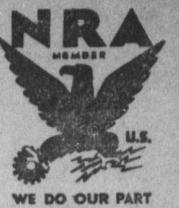




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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

Every Dollar Spent for Unsatisfactory Merchandise Is a Dollar Added to Your Costs. Read Our Ads. and be Guided by Them

WHEN THE COLUMBIA BRIDGE WAS BURNED

The War Between The States Reached The Banks of the Susquehanna River

As two generations and more have passed since the battle of Gettysburg and as many people around here hardly realize how nearly the Civil War reached Mt. Joy, a few lines penned by some one who lived here at the time may not be amiss, especially as not many are left who recollect things that happened then.

By M. M. Leib

In July 1863 I was a very small Mount Joy boy, but I was old enough to attend school in the fall following. The confederate General Robert E. Lee was then threatening York, Harrisburg, Lancaster and Philadelphia and had reached Pennsylvania soil. There was great agitation in this region then and there was talk at our house about our neighbors hiding things so that if the rebels invaded our neighborhood these things would not be found. There was a story going around about a farmer near Drytown burying gold in a field and then plowing over it. Horses and cattle were being taken to the Conewago hills where they were to be kept for the time being. It had been an old custom of the

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MRS. CHAS. ASHENFELTER HOSTESS TO KING'S DAUGHTERS

The King's Daughters' class met at the home of Mrs. Charles Ashenfelter, on Thursday evening. Important business was discussed and a very enjoyable evening was spent during which the hostess served refreshments to: Catherine Hilt, Maude Lawton, Sallie Flowers, Elsie Hofer, Evelyn Baker, and Mrs. W. I. Beahn

Kicked by a Pig
Mules and bootleg liquor are not the only things with a real kick. Frank C. Humbert, of Lampeter, was kicked so hard by a pig that he was treated at the Lancaster General Hospital.

News In General For Busy Folks

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

The large barn on the Michael Ober farm, Litzitz R3, was destroyed by fire.

The body of an unknown man was found in Conestoga River at Lancaster.

Spring begins next Wednesday—provided Old Man Winter gets out of the way.

Elmer Gockley, Reinholds farmer, was fined for violating the state milk control laws.

\$5,700,000 worth of liquor was sold in Pennsylvania during the first two months of this year.

More snow has fallen during the 1933-34 winter than in any year for the past nine.

The Amos Bortzfeld household sale on Saturday afternoon, was exceptionally well attended.

A number of chickens were stolen from the farm of Amos Musser, at Oyster Point Monday night.

The Dorcas Society will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Alvin Bigler, on West Main St.

Business is so slow in the state's 240 chain liquor stores that about 100 employees will be laid off Mar. 15.

Carrie Eisenberger, Columbia R. D. 1, paid the costs for blackening Mrs. Almada Kahne's eye and bruising her body.

Our old friend and former townsmen, Howard G. Smoker, at Columbia, celebrated his 65th birthday on Monday.

There were 50 people killed in Lancaster County by automobiles in 1933. Fifteen of those met death the first nine weeks of the year.

David Miller, an umbrella handle manufacturer at Lancaster, was arrested for not complying with the state regulations when rebuilding his plant.

Frank Brown, 34, of Columbia, made two unsuccessful attempts at suicide on Monday. First he tried drinking kerosene and then made an attempt to hang himself with a piece of wire.

No Boro Tax
Residents of Middletown will not pay any borough taxes for the second successive year because the income from the municipal light plant pays the bills.

AUTO CLUB ANNUAL MEETING IN LANCASTER ON MARCH 16

Activities of the past year will be reviewed, officers and directors elected and general business transacted at the annual meeting of the Lancaster Automobile Club to be held in the ball room of the Stevens House, Lancaster, Friday evening, March 16 at 8 o'clock. Music entertainment also will be a feature of the evening's program.

The Automobile Club this year celebrates its 30th anniversary, having been founded in 1904. When organized the Club had twelve members; today the membership is 12,500 and steadily increasing. During 1933 the Club stood first among the 81 American Automobile Association clubs in Pennsylvania and eighth among the 1,000 A. A. units throughout the United States.

The public is cordially invited to attend the annual meeting. Admission is free, without card or ticket.

B. & L. WILL OPEN A NEW SERIES APRIL FIRST

At the regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Mount Joy Building and Loan Association last Wednesday evening, it was decided to open a new series—the thirteenth on April first.

Secretary E. M. Bomberger reported the receipts for February were \$1,670.47, the second highest in the history of the Association.

