

## Diary of Andrew J. Zercher

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Sunday, January 1

Cloudy. At Sunday school. Took charge as superintendent. May God help me to discharge my duty and live a life in accordance with Thy will, that I may be the means of leading some to a higher and nobler life. At home p.m. Blanche went up to look after body. Took Mary Bruner along for a drive. Alice Campbell here in eve. Spent a pleasant New Year. Raining nearly all day. Freezing and very slippery walking.

Monday, January 2

Cloudy. Attending funeral of Abram R. Witmer (Squire). Born 4-12-27. Died 12-29-10. Aged 83-8-17. Rev Jacob Habecker opened services at church. Rev Henry Haverstick. Text, Revelations 14-13. Rev Martin Groff. 2 Timothy 4-6. Bearers: Jacob B. Miller, Aaron B. and Jacob B. Harnish, Isaac, Isaiah and \_ Witmer. Large funeral considering weather at Letort Mennonite Church. Fine corpse. \$75.00. Hired H.W. Hess for next year at \$1.25 per day and board himself. Any kind of work. Day or night. Damp all day. Heavy rain a.m.

Tuesday, January 3

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Rec'd word in p.m. by phone of death of Elam L. Zercher at West Willow. Blanche drove over and I took trolley to Willow Street. Embalmed body and arranged for funeral Friday, 9 and 10 at Brick church, Willow Street. Raining and very damp all day. Roads very heavy.

Wednesday, January 4

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. H.W. Hess fetched goods from Safe Harbor freight and

washed hearse, etc. Blanche went over to see after body, p.m. Snowed last night. Cold all day.

Thursday, January 5

Partly clear. Ther: 14. At Lancaster all day. H.W. Hess took case to cemetery and stools to house a.m. At IOOF in eve. Cold all day.

Friday, January 6

Clear. Attending funeral of Elam L. Zercher. Born October 10, 1852. Died January 3, 1911. Aged 58-2-23. Rev H.S. Shelley spoke from St. John 11-26 and Rev \_ of U. B. Church made a few remarks. Bearers: John McAllister, John Wallick, J.R. Smith, A.G. Brenneman, Benj Fritz, Jacob K. Mellinger. 12 teams. Large funeral at brick church, Willow Street. \$85.00. A very nice corpse and family very much pleased. Very pleasant day. Moderating.

Saturday, January 7

Partly clear. At Lancaster till 1:30 p.m. At home balance of day. At AOK of MC in eve. Paul Trissler fetched stools from Zercher's, West Willow this morning. Gave 25 cents extra for same. Paid Paul Trissler \$2.00 for weeks wages for feeding, etc., for me. Very pleasant day.

Sunday, January 8

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school and preaching by Rev Shelley a.m. Drove down to see after body p.m. At home in eve. Amos Graver here a while in eve. Called out last night to take charge of the body of Mrs. Benj Gardner about 1:30 last night. Blanche and I went down and embalmed and washed body and arranged funeral for Wednesday, 9 and 10:30. B.Z. Zercher delivered his tobacco. (See in back of book). Rather stormy and getting colder. Light rain in eve.

Monday, January 9

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. Cold, raw wind all day. Stormy.

Tuesday, January 10

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. W.H. Hess took case to cemetery and stools to house, a.m. Blanche trimmed casket. Very beautiful day.

Wednesday, January 11

Partly cloudy. Attending funeral of Emeline, wife of Benj Gardner. Born December 13, 1835. Died January 7, 1911. Aged 75 years and 25 days. Rev J.L. Hunt. Text, 1 Timothy 4-8. Rev Mart Groff, 2 Cor 5-1. Bearers: John Z. Wade, John Burkhart, B.H. Montgomery, Web Eberhart. Large funeral at U. E. Church, Conestoga. Internment at Mt. Zion. \$58.00. Called by phone last night to come to Millersville to take charge of body (by her request) of Eliza Steitz. Blanche went over. Arranged funeral for Friday at 9 and 11. Pleasant day.

Thursday, January 12

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Went to Millersville early this morning to look after body and then to Lancaster. Busy today. Drove home with A.S. Benedict, merchant, this eve. Quite an excitement in the village. Benj F. Hookey took the bankrupt law. A.F. Martin's daughter, "Nora" was married today to Warren Kreider of West Willow. Light rain and damp all day. Moderating.

