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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

DON'T FAIL TO HONOR YOUR MOTHER BY SOME KIND REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY—MOTHER'S DAY

BRETHREN GAVE MUCH TO CHARITY

CONTRIBUTED \$44,851 DURING THE YEAR TOWARD SUPPORT OF HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

Reports showing that \$44,851 was contributed in the past year for missions and charities were made on Thursday at the final session of the E. District of Pennsylvania Church of the Brethren conference, which opened Wednesday in the East Fairview Church of the Brethren, near Manheim.

More than 1,000 persons attended the meetings. Meals were served to 600 by the Ladies' Aid Society of the church. The moderator was Norman K. Musser, of Columbia; secretary, Ada Witmer Brenneman, of Florin; and the treasurer John K. Miller, of Manheim.

Other statistics of the district reported were that there are 32 Ladies Aid societies in the district, with 628 members, and that these donated \$2,627 to home missions and \$1,852 to foreign missions. There are 38 congregations and 80 church houses in the district, with 65 ministers. There are four supported ministers, and three partly supported.

The enrollment at Elizabethtown (Turn to Page 4)

BEER TRUCK WILL BE SOLD; LIQUOR VIOLATOR FINED

These local cases were disposed of by the court last week.

Liquor Violator Fined
Convicted of a liquor law violation at the recent April term of Quarter Sessions Court, William Smith, Kinderhook, was fined \$200 and costs by Judge Groff. The Court in giving the defendant only a fine and not the usual prison sentence, declared there was some question of Smith's guilt in spite of the jury's verdict.

Beer Truck To Be Sold
A beer truck seized by police on the road between Marietta and Maytown on March 23, said to be the property of Lawrence J. Sallinger, of Steelton, will be sold by county authorities. This was decided by the Court after three Steelton witnesses were heard in the behalf of Mrs. Sallinger, who claims the truck was stolen while her husband was serving a term in the Dauphin County jail on charges of violating the liquor laws.

Charged With Larceny
Thursday Constable Zerphey arrested Paul Mellinger, of Denver, on a warrant from Squire Grimm's office charged by D. G. Coble with larceny by bailee and fraudulent conversion. He furnished \$300 bail before Squire Shimp, of Denver, for a hearing at Elizabethtown on Friday evening, May 8, at 7:30 o'clock.

Co. Supt. Mylin Aids State Bill To Eliminate Institutes

New Measure Would Permit Group Meetings

A second bill designed to eliminate county institutes for school teachers of the state as they are now conducted has been introduced in the State Legislature by Col. Daniel B. Strickler, representative from the Lancaster city district. The new measure was prepared in association with Arthur P. Mylin, county superintendent of schools.

Early in the present session of the State Legislature, Representative Joseph T. Evans, Ephrata, introduced a similar measure in the House. At the request of Governor Pinchot the bill was recalled and the Chief Executive explained that

he hoped to collect the best of school legislation and have it written into the state code. The fate of Mr. Evans' bill is in doubt.

Hearing Thursday
The new measure was promptly referred to the Educational committee of the House with the announcement that a hearing will be held next Thursday when school authorities are expected to go to Harrisburg and testify in behalf of the proposed changes. The bill provides that a county superintendent may conduct three-day institutes each year. The institutes may be

held on three consecutive days or at three different times of the year and the superintendent may assemble all the teachers or different groups.

If the bill becomes a law, Lancaster county's institutes will be a thing of the past and group meetings will be held Saturdays. Mr. Mylin explained that the new measure makes it possible for counties to continue to hold the institutes as now conducted if they so desire.

Majority Opposed Institutes
"A recent survey," Mr. Mylin (turn to page 5)

GILLUMS' GAS STATION ROBBED A SECOND TIME

On Thursday Constable Zerphey was called to the Gillums' Service Station, west of town, to investigate a robbery. Entrance was gained by breaking a rear window. Twelve tires and between 400 and 500 cigars and about half a dozen cartons of cigarettes were stolen. Constable Zerphey recovered one tire which was found along the road from the Cross Road Church to the Union School house. The State police from Manheim station are also working on the case.