A number of new loans were considered and other minor business transacted.

Those present were Messrs. Christ Walters, Henry H. Eby, Jac. N. Hershey, R. Fellenbaum, Grant Gerberich, J. Willis Freed, Henry G. Carpenter and Jno. E. Schroll.

An Interesting Program

The Loyal Sons' class gave a lecture and included 72 slides on the Passion of Christ on Saturday evening in the U. B. church basement.

Prayer was offered by Rev. O. L. Mease, who also gave a few remarks in the interest of the gathering. The Male Quartet of the church rendered three selections. Mr. Merle Hofer interpreted the slides very clearly.

Death Accidental

The death of Miss Annie Bear, 67, Manheim, who was fatally injured in an automobile crash on the Harrisburg pike, a mile east of Elizabethtown on Sunday afternoon resulted from an unavoidable accident, Dr. J. D. Hershey, county coroner, of Manheim, announced after completing an investigation.

Will Hold a Musical

The King's Daughters' class of the U. B. Sunday School will hold a musical in the U. B. church auditorium on Sunday afternoon, April 8. Save this date and look in the following issues of this paper for more detailed announcements. Everyone is invited to attend.

Farm Society No. 2 Met

The Farm Society No. 2 held their meeting on Saturday afternoon at Mount Vernon school, north of Manheim. Dr. Thomas E. Winecoff, Harrisburg, gave a lecture and showed slides of birds and animals of Pennsylvania. It was very interesting and well attended.

Longenecker-Hostetter

Miss Frances Mildred Hostetter, a daughter of Mrs. Monroe H. Hostetter, of Manheim; and Linn Longenecker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ammon Longenecker, of near Manheim, were married Saturday morning by Bishop Henry Lutz at his residence west of town.

Flittings In Our Neighborhood

MANY FOLKS THROUGHOUT THE BORO AND COMMUNITY ARE CHANGING THEIR PLACES OF ABODE AT PRESENT

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Goodling will start housekeeping on Manheim St., in the one side of a double house owned by Mrs. Adda Wolgemuth. Mr. Sam Hershey is the present tenant.

Mr. Chas. Shenk will move from the Forry farm to the Isaac Ginder farm, south of town.

Mr. Wm. Kanode moved his family from the Ginder farm to Juniata County.

Mr. Christ Sherk will move from the Darrenkamp property on East Main St. to the Grey Iron property on East Donegal Street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mumper moved from the home of her father, Mr. Jos Weber, on West Donegal St., to the LaPierre House, on W. Main St.

25 Cents a Ton Less

The Public Service Commission has announced a reduction of 25 cents a ton on the freight rate on bituminous coal in the Lancaster area. This will be effective in Mount Joy.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY RE-ELECTED ALL OFFICERS

The Women's Missionary Society met at the home of Miss Ruth Brubaker, on Tuesday evening. An election of officers was included in the program, which resulted with the old officers being reelected: President, Mrs. H. N. Nissly. V. Pres., Mrs. O. L. Mease. Secretary, Mrs. Jno. Shank. Treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Bentzel. Secretary of Literature, Mrs. Walter Greiner. Secretary of Stewardship, Mrs. B. F. Greenwalt. Secretary of Thank Offering, Mrs. Edna Witmer. Collectors, Mrs. Clara Harnish, Mrs. Warren Bentzel and Miss Sue Brandt.

Nine Pastors Are Changed

REV. HAROLD C. KOCH, PASTOR OF THE ROSS STREET CHURCH, IS TRANSFERRED TO MT. JOY REPLACING REV. W. R. PETRE

Changes in appointments of Methodist ministers were made at the Philadelphia Conference include one in the city and eight in the county and nearby districts.

Rev. Harold C. Koch, pastor of Ross Street church was transferred to the Mount Joy church taking the place of Rev. W. Ridgeway Petre, who goes to Hopewell and Hibernia charge.

Rev. William Pahl was appointed to Clearfield and Marticville charge in place of Rev. J. A. Farmer, Rev. J. L. Carr comes to Honey Brook, replacing Rev. H. H. Truax who goes to Girardville.

Millersville church will be in charge of Rev. Herbert McKain who succeeds Rev. P. L. Carpenter.

Rev. K. M. Alexander goes to Parkersburg church and Rev. W. F. Carpenter to Salunga church.

Rev. H. N. Reeves, Jr., has been assigned to Cochranville church and Rev. James Cunningham goes from Columbia First church to Tabernacle church, Philadelphia. Rev. W. S. Dawson will take the Columbia charge.