Friday, January 13

Cloudy. Attending funeral of Eliza Steitz, Millersville. Born August 20, 1834. Died January 11, 1911. Aged 76-4-21. Rev H.S. Shelley preached. Text, St. John 10+28 & 29. Bearers: J.R. Yentzer, A.M. Charles, Isaac S. Funk, Jacob M. Charles \$45.00. A very small funeral. Only about 2 dozen persons being at the church. Funeral at Mennonite Church,

River Corner, p.m. At home in eve. Blanche's pet dog, Brownie, died this a.m. 8 years old. Very unpleasant day. Raining nearly all day.

Saturday, January 14

Cloudy. At Lancaster till 2:30. p.m. Attended meeting of directors of Millersville bank. Were sworn in by A. Myers, notary public. Returned home at 5 p.m. At IORM in eve. Heard today that Beckie Caldwell (wife's sister) is not well at all. Lives in Millersville. Very damp and warmer all day. Light rain in eve.

Sunday, January 15

Cloudy. At Sunday school a.m. Went to Andrew Good's for dinner, wife, Blanche, Alice Campbell and I and spent part of p.m. At preaching by Rev Shelley in eve. Quite moderate. Much colder in eve. Very muddy roads. Frost out.

Monday, January 16

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. The river is very high. Took county bridge away at Pequea and done damage at Safe Harbor. Water very high. Getting much colder.

Tuesday, January 17

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very busy. Our appeals commenced today. River still very high. John K. Tenner was inaugurated Governor of Pa. Much colder and cold all day.

Wednesday, January 18

Partly clear. Ther: 12. At Lancaster all day. Busy with appeal day. Everything passed off fairly well. Had one very bad book, J. Ed Brown, Drumore. Cold, but a beautiful day.

Thursday, January 19

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy with assessment books. Everything passed off very pleasantly except E. Wd, Mt. Joy

Borough. Very bad book. At IOOF in eve. Pleasant all day.

Friday, January 20

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Everything passed off very nicely with the assessors. Was called to Highville by phone to take charge of the body of Catherine Manning. Blanche went up. Embalmed body and arranged funeral for Sunday morning. H.W. took case to cemetery and stools to house. Rather raw, damp air all day.

Saturday, January 21

Cloudy. At Lancaster till noon. Rec'd word by phone of death of infant son of Adam and Amelia Miller. Blanche took charge and arranged burial for tomorrow p.m. At IORM in eve. Damp, raw air and light showers p.m. and eve.

Sunday, January 22

Cloudy. Attending funeral of Catherine Manning. Born November 30, 1823. Died January 19, 1911. Aged 87-1-19. Rev Mart Groff. Text, 103 Psalm, 2 verse. Rev Andrews. Text, Psalm 17-3. Bearers: Titus, Abrm and Harry Manning, Wm Eshleman. \$70.00. Funeral at U. E. Church, Creswell, a.m. Buried infant child of Adam Miller at Creswell, p.m. No services. Cash, \$5.00. A very unpleasant day to be out. Snowed nearly all day.

Monday, January 23

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Bought gun that belonged to Dr. S.T. Davis. Double barrel. One for shot and the other for rifle. Paid \$9.00. Bought watch for wife. A present. Rec'd by phone to attend funeral of Jacob Lawrence, the young man that was killed on R.R. at Safe Harbor. Pleasant all day.

Tuesday, January 24

Clear. Ther: 13. At Lancaster all day. Very

busy and a hard day's work. Their first funeral. H.W. Hess and Blanche attended funeral of Jacob F. Lawrence. Born September 26, 1894. Died January 20, 1911 of the effects of R.R. accident. Fell under cars while trying to steal a ride. Aged 16-3-25. Rev Mart Groff preached. Text, Amos 4-12. Bearers: Miles Carr, Elmer Shoff, Albert Kendig, Pharis Urban. \$5.00, cash. Large funeral at U. B. Church, Highville. Henry Myers, undertaker, Columbia. Beautiful day.

Wednesday, January 25

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. Reports have it that the mercury was down below zero in places this morning. Very cold in morning, but beautiful day.

Thursday, January 26

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Very busy with appeals. Partly cloudy. Light rain in morning and warmer.

Friday, January 27

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Everything passed off o.k. with the appeals. Partly cloudy and warmer. Rain in eve.

