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MOUNT JOY, PA., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1st, 1938

\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

**Prompt Payment
Of Wheat Ins.
Premiums Urged**

Lancaster County farmers who have applied for wheat insurance policies are urged by John S. Shenk, county wheat insurance supervisor, to pay their premiums as soon as possible after receiving premium notices.

In doing this the farmers will be best serving their own interests, it was pointed out, for the policy goes into effect only after the premium has been paid and the crop seeded. The policies are effective at noon on the day they are countersigned in the branch office at Washington, D. C. Thus, promptness will insure the farmer immediate protection against all natural hazards.

Premium notices are mailed direct to the farmer and the premiums then may be paid at the County Agricultural Conservation office. In this county it is located at 222 P. O. Building, Lancaster, Pa.

**GUIDE HELD THANKSGIVING
BREAKFAST AND OFFERING**

The Otterbein Guild of the U. B. Church, held a Thanksgiving breakfast and Thank offering service in the Church basement, on Thursday morning at eight o'clock.

Those attending were, Miss Eunice Herr, Anna Mae Eby, Elizabeth Eby, Maude Schneider, Alice Marie Nissly, Wanda Alexander, Hilda Engle, Catherine Weidman, Miriam Shank, Helen Young, Mabel Jane Engle, Vera Eby, Betsy Bigler, Bonnie Bigler, Ella Mae Zink, Doris Zink, Barbara Rank, Irene Kuhn, Romaine Brown Mildred Barrack, Helen Booth, Patsy Keppel, Pauline Edwards, Virginia Greenawalt, Mrs. Henry Brandt and Mrs. Ezra Ranck.

This Section's Numerous Weddings

**POPULAR AND WELL KNOWN
FOLKS ARE JOINED IN THE
HOLY BONDS OF WEDLOCK
"FOR BETTER OR WORSE"**

Miller-Fritz
Rev. C. B. Segelken, pastor of the Presbyterian church, here married Miss Priscilla Miller and Irving Fritz, both of Columbia. The ceremony was performed at the parsonage.

Brandt-Brubaker
Mrs. Clarence Grissinger, of town announce the marriage of her sister, Miss Ruth B. Brubaker, of this town, to Henry B. Brandt, of Manheim, which took place October 29, in the Memorial United Brethren church, Baltimore, Md. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Paul Emmert.

After their return from a trip to Florida on December 15 they will reside at Manheim.

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THANKSGIVING DINNER
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rohrer, of Rapho, entertained at dinner on Thanksgiving Day their family.

They were Mrs. Richard Zug and son Richard, Rapho; Mr. and Mrs. Ironing Moore and son Donald, New Holland; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Mentzer, New Holland; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brubaker and son Robert Landisville; Mrs. Roy Gumo and Emerson Rohrer, Jr., State College, Helen Rohrer, Lancaster; Messrs. Harry and Emmerson Rohrer, Rapho.

CHILD FRACTURES SKULL
Theresa Pennell, five, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin J. Penwell, of Lancaster, formerly of town, fell down a flight of steps and fractured her skull.

FOOD AND NOVELTY SALE
The Needle Guild of a Trinity Lutheran Church will hold a Food and Novelty sale on Saturday, December 3rd, in the store room in the Joy Theatre Building.

FRANK & BRO. SALE
C. S. Frank & Bro. will hold public sale of Potter and Cumberland cows, at their place of business on Friday, December 2nd.

Two York County youths who are serving terms at Huntingdon confessed to shooting John M. Kreider, Neffsville produce dealer Oct. 20.

Mrs. Amos Herr Surprised On Her Birthday

Mrs. Amos Herr, of Donegal was greatly surprised at her home on Wednesday evening when a number of friends gathered in honor of her birthday.

Everyone greatly enjoyed the evening and Mrs. Herr was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Funk, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Starr, of Neffsville; Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Herr and son, Paul, of Bareville; Mrs. Minnie Herr, of Eden; Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Brubaker, of Mount Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Erb, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Herr and daughter, Elva, of Maytown, Henry Dupler, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Herr and children, Shirley, Vivian, Jean, Joyce and Norma, of Marietta; Mrs. Lizzie Heisey and daughter, Irene, and Mrs. Emma Kauffman, of Landisville; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Weaver and children, Vernon and Gladys, and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Herr.

The Highway Approach To Be Widened

**COUNTY AND STATE MUTUALLY
AGREE TO PUT A RETAINING
WALL AT TURN TO R. R.
BRIDGE AT SALUNGA**

The approach to the State Legislative Route 36155, near Salunga, linking the Harrisburg and Manheim pikes, is to be widened, a new concrete retaining wall will be erected there, and the turn to the bridge crossing the Pennsylvania Railroad company tracks on the same highway is to be widened because of the increased traffic over the route, it was decided Monday.