League Met at Salunga

The Ushers' League met on Thursday evening at the home of Frank Musser, at Salunga. The usual business meeting was a part of the evening's program. Delicious refreshments were served to 28 men present. Rev. Mr. Reed, of Litzitz, addressed the meeting.

Concert By Senior Choir

TALENT FROM FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, AT LANCASTER, WILL APPEAR HERE NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 18

Music lovers will be given a treat in the Methodist church here Sunday when the Senior Choir of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, of Lancaster, will render a concert.

It will be given under the direction of Donald F. Nixdorf, organist and Mrs. Harold Warfel, violinist.

The complete program follows: Choir, a "Lead, Kindly Light," "Dudley Buck"; "O Day of Penitence," Gounod; c, "For Ah, The Master Is So Fair," Thompson; d, "Send Forth Thy Spirit," Scheutky.

Organ, a, "Canzonetta," Sykes; b, "Caprice," Lemaigre; c, "Toccata," Nevin.

Choir, a, "Listen To The Lambs," Dett; b, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," Fisher.

Violin, a, "Gavotte Modern in D," Seven; b, "Gavotte," Mozart.

Choir, a, "I Will Lay Me Down in Peace," Noble; b, "Hymn To The Trinity," Tschalkowsky; c, "Beautiful Saviour," Christiansen.

THE INSPECTION PERIOD FOR CARS NEARS END

More than 70 per cent of the registered automobiles in Lancaster Co. have not yet been inspected, although there remain but 21 days before the end of the three-month inspection period. State Highway Patrolmen announced. They warned that all the owners who attempt to operate cars not bearing the new stickers after March 31 will be subject to prosecution.

S. S. Board Meets Tonight

The Sunday School Board of the U. B. Sunday School will hold their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday evening, following the regular midweek prayer service.

Held in Theft of Brass

Earl Rapp, of Chickies, was arrested for felonious entry and larceny. He is charged with stealing brass valued at \$420 at the Lavino Furnace. He is out on bail.

Busy Bees Will Buzz

The Busy Bee Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Dorothy and Pauline Edwards, on Saturday afternoon, at their home on N. Barbara St.

20th Annual Meeting on March 20-21

THE EASTERN MENNONITE BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHARITIES WILL HOLD SESSIONS IN THE MT. JOY MENNONITE CHURCH

The twentieth annual meeting of the Eastern Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities will be held in the Mennonite church here Tuesday and Wednesday, March 20 and 21.

The complete program for the two sessions is appended:

TUESDAY 9:30 A. M. Devotional. Twenty-seventh Quarterly Joint Meeting of the Bishop and Mission Boards. 1:00 P. M. Devotional. Reading of the Minutes. Roll Call. President's Report. Treasurer's Report. Secretary's Report. Auditors' Report. Address—Missionary Problems in India, Lloyd Kniss, Dharmari, India. Adjournment for Mission Workers Meeting. 7:00 P. M. Devotional. Prayer and Praise Service. (Turn to page five)

MR. PERIS WILL REVIVE THE PERIS MANUFACTURING CO.

Mr. A. Peris, who started and for a number of years successfully conducted the Peris Manufacturing Co. at Florin, has returned and will again embark in business.

He has leased the building and machinery from the present owner, Mr. Jac. N. Hershey, and is now getting things in readiness to again manufacture his widely known salted peanuts in the shell.

Mr. Peris has been living at Pen Yan and Rochester, N. Y., and as soon as his business gets going his family will return to Florin.

We wish him unbounded success.

CHEVROLET SEDAN RAN INTO TELEPHONE POLE

On Monday at noon a motorist met with a mishap on the straight-away on the concrete road east of Rheems. Fortunately no one was injured.

A Chevrolet sedan with license No. 2609, was going east when the right rear tire blew out. The driver was unable to steer the car and it crashed into a pole.

The pole was broken, bumper on mashed and the frame bent. The car was taken to Ulrich's garage, at Elizabethtown, for repairs.

About the Afflicted

Mrs. B. W. Brown, on East Main St., is recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. Earl Barnhart, of Elizabethtown, an well known locally, is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Eli Metzler, mother of Mr. Martin Metzler, of near Erisman's church, suffered a stroke last week.

Salt and Sell Peanuts

The Needle Guild of the Trinity Lutheran church met Tuesday evening. The ladies salt peanuts for which they have a great demand. Mrs. Jay Nissly, president, of Florin and Mrs. Paul Getz, v. president, of town, will receive all orders.