Saturday, January 28

Clear. At Lancaster till 2:30 p.m. Attended bank meeting and home. Sold the Flinchbaugh property to Atlee Black this eve. Received cash for same and rent. Interest to date, \$208.60. Rec'd word by phone that Bro Henry Martin died at the Oreville Mennonite home. Harry and I went up and brought body here to our home out of respect for my old friend and Bro. Will hold funeral from his late home. Very bad roads. Colder.

Sunday, January 29

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school a.m. Went to Millersville p.m. to make arrangements for funeral on Wednesday at 9:30 from his late

home and 10 a.m. at the Reformed Church, here. At preaching in eve by Rev Shelley. Harry fetched casket from express office, Lancaster, this eve. Much colder. Snowed in p.m. and rain in eve.

Monday, January 30

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Not so busy. Heavy rain last night and very stormy and much colder this eve.

Tuesday, January 31

Cloudy. At Lancaster till 3:30 p.m. Came home and took body of Bro. Henry Martin out to his former home from which the funeral will be held tomorrow morning. Cold, raw air all day. Feels very much like snow.

Wednesday, February 1

Cloudy. Attending funeral of Henry Martin. Born December 5, 1827. Died January 28, 1911. Aged 83-1-23. Rev H.S. Shelley spoke from Heb 6-19 and 1 King 7-19. Bearers: A.M. Charles, Amos Fralich, H. B. Thomas, and George Kreider. Nice funeral at Reformed Church, here. I thought a great deal of Bro. Martin. \$84.00. Rec'd word by phone of the death of Benj Manning, Creswell. Blanche and H.W. went up and took charge of body and arranged funeral for Saturday morning. Cold, raw air all day. Feels like snow.

Thursday, February 2

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche went up to see after body. Damp, raw air and very muddy.

Friday, February 3

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. H.W. took case to cemetery and stools to house and fetched casket from Safe Harbor Station. Cold all day.

Saturday, February 4

Cloudy. H. W. and I attended funeral of Benj

K. Manning. Born September 13, 1820. Died February 1, 1911. Aged 90-4-19. Rev F. Andrews. Text, Matt 25-21. Rev Wm Shoemaker, an old friend of Bro. Manning, spoke in the German language. Bearers: Elmer, Aaron, Oliver and John Manning, nephews. Funeral at U. E. Church, Creswell. \$73.00. Took dinner at home. Not feeling well at all and a very unpleasant day. Heavy ice on trees and raining all of a.m. and part of p.m. Colder. Thundered real heavy last night.

Sunday, February 5

Partly clear. At home all day. Rev Shelley and Rev Hunt, the M. E. minister, here. Took dinner with us. Not feeling well at all. Caught a cold I suppose. Beautiful day but cool.

Monday, February 6

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. H.W. fetched stools from Manning's, etc., a.m. Much colder and snowing partly all day.

Tuesday, February 7

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Rec'd word early this morning by phone of the death of Benj E. Mayer near Letort. H.W. and Blanche went up and took charge of body and arranged funeral for Friday morning. S.W. Diller's birthday today. Cold in morning. Moderated during day.

Wednesday, February 8

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Very quiet about the office. Butchered two hogs (small) today. H.W. helped. Very damp. Raining part of day and very icy and sloppy. Pavements dangerous. Colder.

Thursday, February 9

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Rather busy all day. H.W. took case to cemetery and stools to house. Got horses sharpened up for tomorrow. Colder and icy.

Friday, February 10

Partly clear. Attending funeral of Benj E. Mayer. Born March 11, 1835. Died February 7, 1911. Aged 75-11-27. Rev Abrm Doerstler spoke from Matt 5-8 and Rev J.T. Herson of Lancaster made some very appropriate remarks. Bearers: Alfred Herr, Frey, Kendig. Funeral at Evangelical Church, Creswell. Large funeral. \$73.50. Snowed early this morning and icy and slippy. Much colder.

Saturday, February 11

At Lancaster a.m. At bank and came home about 4:45 and was very much surprised to hear of the very sudden and unexpected death of Danl W. Bryan. Blanche and I went and embalmed body and arranged funeral for Tuesday morning. Very pleasant day.

Sunday, February 12

Partly clear. At Douts and Sunday school a.m. At home and went over to Alfred S. Hess's in p.m. and took supper there. Went to Douts' in eve. and then to church in eve. Rev Shelley spoke. Real pleasant all day.

Monday, February 13

Partly clear. At Lancaster. H.W. took case to Salunga cemetery and Blanche and he put body in casket p.m. Held a short service at the home of Edw Douts this eve. in memory of our old friend and neighbor, Danl W. Bryan. Will start early in morning for Trolley to go to Salunga where services will be held tomorrow a.m. Damp and chilly all day.