The agreement to widen the two points was made after a conference between representatives of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, State Highway Department Engineers, County Engineer Haslet W. Crawford and County Solicitor Daniel B. Strickler.

It was pointed out that when the Harrisburg pike was relocated it left the approach to the State Legislative route inadequate for large trucks. The minimum widths for both sections will be forty feet, it was explained. In order to widen the approach, it will be necessary to fill in considerably and erect a retaining wall.

Hearings will be held before the Public Utility Commission on the matter before construction work starts, it was announced.

HUNTED IN VIRGINIA

Messrs. Jno. W. Eshleman Jr., of Lancaster and Jno. E. Schroll of town, have returned from a successful hunting trip to southern Virginia where they bagged a number of quail and rabbits. They were the guests of Messrs. T. Webster and Jno. Musser, the latter being a nephew of Mr. Eshleman.

Affairs At Florin For The Week

Mr. Cyrus Wittle is at the Lancaster General Hospital.

Mr. Leroy Walters spent the weekend at Philadelphia.

Mr. A. G. Walters made a business trip to Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogel spent Thanksgiving at Columbia.

Charles Gebhart celebrated his birthday on Tuesday, Nov. 29th.

Miss Lois Ebersole will celebrate her birthday on Friday, Dec. 25th.

Mrs. Ella Wachstetter spent Thanksgiving at Lancaster with Mabel Sprout.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Raffensberger and daughter spent Monday in Perry County.

Mr. George Vogel and son Charles and Eugene Garber are hunting in Cumberland County.

Miss Lizzie Herr and Miss Anna Faus spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. John Forry near Sharps Corner.

Miss Stella Washstetter and Mr. Harry Herr spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wiley

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Icy Highways Cause Numerous Accidents

Man and Woman Injured

Two persons were injured when two automobiles collided head-on on the Harrisburg pike, three miles east of Mount Joy at 1:30 p. m. Saturday, State Motor Police reported.

Those injured are: Mrs. Lizzie Gerlach, sixty-six, Elizabethtown, admitted to St. Joseph's hospital for observation; and her husband, Tobias, treated at the same institution for a slight abrasion of the forehead.

The injured according to police, were riding in a car operated by Hiram K. Garman, forty-five, Elizabethtown college, who was driving east. The other car was being driven westward by James T. Lee, forty-seven, Ogden, Pa. Police said the icy condition of the road caused German's car to skid and crash into the Lee machine. State

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**TURKEYS, DUCKS & GEESE
PRIZES FOR CARD PARTY**

Next Monday evening, December 5th, the Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion Post will hold their card party in the Legion Home.

500, Pinochle and Bridge will be played, and the prizes will consist of Turkeys, Ducks and Geese. A Turkey will also be given for the Door Prize.

The hostesses for the party are Mrs. Roy B. Sheetz and Mrs. Clarence Newcomer.

Party will begin promptly at eight o'clock. Be on time.

Local Affairs In General Briefly Told

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

The small game season closed in this state Saturday.

Miss Sarah Stehman, 91, of Ephrata, fell and fractured her arm.

Thieves broke into the express office at Columbia and stole \$2.

The Malleable Castings Co. at Columbia, put 125 men to work this week.

A small gas filled balloon released at Columbia, was found in New Lisbon, N. J.

128 couples were granted marriage licenses at Lancaster the first three weeks of this month.

Mr. G. K. Wagner, manager of the Community Sales at Beverly will enjoy a trip to Texas.

William B. Bishop is serving his forty-sixth year as a member of the Strasburg township school board.

Two of the bandits who robbed the Mountville bank have applied for commutation of their prison sentences.

The thermometer registered 7 degrees below zero at several places thruout the county on Friday night.

It cost M. H. Ines, of Doyles Mills, Juniata Co., \$10 and costs for beating a calf at the Union Stock yards, Lancaster.

GO TO THE FREE MOVIE

A free movie of comedy and a natural color talkie, showing how Pioneer Hybrid Seed Corn, is bred, detasseled and processed, will be shown in the Mt. Joy High School Building on Tuesday evening, Dec. 6th at 8 P. M.

Read the ad on another page.

SCHOOL HOUSE BURNED

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with response by Miss Verna Stau-

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Eleventh Annual Reunion Of The Pleasant Place School

The Eleventh annual reunion of pupils, patrons and teachers of Pleasant Place School, in Rapho township, will be held on Friday evening, December 2nd, at 7:30 o'clock.