The Gas Station was robbed some time ago but only money was taken.

FISHERMAN GETS HEARING; FINED FOR USING A NET

Four officers from the State Game and Fish Department visited the Susquehanna river, near Wrightsville, Thursday, seized a number of illegal fishing devices and arrested Roy Young.

He was taken before Justice of the Peace Hicks, at Maytown, and fined \$45. He was accused of catching fish in nets.

Had Two Frosts

This section was visited by two frosts last week, one rather heavy Thursday night and another the following night May 1. Early flowers, rose leaves, etc., were frost bitten and blackened.

BORO COUNCIL MET ON MONDAY

ALL THE CITIZENS WEST OF THE MENNONITE CHURCH OBJECT TO LOCATION FOR THE NEW STAND PIPE

Mount Joy's Boro Council met in regular monthly session on Monday night with all members and the Burgess present. The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

A petition objecting to the location of the standpipe to be erected by the Council, was presented by ex-burgess H. H. Engle. The petition was signed by every property owner and resident of that section of the boro from the Mennonite church west.

The petitioners claim that the erection of the standpipe on the lot between Donegal Springs Road and West Donegal street will depreciate the value of their properties, that it is objectionable and should not be erected in this, one of the finest residential sections of the town.

Council stated that the site was selected at the suggestion of the engineers, that it was the best location available and from the point of economy it had an advantage over other locations.

The petitioners stated that the Florin Development Company and (Turn to Page 4)

RED MEN LODGES MOVE FOR TRUCE

REBELLING ORDERS ARE SEEMINGLY READY FOR THE ARMISTICE—LOCAL TRIBE WAS OUT

A battle over the per capita tax question which has raged for five years between The Great Council of Pennsylvania, Improved Order of Red Men, and the protesting tribes of Pennsylvania, may be ended by a compromise between the warring tribes at a special meeting to be held in the Red Men's hall, Lancaster, this week.

This was revealed at the annual banquet of the Canasatego Tribe No. 203, of Lancaster, one of the protestors, by Charles E. Bell, great chief of records of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, who declared that all indications point to an early peace (Turn to Page 8)

THE JUNIOR HIGH BOYS SURPRISE GERALD ARNTZ

Gerald Arntz celebrated his fourteenth birthday anniversary on Friday and that evening was given a surprise party by a number of the boys of the Junior High School. The boys had a good time playing games and having contests, prize winners being Robert Brown, Richard Beamerderfer, Robert Zink and Thomas Schroll.

Refreshments were served to: Herbert Mumma, Harry Walters, Jr., Oliver Mateer, Robert Brown, Omar Grant, Thomas Schroll, Robert Baller, James Kipple, Lester Hostetter, Robert Zink, Karl Haines, Richard Beamerderfer, Robert Arntz, Mrs. C. S. Gingrich, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Walz, and daughter, Barbara Anne; Jeanne Brandt, Gerald Arntz and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arntz.

OUR MORTUARY RECORDINGS

MANY OF OUR BEST KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THAT GREAT BEYOND WITHIN THE PAST WEEK.

Lewis May Gabriel, 51, died at Columbia.

Mrs. Anna Mary Billett, 74, wife of John Billett, died at Columbia.

Edward Ernest Wagner, a retired iron worker, aged 70, died at Columbia.

Lizzie Eby Ulrich, 72, widow of Ora Ulrich, died at the Neffsville Home.

Minnie K. Carter, formerly of Columbia, died at the Long Home, Lancaster.

Reuben G. Shank

Reuben G. Shank, seventeen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Shank, of Bainbridge, R. D. 1, died in St. Joseph's hospital of appendicitis. Besides his parents he is survived by these brothers and sisters: Norman, Reading; Charles, Florin; Russell, Raymond, Benjamin, Jr., Ralph and Esther, all at home.