Revival Started Sunday

A revival meeting opened at Mt. Pleasant church, on Sunday, March 11th. Rev. Harry Brubaker is conducting the services which will be continued for two weeks.

Local Doings Around Florin

NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST AS IT OCCURRED IN THAT BUSY VILLAGE WEST OF HERE

Mr. S. S. Stacks is ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. William Myers spent Sunday at Silver Spring.

Mrs. John Williams was a Saturday visitor to Lancaster.

Rev. J. C. Deitzler, of Pottstown, visited friends here on Saturday.

Miss Miriam Guhl celebrated her birthday on Saturday, March 10.

Mrs. Cora Stoll is visiting with her daughter, Helen and family at Glenolden.

A LOCAL MANUFACTURER PASSES 71st BIRTHDAY

Benjamin W. Brown, manufacturer bank director, and church worker, passed the seventy-first milestone of his busy career. Mr. Brown is still quite active, assuming his usual duties about the cotton and woolen mill of George Brown Sons, almost daily.

A birthday dinner was tendered on Sunday in his honor. The table centerpiece was a birthday cake with the numerals 71, thereon.

Turkey dinner was served to: Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown and two children, Joann and Benjamin William, 2nd; Miss Esther Henry, of town; Mrs. Harry G. Frank, of New York City; and Mr. Henry Frank, of Williamson Trade School.

School Bus Driver Held

GEORGE W. RUTHERFORD, OF BAINBRIDGE, ACCUSED OF OVERCROWDING MACHINE—GETS A HEARING AT ELIZABETHTOWN

George W. Rutherford of Bainbridge, accused of crowding 41 school children into a bus which has a seating capacity of 26, was arrested Thursday morning by Highway Patrolman John Aumon, of the local sub-station, on a charge of operating an overloaded passenger bus.

Rutherford is under contract to carry school pupils from Bainbridge to the Patton Trade School, Elizabethtown. The children are pupils of the Conoy township school, which was destroyed by fire two months ago, and are studying at the Elizabethtown school temporarily.

Rutherford will be summoned for a hearing before Justice of the Peace Elwood Grimm, of Elizabethtown.

He was the third defendant arrested as the result of local highway patrolmen checking on school buses. On February 5 Mervin and Jennings Arnold, of Marietta, were arrested on charges of carrying dealer's license plates on buses they were using to convey children to the Maytown school. Each paid a fine of \$10 and costs before Justice of the Peace Miller, of Marietta.

Mrs. Kuhn Entertained

On Monday evening the executive committee of the American Legion Auxiliary were entertained on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. J. Stalter Kuhn, on Donegal Springs Road.

20 P. C. of the Crop Is Sold

LANCASTER COUNTY TOBACCO GROWERS REPORT ON SALES AT MONTHLY MEETING AT LANCASTER MONDAY AFTERNOON

Ninety-seven new members were reported at the monthly meeting of the Lancaster County Tobacco Growers' Association held Monday afternoon, making a total of 429. A number of volunteer solicitors have yet to report.

S. S. Bard, president, declared the association should be much larger to "buck the three big buyers who decide on what price, however low, they will pay us for our tobacco."

A warning was issued to farmers not to pay the fifty-cent membership dues to anyone who did not produce the proper credentials.

20 P. C. of Crop Sold

Based on reports from the members, it was estimated that less than 20 per cent (turn to page 5)

MOUNT JOY AUXILIARY GOES OVER THE TOP

The Tri County Council held a meeting on Tuesday afternoon and evening at Quarryville.

There were eight ladies present from the local Auxiliary who report a very interesting meeting.

The speakers at the Council were very good, Mrs. Irma Beadle, attending.

The local unit is very proud to report they have gone over the top in membership, 105 percent or 54 paid up members.

Congratulations, Mt. Joy Auxiliary!

Harry Daft Convicted

Harry Daft, well known thruout this section, was found guilty of arson on three counts by a jury yesterday. The charge was a connection with destroying a tobacco warehouse by fire.

Spoke to High Pupils

Friday afternoon Dr. Hanson, the president of the Gettysburg college, spoke to the pupils of Mt. Joy High school in the High School auditorium.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Greider, Mount Joy, announce the birth of a son at 7:05 a. m., Saturday at St. Joseph's hospital.