Special singing will be directed by Mrs. Roy Martin; Devotional period, Rev. Henry Ginder; Recitation of Welcome: Stanley Sowers with response by Miss Verna Stau-

**TWO LOCAL WORKERS FILE
COMPENSATION CLAIMS**

Ross Shire, twenty-three, this place R. D. 1, has filed a claim against George Brown Sons for compensation as the result of an alleged rupture he claims he suffered while working in the mule room at the plant. The accident occurred July 14, 1933, the claim states.

James Hilt, of Florin, who filed a claim against Jacob Loraw, Florin, asks compensation but the defendant has requested that Referee Young fix a stated wage. Loraw admits liability. Hilt states that while moving a ladder, he injured his back on May 6, 1938.

A Prominent Citizen Died Early Monday

Benjamin William Brown, of this place, president and chairman of the Board of Directors of George Brown's Sons, Inc., textile manufacturers, died at his home at 2:30 o'clock Monday morning. Death followed a prolonged illness. He was seventy-five years old.

Mr. Brown was the last of seven brothers who, with their father the late George Brown, came here in 1883 and founded the industry which bears the family name.

Born in Philadelphia of English parentage, he attended the Fernwood and Clifton Heights schools until he was twelve years old. At that age he left school and entered the textile industry to be trained by his father.

Following the death of the father the seven sons continued to carry on the business and traditions of the family. One brother, the late Thomas J. Brown, became one of Lancaster county's representatives

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**W. R. MARTINS CELEBRATE
FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Martin, of Sporting Hill, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Monday. They have lived at Sporting Hill, near Manheim, for the past 25 years.

Mr. Martin, a native of Wilson, N. C., moved to York in June, 1886, and two years later married Miss Ellen E. Freed. The first three years of their married life was spent in Suffolk, Va. Four years were spent in Philadelphia, Pa., and Camden, N. J. Seventeen years also were spent in York, Pa.

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MR. AND MRS. WM. H. STRICKLER
Who will have Open House on Sunday, December 4th, from 2 to 6 P. M. in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

**MRS. H. G. WALTERS HOSTESS
TO LADIES' BIBLE CLASS**

The Ladies Bible Class of the Evangelical Congregational Church held their Thanksgiving meeting at the home of Mrs. H. G. Walters on Marietta street last Tuesday evening. Prize winners in the games were Mrs. Hoffer, Mrs. Bates and Mrs. Walters. The hostesses served refreshments to the following: Mrs. Alex Kramer, Miss Ella Eshleman, Mrs. Harry Kaylor, Mrs. Boyd Bishop, Mrs. George Myers, Mrs. Chas. Morton, Mrs. Katie Wertman, Mrs. Warren Bates, Mrs. Fred Leiberher, Mrs. Harvey Greenawalt, Mrs. Ammon Hoffer, Mrs. Earl Kaylor, Mrs. C. S. Gingrich, Mrs. Harry Weidman, Mrs. Frank Haug, Mae Weidman, Mrs. H. B. Arntz and Mrs. H. G. Walters.

3,000 INOCULATED

Over 3,000 children were inoculated the first week of the drive to prevent the spread of diphtheria in Lancaster county.

The Strickler's Will Hold Open House

One of this section's best known couple, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Strickler, south of town, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Sunday, Dec. 4th.

A family dinner will be held in their honor on Saturday, December 3rd, at the Buchanan Tea Room at Lancaster. A most novel place card, and one that will be greatly cherished by the children, will have a picture of the long wedded couple thereon.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickler were married on Tuesday, December 4, 1888, by the late Rev. Lowery. The wedding was held at the home of the bride in East Donegal in the presence of the immediate families. They were attended by Mr. Elmer Strickler

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HIPPEY CASE HEARD AGAIN

Mrs. Minnie Rippey, Marietta, widow of Allen C. Hippey, will have her case heard again before Referee Young. She claims that her husband died as a result of undulant fever, caused by a gash inflicted in his chest from a knife he was carrying while working as a butcher for Frank Ziegler, Marietta. The case was heard several times. Mr. Hippey was injured on October 10, 1936 and died March 24, 1937, the papers in the claim state.

DEEDS RECORDED

Almeda E. Wolgemuth and Eli M. Wolgemuth, her husband, to A. M. Wolgemuth, premises in East Donegal township.

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First National Bank and Trust company of Mount Joy, administrator of the estate of Charles E. Thomas, to Daniel W. Peiffer and wife, premises on East Donegal street, Mount Joy, for \$1,060.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shearer entertained a number of friends at their home on Sunday. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Brubaker, Mr. and Mrs. John Shearer of Mt. Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Abram Brubaker, of Manheim; Mr. and Mrs. John Brubaker, of Florin; Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Shearer, Miss Mary Shearer, Anna Mae, Harold, Jay Allen, Elsie Marie, David Eugene and Richard Shearer and Miss Esther Ober, of Mt. Joy.