Services were held Monday afternoon at Bossler's church, near Bainbridge. Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

Mrs. Grant Gebhart

Ethel Bricker Gebhart, of Enola, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Bricker, of Rapho township, aged 21 years. She is survived by her husband, Grant Gebhart, and one son, Roy.

Funeral will be held Saturday at 1:15 at the home and at 2 o'clock, Standard time, at the Florin Brethren Church. Interment at Green Tree cemetery.

James R. Stonesifer

James Richard Stonesifer, infant (Turn to page 5)

MOUNT JOY TENNIS CLUB ORGANIZED FOR SEASON

The Mount Joy Tennis Club has again re-organized for the 1931 season with officers as follows:

Pres., A. D. Seiler.
Vice Pres., R. M. Zook.
Sec., Jean M. Thome.
Treas., D. Merle Hoffer.

The courts were put in fine playing shape by the club last year and 50 people of our Community availed themselves of the use of this improvement by joining the Club.

Help to keep these courts in fine playing condition by joining the club so that the Community will always have good courts.

Canadian Will Speak

Bishop C. F. Derstine, of the Mennonite church in Kitchener, Ontario, Canada, will speak during the three days' Bible Conference at Elizabethtown on May 8, 9, and 10.

At Grandview Friday

The Garden Spot bowling team will travel to Grandview on Friday night and bowl the team of that place.

Attending the Convention

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Shoop are in Pittsburgh, where the doctor is attending the State dental convention. They will return home Thursday.

Soon Under Roof

Contractor Greiner is making good progress on Sternberger's new building on East Main street. The roof is now being put on.

Patient at Hospital

Miss Miriam Heistand, of Lobato, was removed to the General hospital at Lancaster on Tuesday afternoon.

Gets a Gold Button For 50 Years of Faithful Service

We point with pride to a very faithful employe who has rounded out his fiftieth year in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, at Mount Joy, Mr. Daniel W. Kramer, on North Market street.

"Dan" was born in Mount Joy, Feb. 28, 1862 and has resided here all his life.

April 1, 1881 he entered the service of the company as baggage-



DANIEL W. KRAMER

phia and became ticket and freight agent and telegraph operator here June 1, 1910 Mr. Kramer was

HURLED INTO MILL RACE MAN WAS KILLED SUNDAY

Hurled from the Lancaster pike into a mill race in East Middletown when an automobile struck a high way protection fence early Sunday morning, John Dupes, of Ann street, Middletown, was instantly killed. A fracture of the skull caused his death, Coroner Milliken said.

Dupes' companion, John Diffenderfer, twenty-five, Russell avenue, Middletown, suffered a fractured right leg and lacerations of the face and body. His condition was serious at the Harrisburg hospital today.

AUTOS IN COLLISION, GIRL, 6, IS INJURED

Wanda Colangelo, six, daughter of Salvatore Colangelo, of North 15th street, Harrisburg, suffered lacerations of the face and bruises of the head and body when an automobile driven by her father collided with a machine operated by D. B. Flory, of Lawn, in Center Square, Deodate, Monday afternoon.

Colangelo was slightly injured, but Flory escaped without injuries. The child was treated at the office of Dr. Troy M. Thompson of Elizabethtown.

Brooder House Burned

An overheated stove was blamed for the fire which destroyed a brooder house on the farm of Jacob M. Carper, at the Doe Run poultry farm two miles east of Manheim.

That's Rather Expensive

Horace C. Siders, of Catesville, and Lincoln McClausland, of Downintown, were arrested and fined \$500 each and costs for spotting deer with a flashlight and shooting them. The violations occurred in Lycoming County last week.

Few Fish Caught

The lake at Long's Park, Lancaster, was thrown open for twelve hours to fishermen Saturday. The crowd at 10 A. M. was estimated at 500 but comparatively few fish were caught.