MANY OLD SPELLERS ARE "BRUSHING UP"

CORN AND HOG REDUCTION PROGRAM TO BE OUTLINED

Corn and hog producers in Lancaster County who are interested in joining the government corn and hog reduction program are invited to attend a meeting at the Lancaster Post Office Building to be held in room 214 on Friday afternoon, Mar. 16, at 1:30 P. M.

The purpose of this meeting will be to explain the Hog-Corn reduction program and to inform producers generally of the benefit payments that are to be made. Another purpose of this meeting will be to survey the interest that there is among producers in Lancaster County and to make such arrangements that might be necessary for further education meetings out in the county.

In the general set-up of this program cooperating hog raisers will be requested to reduce the pig population 25 per cent below the average of 1932 and 1933 and on the corn part of the program producers will be asked to reduce their corn acreage by a minimum of 20 percent or a maximum of 30 percent.

MR. AND MRS. LESTER HENCH SERVE SAUER KRAUT SUPPER

A sauer kraut supper was served to a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hench, on Friday evening. These guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Christ Metzler, Mr. and Mrs. George Weibly and children, Garland, Beatrice, Louise; Mrs. Russell Bretz, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bishop and children, Russell Jr., and Dorothy; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gantz and children, Dorothy and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Miles Robinson and children, Dean, James, Betty and Florence; Mr. and Mrs. Merle Gutshall and children, Grace Marie, Merle and James; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gutshall and daughter, Lindell; Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Gutshall and children, Betty and Fey; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gutshall and children, Irene and Bobby; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hench and children, Dale, Carrie Jane, Harry and Alvus.

A MISSION STUDY CLASS NEXT TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The Women's Missionary Society of the Trinity Lutheran church will conduct a mission study class next Tuesday afternoon and evening at the Lutheran parsonage. The book, How Far To The Nearest Doctor will be studied. The ten chapters of the book will be reviewed by Mrs. Lester Roberts, Mrs. Jos. T. M. Breneman, Mrs. Caryl Stauffer, Mrs. C. Erdleman, Mrs. Geo. Brown, Mrs. Harold Brown, Mrs. Jno. Tryon, Mrs. Jay Eicherly, Mrs. Geo. A. Kercher, Mrs. Geo. B. Siller.

All members of the congregation are invited to attend.

Result of a Fall

Mrs. Phillip Greiner, on New Haven St., is suffering with a badly sprained knee, resulting from a fall on Sunday.

Letters Granted

Union National Bank, Mount Joy, executor of Harry S. Stoll, late of Mt. Joy township.

Passed to The Great Beyond

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

Jacob H. Lutz, 86, died at Columbia. Wm. A. Smith, 24, died at Columbia.

Charles M. McCormey, 59, died at Columbia. A Wesley Miller, 76, of East Petersburg, died Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna M. Richards, 79, widow of Orrick Richards, died at Columbia. Mrs. Mary S. Stehman, 80, died at Manheim Friday.

Miss Annie Baer, 67, of Manheim, died of injuries sustained in an auto accident.

Amanda S., 83, widow of Samuel Lee Enswiler, died at Columbia. She resided at Marietta for many years.

Mrs. Elizabeth Warren

Mrs. Elizabeth Warren, eighty-five, formerly of Elizabethtown, died on Sunday morning in the United Zion Home, at Litzitz, of old age. She has (Turn to page 5)

ANNUAL SPRING RALLY WAS HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The annual Spring Attendance Rally of Kinderhook E. C. Church was held on Sunday afternoon.

A 25-piece orchestra of Grace E. C. Church, Lancaster, furnished the music. In the evening the orchestra gave a concert.

The following was the afternoon program: Selection, Grace E. C. orchestra; song by school; prayer; selection by orchestra; accordion selection, Billy Keiser, Columbia; reading of lesson, Mrs. Ruth Schlegelmilch; roll call; quartet from Central Manor; remarks, Carl Shell; accordion selection, Billy Keiser.

ENTERTAINS THE CHEERFUL GIVERS' CLASS RECENTLY

Miss Florence Heisey entertained her Sunday School class, the Cheerful Givers, at her home recently. After the regular business meeting the class was served with delectable refreshments by the hostess. The members are: Helen Derr, Jane Habecker, Ruth Hertzler, Anna Mary Hoffmaster, Winifred Latchford, Elizabeth Metzler, June Peifer, Dolores Pennell, Florence Schneider, Gladys Zerphy. Also Mr. and Mrs. John Heisey, Mrs. Benjamin Hawthorne and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown. Also one visitor, Izella Brown.