Tuesday, February 14

Cloudy. Attending funeral of Daniel W. Bryan. Born August 16, 1850. Died February 11, 1911. Aged 60-5-15. Rev Shelley spoke and Rev J.L. Hunt spoke from Prov 14-32. Bearers: A.M. Charles, J. Eshleman, Franklin Warfel, Harry Jenkins, H.W. Hess, and Addison H. Benedict. \$70.00. Took York Furnace Trolley

at Morton's shop and chartered a car from there to Salunga. Services in M. E. Church there and buried in Dunkard cemetery of that place. Large funeral. Glad we did not drive. Commenced raining about 1 p.m. and damp and wet balance of day. Cold and damp all day. Raining part of day.

Wednesday, February 15

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. Another year has passed, this being my 54th birthday. Oh how time does fly. I have great reason to thank God for the many blessings I have enjoyed in the past and would ask that they may continue in the future and may I live a better life in the future than I have in the past. Cold, raw air all day. Light snow.

Thursday, February 16

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche along in. We drove. Raw, cold air all day.

Friday, February 17

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Colder. Roads getting heavy.

Saturday, February 18

Cloudy. At Lancaster a.m. Bank meeting p.m. At Mt. Zion Church in eve. The young folks of the village gave an entertainment. Paul Caldwell, Wm Wade, Landis Good, Martin Smith, Blaine Caldwell, Mable and Sue Myers, Elizabeth Charles, Margie Martin and Blanche Zercher. The Manor Orchestra furnished the music. A grand success. Moderated, but colder in eve. and very bad roads.

Sunday, February 19

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school and preaching by Rev H.S. Shelley, a.m. At home p.m. and eve. Raw, cold, damp air all day.

Monday, February 20

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Loaned B.G.

Markley \$20.00, payable April 1, 1911. Snowed last night and partly all of a.m. and part of p.m. A real winter day. Cold all day.

Tuesday, February 21

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche gave a supper to the members of the club this eve. They were all present. Mable and Sue Myers, Elizabeth Charles, Margie Martin, Blaine and Paul Caldwell, Landis Good, Wm Wade and Mart Smith. Cold, raw air all day.

Wednesday, February 22

Partly clear. At Lancaster. Blanche along in. She came home at noon. I came home one hour early, it being Washington's birthday. Cold, raw wind all day.

Thursday, February 23

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Saml W. Diller, one of the commissioners, started for New Orleans, Louisiana, this p.m. for a 10 day stay. Hope he may have a safe return. At IOOF in eve. Very pleasant day, but cold, raw wind.

Friday, February 24

Partly clear. Took today off at office to attend bankruptcy sale of B.F. Hookey here in the village. The property fetched \$2,960. I was next to last bidder. Mr. Gilbert, esq., was the purchaser. The personal property sold high. A pleasant day, but cold, raw air all day.

Saturday, February 25

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. At bank meeting p.m. At IORM in eve. Called to Jacob Benedict's to take charge of body of stillborn baby. Will bury Monday. Blanche was over and arranged. Very pleasant day.

Sunday, February 26

Partly clear. Ther: 58. Called by phone to B. Frank Markley, Slackwater, to take charge the body of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Clark, who

died of cancer. Embalmed body and arranged funeral for Wednesday at 8:30 at House and 11:30 at Presbyterian Church, Mt. Nebo. Blanche along over, a.m. At home p.m. At church in eve. Beautiful day. Very spring-like.

Monday, February 27

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. H.W. buried infant of Jacob Benedict, Rock Hill, a.m. \$5.00. Blanche and I drove to Lancaster. She came by way of Markley's and attended to the body of Mrs. Clark and then went to Highville to take charge of the body of Susan Sleeper and arranged funeral for Thursday morning. I bought the B.F. Hookey property today for H.W. Hess for \$3,060. A very beautiful day. Just like spring.

Tuesday, February 28

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. Great change in the weather. Ground frozen hard this morning and cold, raw wind all day.

Wednesday, March 1

Partly clear. Attending funeral of Susan Markley Clark, sister of B. Frank Markley. Born September 3, 1848. Died February 26, 1911. Aged 62-5-7. Rev Haring of Lancaster spoke from 116 Psalm, 15 verse. Bearers: Saml Alexander, John K. Campbell, W.H. and Elvin Gainer, John Sellers, Chas Brubaker. Nice funeral at Presbyterian Church, Mt. Nebo. \$90.00. Fine corpse. Oak casket, slate vault. The roads are very, very rough. Got home at 3:15 p.m. Very tired. Cold, raw wind all day. Feels very much like snow.