PROPERTY WITHDRAWN

The tract of land with a two and one-half story frame dwelling, with frame barn, poultry house etc., the former Abram A. Koser property, was withdrawn at public sale on Saturday by the First National Bank & Trust Co., at \$2,550.00.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shank wish to announce the birth of a son, Leo Laverne on November 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Barninger, Jr., 60 W. Main st., announce the birth of a daughter at their home on Monday morning.

Mortuary Record For Past Week

**MANY OF OUR BEST KNOWN
PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO
THAT GREAT BEYOND WITH-
IN THE PAST WEEK**

Mrs. Alice V. Walker, 62, died at Columbia.

Fred A. Gerfin, 29, of Locust Grove, Columbia R. 2, died at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. Mollie Elizabeth Eby, 68, wife of Samuel R. Eby, died at the Oreville Mennonite Home.

Paul Zielinski, Columbia barber died at his home. Mrs. Joseph Keener of Maytown is a daughter.

MRS. JAMES W. HAIGH
Mrs. Gertie Haigh, 53 wife of (Turn to page 3)

MAILED CHECKS DEC. 1

The First National Bank and Trust Company, of town, mailed the checks to members of the Christmas Saving Fund Club today, December 1st.

The new club for 1939 has started and payments are now due.

TRIPLET CALVES BORN

Clarence Kipp, along the river road just west of Marietta, owns a Holstein cow which last Friday night gave birth to triplet calves. The three calves are all living this week. They average around 60 pounds apiece.

GETS P. O. CONTRACT

Algernon Blair, of Montgomery, Alabama was awarded the contract to erect the new post office building at Elizabethtown at his low bid of \$53,619.00.

QUITE AN ARCHER

Clyde Tripple, 17, of Lancaster, shot a rabbit with a bow and arrow. He claims he killed it at a distance of about sixty feet.

DRIVERS LICENSE SUSPENDED

Mr. Earl Newcomer, of Salunga, had his drivers license suspended.

**MR. JAY SHERK WAS HOST
TO LOYAL SONS CLASS**

The Loyal Sons class of the United Brethren Church here, held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. Jay Sherk.

A report was made of the Booth, during Community Exhibit, various pledges toward the building fund, and Missionary aid was paid.

Rev. Ranck of the U. B. Church was the guest speaker.

Those present were: Warren Bentzel, Maris Gainer, Alvin Bigler, Cloy Hoffer, Victor Engle, James Scheaffer, Clint Eby; Norman Sprecher, John Brubaker, one visitor, Abram Stauffer.

**18TH ANNIVERSARY OF DOU-
BLE WEDDING CELEBRATION**

Mr. and Mrs. Maris Gainer and family of near Newtown and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Longenecker and family of Elizabethtown R. 1, spent Thanksgiving day, at the home of Mr. Gainer's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jay S. Gainer, at Carlisle Springs, Cumberland Co.

This day was the eighteenth wedding anniversary of the Longeneckers and Gainers, who were married at a double wedding at the home of the brides' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. N. Strickler, southeast of town.

**N. L. BOWERS NAMED CASHIER
OF THE LANDISVILLE BANK**

N. L. Bowers has been appointed cashier of the First National Bank of Landisville, to succeed J. N. Summy, whose resignation takes effect Thursday, December 1.

The board of directors also appointed Mr. Summy, who is eighty years old, as cashier emeritus.

Lloyd S. Hess has been named assistant cashier, and Robert Lawrence a teller.

**MR. & MRS. HENRY GARBER
TO SPEAK IN FLORIN CHURCH**

Tonight, Thursday at seven-thirty o'clock, Rev. and Mrs. Henry Garber will be present at the Florin United Brethren Church, to display their curios and will speak of their experiences on their recent tour on the African Mission field. The public is invited.

Twelve Clubs Are Active In School Work

**SURVEY ORGANIZATION AM-
ONG THE NEW GROUPS AT
OUR LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL—
THURSDAY CLUB LARGEST**

The twelve clubs at Mount Joy High school are actively engaged in their winter programs after preliminary meetings and election of officers. Nine of the groups meet every Thursday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock and the other three meet at times convenient to the members.

Swing Club

A new group this year is the Swing club, which includes pupils who are practicing in preparation for a dance orchestra. Russell Sumpman is director and the members are Clarence Newcomer, Warren Kuhn, Robert Arntz, Lee Ellis, Robert Germer, Robert Bent-

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BINGO! BINGO!

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Friendship Company will hold their Bingo game at the Fire House on Friday evening at eight o'clock.

NAMED ASSESSOR

John B. Henry, of Rheems, was appointed assessor in his district to take the place of Amos Gish, who resigned.

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