by two young men known as Jim and Fred, came there by auto. She couldn't unlock the door so she told one of them to force same and he did. The noise awoke Mr. Kipple, who came to the window and seeing the two men, took a shot at each one with a double barrel shot gun. Evidently Charlie missed his mark as both beat a hasty retreat. Later they got their car and left town.

The matter was reported to Special Officer Zerphey, who investigated and found the facts as above stated. As no one was hurt no charges will be brought.

The shooting, however, aroused the entire neighborhood in that section and many wild rumors were circulated.

Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Greenawalt gave a birthday dinner at their home, on Marietta street, in honor of their daughter, Miss Ida. These guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hartman and two daughters, Ruth and Naomi, Mr. Charles Minnich, all of Mountville; Mr. Clarence Greenawaltt, and Mr. Fred Strohm, of Chester.

Gave Bail for Hearing

United States Commissioner Henry Maltzberger, of Reading, held Joseph and Walter Fritz, of Marietta, in bail for a hearing before him on Saturday, March 16, to answer to charges of selling and possessing liquor. They were arrested January 24 by Federal Dry agents.

Harvey Foltz Retired

After faithfully serving as an employe and foreman of sub-division F., of the Philadelphia Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad for nearly 52 consecutive years, Harvey Foltz, 70, of Elizabethtown, has been retired.

OUR MORTUARY RECORDINGS

MANY WELL KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

John R. David died at Columbia aged 53 years.

Thomas C. Sweeney, aged 78, a former squire, died at Columbia.

John H. David died at Columbia, aged 53 years. Mrs. Kate Billet, of Chiques, is a sister.

Paul L. Coble

Funeral services for Paul L. Coble, thirty-four, who died in the Lancaster General hospital, will be held from the late home, Bellaire, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in Risser's cemetery.

John C. Ritter

John C. Ritter, of South Charlotte street, Manheim, for more than 40 years a produce dealer of that place, died early Sunday morning at his home, of the effects of a stroke suffered last Tuesday. He was a son of the late Henry and Sarah Ritter. His wife, Mrs. Kate Nauman Ritter, and the following children survive: Howard, Harry, Arthur, Paul, Mamie, Mrs. Paul B. Myers, all of Lancaster. Nine grandchildren also survive. The funeral was held this afternoon at the late home. Interment in Fairview cemetery.

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MR. RICE CELEBRATES EIGHTY-EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

Mr. George I. Rice, on Chocolate Avenue, Florin, celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday on Thursday and in honor of the event, was tendered a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rice, of this place. A chicken and waffle supper was served. Games were played and all present had a most enjoyable time. Those present were: Mr. George Rice, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rice, Mary, Wm., Richard, Anna and Jane Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rice and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rice, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Rice and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Rice and children, and Mr. and Mrs. George Rice and child.

Chicken & Waffle Supper

The Shining Star Class, of the Florin United Brethren church, will hold a chicken and waffle supper in the Florin Hall, on Saturday evening, March 23rd, from five to nine o'clock. Everyone [illegible] 2t