Thursday, March 2

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Dave not in. H.W. and Blanche attended funeral of Susan Sleeper at David Frey's. Born February 15, 1830. Died February 27, 1911. Aged 81-0-12. Rev Mart Groff spoke from 2 Timothy 4-

7. Bearers: Harvey, Elias, Abrm, Isaac and Milton Frey and John Wissler. Grandsons. Highville U. B. Church. Large funeral. Fine corpse and highly pleased. Rec'd cash. Blanche and H.W. got along very nicely. She is a great girl. Cold all day. Genuine March weather. Storm and snow at noon. A blizzard.

Friday, March 3

At Lancaster all day. Cool all day. Getting colder.

Saturday, March 4

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. At Millersville bank meeting p.m. About home, etc., in eve. Settled with H.W. Hess to date. Rented the Safe Harbor property to Saml Rankin this eve. for \$5.00 per month, payable monthly. Snowing a.m. and part of p.m. Much colder in eve.

Sunday, March 5

Partly clear. Ther: 19. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. At home p.m. and eve. Cold all day, but beautiful day.

Monday, March 6

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Mr. Diller returned from his trip to Louisiana this a.m. Had a very nice time. Cold, raw air all day.

Tuesday, March 7

Partly cloudy. Drove to Lancaster. Blanche along. John J. Watson, undertaker of Lancaster, died last night of pneumonia. Cold and roads very rough. Feels like snow. Commenced snowing in eve.

Wednesday, March 8

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Heavy snow fell last night and this morning about 6 to 8 inches.

Thursday, March 9

Partly clear. Ther: -4. At Lancaster all day.

Rather busy. Very cold morning. Pleasant during day. Snow not melting very fast.

Friday, March 10

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Great change in the temperature from yesterday from 30 to 35 degrees. A beautiful day, only rather stormy.

Saturday, March 11

Partly clear. At Lancaster till noon. At bank meeting p.m. At church in eve. Dr. J.W. Meminger gave an illustrated lecture on his travels to Paris, Switzerland and London. Very good attendance and very interesting. Receipts, \$23.05. Blanche went to Philadelphia to spend a few days and attend the closing session of Mr. Eickle's embalming school. Pleasant all day but colder.

Sunday, March 12

At Sunday school a.m. At home p.m. At preaching in eve. by Rev Shelley. I presented the Sunday school with a hymn board. Cost, \$2.50. Raw air. Light rain toward eve. and in eve. Very much like spring.

Monday, March 13

Partly clear. At Lancaster. Was called home at noon to take charge of the body of Henry H. Eby at Abrm B. Brady's on the old Foutz farm near Rock Hill. Went over, washed, shaved and embalmed body and arranged funeral for Thursday morning. Very pleasant day.

Tuesday, March 14

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster. Left for home at 3:30 to go to Brady's to see after body. Working in the shop in the eve. Raw, cold air all day. Commenced snowing in eve.

Wednesday, March 15

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. About 2 inches of snow fell last evening. H.W. took

case to cemetery and stools to house. Ordered calendars for 1912 of the Dallastown people. Snow all gone this eve. Very heavy shower this eve and then a snow storm and much colder and stormy. Great change in weather predicted.

Thursday, March 16

Partly clear. Ther: 8. Attending funeral of Henry H. Eby. Born July 30, 1846. Died March 13, 1911. Aged 64-7-12. Rev David Kauffman spoke from 116 Psalm, 15 verse. Rev Martin Groff, Deut 12-9. Bearers: Denlinger, Elias Sneed. Funeral at Abrm B. Brady's home and Stehman's Church and buried at Letort Mennonite Cemetery. \$83.00. Very nice corpse. Nice funeral and folks very much pleased. One of the coldest days of this winter. Very high wind and very cold all day.

Friday, March 17

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. B.F. Hookey's sale today. Had a good sale. Eli Richardson here and settled up to April 1st and paid on account. (See Memoranda). Not near so cold, but cold, raw wind all day.

Saturday, March 18

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster a.m. At bank meeting p.m. At IORM in eve. I was nominated for K of W, but will not accept. Rather damp and cool all day.