Planted Many Trees

The Pennsylvania Water and Power Company planted 40,000 young spruce and red pine trees at Holtwood. They were supplied by the State nurseries.

R. FELLEBAUM ELECTED TREAS.

SCHOOL BOARD NAMES COMMITTEES TO ASCERTAIN COST OF IMPROVING GRADE SCHOOL GROUNDS

Our Boro School Board held its regular monthly session on Monday evening when the following routine affairs were transacted.

Prof. Nitrauer, supervising principal of the borough schools, reported an attendance of 615 during the month and a percentage of 95. The attendance percentage for the entire (Turn to page 4.)

UNDERWENT AN OPERATION FOR ACUTE APPENDICITIS

Mrs. Clara Hubaker, of this place, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John K. Everett, at Jersey City, N. J., had an attack of acute appendicitis, last Saturday and was immediately taken to the Hospital and an operation performed on Sunday at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Everett has written that her mother is improving and the physicians are very well pleased with her condition.

Auxiliary Prize Winners

The card party held by the Legion Auxiliary on Thursday afternoon was very successful. The prize winners were as follows:

Bridge, Mrs. H. B. Stehman, Mrs. T. J. Brown, Mrs. Ray Keller, Mrs. Matilda Newpher, Mrs. Jno. Lonsenecker, Mrs. Melvin Newcomer, Mrs. W. L. Shoop, Mrs. H. M. Stauffer.

Five Hundred: Miss Bertha Z. Hoffman, of Maytown, and Mrs. Jno. Smith, of Marietta.

Rev. Hoffman Returned

Rev. N. S. Hoffman, pastor of the Evangelical Congregational church, has been returned for the second year of his pastorate.

GENERAL NEWS FOR BUSY FOLKS

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY FOR THE BENEFIT OF THOSE WHO HAVE LITTLE TIME TO READ.

Mr. Merlin Hauer who was ill, is recovering.

Ephrata boro cut its school tax from 20 to 17 mills.

The East Petersburg schools closed an eight-months' term last week.

Twenty motorists were arrested at Lancaster for speeding last week.

There was another heavy frost throughout this section Monday morning.

The sale of fire works will be prohibited at Marietta this year on the Fourth.

The little town of Hallam, York county, dedicated a \$15,000 fire hall last Saturday.

In a raid on the Moose club, at Harrisburg, eight barrels of beer and 11 slot machines were seized.

The annual Spring musical by the pupils of the Manheim public schools will be presented Thursday evening, May 7.

A State trooper from Reading was severely bitten on the hand by a negro during a raid at Lancaster on Friday night.

Edward I. Froelich, Mountville tobacoo dealer, has purchased the large brush factory building at Columbia and will convert it into a warehouse.

Because he was \$45,000 short in his accounts, Howard C. Pedrick, 40, cashier of the First National bank at Conshohocken, killed his wife and then himself.

IF YOU'RE A GOOD GUESSER YOU'LL WIN A WATCH

The tickets and the Hamilton wrist watch, being sold by the American Legion, of this place, have been placed in the hands of Mr. H. X. Nissly, cashier of the Union National Bank, and will be kept in the vault.

During the week the watch will be rebound by Mr. Nissly, so that it will run down Saturday. The person having their ticket marked nearest the time the watch stops, wins.

The winner will be announced in the Bulletin window, Saturday afternoon. Watch for your name.

Sales Day

A Sales Day in Mount Joy is now being arranged by the business men of town.

Full particulars will appear in the Bulletin at a later date.