Sunday, March 19

Cloudy. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. At home p.m. and eve. Very damp, snow and rain. Not very cold.

Monday, March 20

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Drove in with Blanche. She drove home at noon. Rather cool in morning. Very spring like during day.

Tuesday, March 21

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Rec'd word by

phone of the death of Caroline Focht, Safe Harbor. Blanche went down and took charge of body and arranged funeral for Friday morning. Very pleasant day. Spring like.

Wednesday, March 22

Partly cloudy. At home trimming grape vines, etc., a.m. At sale of Benj Gardner's personal property, p.m. Very spring like day. Light shower in eve.

Thursday, March 23

Partly clear. Ther: 16. At Lancaster all day. Wife and Blanche in and bought Brussels carpet for sitting room. At IOOF in eve. Very stormy and cold all day. Great change from yesterday.

Friday, March 24

Partly clear. Ther: 18. At Lancaster all day. H.L. and Lettie Martin here in eve. We settled for the year. Balance due me, \$18.88. H.W. and Blanche attended funeral of Caroline Focht. Born May 6, 1846. Died March 21, 1911. Aged 64-10-15. Rev Groff preached. Matt 7-1. Bearers: John Rankin, John Shenk, Amos Fisher, Elias Reamsnyder. Very small funeral. Green Hill. \$36.50 each. Very stormy and cold.

Saturday, March 25

Partly clear. Ther: 17. At Lancaster a.m. At home p.m. and at the IORM in eve. Election of chiefs. Sachem: Pharis Foutz. S.B.: A.L. Henry. J.S.: Christ Reamsnyder. C. of R.: Benj F. Hookey. K. of W.: Martin Markley. Trustee: B.F. Tressler. Rep. of G.C.: Chas Tressler. Janitor: Chas Tressler. Beautiful day but cold, raw air.

Sunday, March 26

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school a.m. Was called by phone to come to Lewis Briechner's near Bender's mill to take charge of the body of Elizabeth Miller who died very suddenly of



apoplexy. Blanche along and embalmed body and arranged funeral for Wednesday 10 a.m. at house. At church in eve. Very pleasant day. Rain in eve.

Monday, March 27

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. H.L. Martin paid balance due, \$18.88. Rec'd month pay today. The first morning of this month that the ground was not frozen. A beautiful day. Rain storm. Thunder, lightning and quite a good bit hail. A beautiful day.

Tuesday, March 28

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. H.W. took roughbox and stools to cemetery and house. Cold and stormy all day.

Wednesday, March 29

Partly clear. Attending funeral of Elizabeth K. Miller. Born February 26, 1828. Died March 26, 1911. Aged 83-1-0. Rev Daniel Lehman spoke from 1 Peter 2-9 in the German language. Bishop Abrm B. Herr spoke from 1 Peter 2-10 and Henry Haverstick spoke from 1 Peter 2-9. Bearers: Benj, Frank, John and Isaac Neff. Large funeral. Buried on home cemetery. \$50.00. Fetched stools along back. Cold, raw air all day. Rain in eve.

Thursday, March 30

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. At IOOF in eve. The following officers were elected. N.G.: Jacob B. Herr. V.G.: H.G. Good. Secy: A.J. Zercher. Asst. Secy: John Z. Wade. Treas.: E.H. Zercher. Trustee: H.M. Stauffer. Cold, raw wind all day. Light rain in p.m.

Friday, March 31

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Practicing for Easter Services this eve. Paid bill with Charles and Good to date, \$32.56. Cold, high wind all day.

Saturday, April 1

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster till 3:30 p.m. Rather busy all day. Did not do much April business. At IORM in eve. and AOK of MC afterward. Cold, raw wind all day. Snowed in morning and best part of a.m. Was quite Wintery.

Sunday, April 2

Partly clear. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. At home p.m. At U. E. Church in eve. Heard Rev Hagner for the first time. He preached a very good sermon on how to get rich (in faith). Ground was covered with snow this morning which fell last night. Raw air all day. Feels like more snow.

Monday, April 3

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Snowing in morning and cold all day.

Tuesday, April 4

At Lancaster all day. Blanche and I settled up our business affair for the year. Raining partly all day. Cool all day.

Wednesday, April 5

At Lancaster all day. Cold, raw wind all day.

Thursday, April 6

At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. Blanche up to look after body of Paul Leo Warren who died from effects of tree falling upon him. Very sad. Embalmed body and arranged funeral for Sunday. A beautiful day. Very spring like. Great change.

Friday, April 7

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. H.W. came in with team and fetched casket and case from Adams Express. At church in eve. Cool, damp, raw air all day. Great change from yesterday.

Saturday, April 8

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster till noon. Came home by way of Rock Hill to look after county bridge that is being repaired there. Working about home balance of day and at church rehearsing for Easter Services in eve. H.W. took case to cemetery and stools to house. Sleeting and rain in eve. Cool, raw air.

Sunday, April 9

Partly cloudy. Attending funeral of Paul Leo, youngest son of William and Amelia (Christ) Warren. Born May 14, 1903. Died April 6, 1911. Aged 7-10-22. Rev Jacob Hersey, Jr. spoke at house from Isaiah 55+8 and 9. At church from Matt 24+44. Spoke very appropriate and feelingly. Bearers: Ralph Shultz, Chester Walk, Paul Kise and Roy Parker. Very large funeral at the house and church at Marticville was filled to overflow. \$45.50. Very much pleased with everything. Couch casket. Snowed last night. The ground covered. Looked beautiful on trees. Cold, damp, raw air partly all day.

Monday, April 10

At Lancaster all day. Blanche and I drove in. She drove home at noon. I came home by trolley in eve. Heavy frost. Ground frozen. Cold all day.

Tuesday, April 11

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Cold raw wind.

Wednesday, April 12

At Lancaster all day. Cold all cold.

Thursday, April 13

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and I drove in. Cold, raw wind. Frost and ground frozen.

Friday, April 14

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Not working in

office. Good Friday. Busy all day cleaning up my desk and book case. Cold, raw wind and raining partly all day.

Saturday, April 15

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. At bank meeting, Millersville, p.m. and home. At church in eve. practicing for Easter services tomorrow eve. Beautiful day. Cold air.

Sunday, April 16

Partly clear. Easter. At Sunday school and communion services a.m. Rev Shelley and family took dinner and spent part of p.m. with us. We received word by phone that Geo K. Sangrey's barn was burning at Baumgardner's Station. Held our Easter services this eve. A very full house. Crowded to the door and the scholars did fine. Am very much encouraged. Cold, raw air all day. Snow flurries in p.m.

Monday, April 17

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Light snow flurry in p.m. Cold wind all day.

Tuesday, April 18

Partly clear. H.W. and I down on farm nearly all day. Sprayed peach orchard at home. Trees look well. Am very tired this eve. Beautiful spring day.

Wednesday, April 19

At Lancaster all day. Rain in eve. Cooler.

Thursday, April 20

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Rained all last night and partly all of a.m. Cooler in eve.

Friday, April 21

Partly cloudy. Ther: 37. At Lancaster all day. Wife and Blanche drove in. Amos Herr sprayed the young orchard today. H.W. helped him and worked on farm. Pleasant all day. Cool in morning. Light frost.

Saturday, April 22

Cloudy. At Lancaster till noon. Returned home about 4 p.m. At home in eve. Rained partly all day and cool. Commenced snowing about 5:45 p.m. and continued all eve and snowing yet at 9:30, but melting on account of rain, but the ground is covered with a white blanket.

Sunday, April 23

Partly cloudy. Ther: 33. At Sunday school a.m. At home p.m. Dr. B.F. Good here a short while. His wife not well at all for several weeks and I fear seriously. She desires to be united with our church. I am glad to know that she accepted Christ as her savior. Her desire is to have me call to see her and shall do so the first opportunity. At preaching in eve. About 2 inches of snow this morning. I shoveled off the walks. I believe there would have been 3 or 4 inches of snow had it not melted.

Monday, April 24

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and Mrs. Keene drove In and back till 1:30 p.m. H.W. and Christ Urban down on farm taking wood off around fish pond. Very pleasant day. Much warmer. Snow all gone.

Tuesday, April 25

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Very beautiful day. Regular spring day.

Wednesday, April 26

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Received word of the death of a small child near Herrville, Pequea Twp. at S.M. Mylin's J of P. James Morgan, infant son of Thos Morgan. They are traveling around over the country and he died along the road. Blanche and H.W. went down with small casket and buried it at the Byerland cemetery in the eve. and charged

the county. Swope not in office. Home planting potatoes, etc. A beautiful day.

Thursday, April 27

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. At IOOF in eve. Beautiful day. Apricot and plum in blossom.