The Third Annual Flower Show at Locust Grove

The third annual flower show, which will be sponsored by the Society of Farm Women, No. 8, will be held June 5 and 6 at the old one mill, Locust Grove, south of Bainbridge. Mrs. B. F. Hoffman, Locust Grove, will be hostess. The show will be open to the public the first day from 2:30 until 9, and from 8:30 a. m., until 9 at night the following day. The show is open to all amateur flower growers of the county. All entries must be

made not later than 11 o'clock on the morning of June 5 and no entries may be removed before the close of the show Saturday night. The added feature will be an exhibit of bird houses built by children which will be placed in two classes, open to children up to 12 years of age and from 13 to 16 years inclusively. Prizes and ribbons will be awarded in each class. Mrs. Walter Engle, of Elizabethtown, is chairman of the committee.

WINNERS AT THE LEGION'S CARD PARTY MONDAY NITE

The Walter Ebersole Post, No. 185 held their regular monthly Card Party in the Legion Home on Monday evening with a good attendance. The following were prize winners: Bridge, Miss Beatrice Newcomer, Bigler Mumma, O. K. Snyder, Mrs. H. M. Stauffer, Mrs. Wm. Miller, Mr. Ray Keller, C. Musser Stauffer, O. T. Barr, Mrs. O. K. Snyder, Ida Somer, Sol Barr, E. E. Brown, Mrs. H. B. Stehman, Pinochet, F. B. Stauffer, Carl B. Miller, Five Hundred: Mrs. E. S. Irons, Mrs. Purdy, Mrs. Fenstermacher, Amos K. Zuck, C. V. Kinsey, John H. Smith, Mrs. Viola Zuck.

FISHERMEN AND TROUT AT DONEGAL

Donegal Creek, near the Donegal Springs, was stocked by the State on Tuesday with trout ranging from 6 to 14 inches.

On Wednesday catches of the trout were made as follows: John H. Libhart, 25; Wilson McMullen, 23; John Reisinger, 18, and his son, Walter Reisinger, 13. These fishermen are all residents of Marietta.

Aaron Zeamer and Squire H. L. Eisenberger, of Kinderhook, caught 5 and 8 respectively.

Will Move Her Store

Mrs. U. E. Hoffer, who conducts Marie's Quality Shoppe in one of J. E. Schroll's store rooms on East Main street, will move to a new location June 1st. She has rented the former Dierolf store property and dwelling on East Main street, now owned by Mr. Clarence Schock. This is only a short distance from her present location.

The store room Mrs. Hoffer will vacate, is now for rent.

Intercourse Saturday

The Intercourse Premiers will play the Mount Joy A. A. twice this week end. The two teams play at Mount Joy on Saturday and will play a return game at Intercourse on Sunday.

Defeated Again

The Sunday Baseball bill was defeated in the House at Harrisburg Monday night 102 to 101. This is its second defeat within two weeks.

Women's Missionary Asso. Is Now In Session Here

Yesterday at 2:30 the fifty-third meeting of the East Pennsylvania Branch of the Women's Missionary Association opened in St. Mark's United Brethren church here. The meetings continue daily until Thursday noon.

The meetings are being very largely attended and the complete daily program as it appeared in the Bulletin last week, is being carried out.

Just before adjournment at noon today the election of officers will be held. The nominees are appended:

PRESIDENT
MRS. OLIVER FRIDAY
MRS. J. OWEN JONES

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT
MRS. B. F. DAUGHERTY
MRS. FROY FAGLEY
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Local 4-H Club Organized Corn Club Last Thursday

The 4 H Club of this vicinity organized a corn club last Thursday evening with the following officers and members:

Pres., Catharine Garber.
V. Pres., Harold Rissor.
Sec., Wayne Stauffer.
Treas., Edward Walley.
Song and Cheer Leader, Warren Reist.

Reporter, Earl Swarr.

The other members are: John Gerber, Naomi Gerber, Ralph Snyder, Franklin Sauder, James Mumper, Janvere Mumper, Phares Heisey, Henry Stauffer, Harry Williams, Catharine Alwine, Galen Stauffer, Ellen Garber, Robert Garber, Lois Garber, Allen Rissor.

The club has an active program for this year.