Friday, April 28

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Rec'd pay for April. Beautiful day.

Saturday, April 29

Partly clear. At home. J.M. Bruner and wife, Millard J., Mrs. O.F. Bruner spent some time here and took dinner with us; also their chaffeur. H.W. and Christ Urban planted peach and apple trees down on farm. Filled in the orchard where some had died out. At IORM in eve. Put up a bird box at the barn with 11 apartments for wrens or bluebirds only. No sparrows. A delightful day. Everything beautiful. Blossoms out.

Sunday, April 30

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school and preaching by Rev Shelley a.m. At home p.m. and eve. A beautiful spring day. Commenced raining in eve about 7 o'clock.

Monday, May 1

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Am very sorry that our neighbor, Mrs. Martin Ressel had paracletic stroke while washing this morning. Hope she will soon be better. Rec'd \$3.00 from Eli Richardson on account. A beautiful day. A fine shower of rain at noon and in the evening.

Tuesday, May 2

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Warm in a.m. Stormy and getting much cooler p.m. and eve.

Wednesday, May 3

Partly clear. Ther: 33. At Lancaster all day. H.W. took trees from Safe Harbor station to farm and planted them. 25 peach trees. Great change in weather. Light frost and some ice.

Thursday, May 4

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Rec'd word last night of the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Fry near Creswell. Blanche and H.W. went up and took charge of body and arranged funeral for Sunday morning at 9 and 10 at U. B. Church, Highville. At IOOF in eve. No meeting. Heavy frost. Ground slightly frozen. Pleasant during day.

Friday, May 5

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day and stayed in overnight to attend a meeting of the Grand Lodge of IOOF for the admission of Past Grands. I was admitted a member. Had been a P.G. since 1895 and never admitted. Had a very nice meeting. A very nice day. Light frost this morning.

Saturday, May 6

Partly clear. At Lancaster till noon. Stopped off at Millersville bank and home by 4 p.m. Helped to get ready for funeral tomorrow. At AOK of MC in eve. Very beautiful day. Very heavy frost this morning.

Sunday, May 7

Clear. Attending funeral of Elizabeth Fry, widow of the late John Fry. Born December 6, 1830. Died May 3, 1911. Aged 80-7-17. Rev H.P. Hagner spoke very feelingly from 116 Psalm, 15 verse. Bearers: Enos, Wm K., John J., and Harry K. Fry, grandsons. Very large funeral. Everything passed off very nicely. 25 carriages. Funeral at U. B. Church, Highville. \$56.25. Was called to Fred Rankin to take charge of his body. Blanche went down and embalmed body and arranged funeral for

Wednesday at 9 and 10 at U. E. Church here. Bury at Mt. Zion. Was called to our near neighbor, Martin Ressel, to take charge of the body of Mrs. Ressel who died of the effects of a stroke of paralysis received on last Monday. Blanche embalmed body and arranged funeral for Thursday, 1 and 2 p.m. at River Corner Church. She was a very good neighbor. Front this morning but a beautiful day.

Monday, May 8

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. H.W. fetched stools from Fry's a.m. and Blanche at Lancaster. Warm. Few drops of rain.

Tuesday, May 9

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Rec'd word this morning of the death of Mrs. Mary Miller, wife of Peter Miller, Marticville. Blanche went over and embalmed body and arranged funeral for Friday morning, 9 and 10 at Clearfield M. E. Church. Light rain last night. Pleasant during day.

Wednesday, May 10

Partly clear. Ther: 94. Attending funeral of Fred G. Rankin. Born February 13, 1849. Died May 7, 1911. Aged 62-2-24. Rev Jacob Thomas spoke at home and Rev Aaron B. Harnish at church. Text, Job 16-22. Bearers: Jos G., Martin E., Harry E., Jacob E. Rankin, four nephews. Large funeral at U. E. Church. Buried at Mt. Zion. \$68.50. Put body of Catherine Ressel in casket this eve, ready for tomorrow. (See Memoranda about our horse, Joe). Very beautiful day.

Thursday, May 11

Partly clear. Ther: 92. Attending funeral of Mrs. Catherine Ressel, wife of Martin. Born November 3, 1848. Died May 7, 1911. Aged 62-6-4. Rev John Moseman. Text 1 Cor 15, 51 to end of chapter. Rev H.S. Shelley. Text, Isaiah 66-13 and Rev Jacob Thomas made

closing remarks. Bearers: Abrm Thomas, Frank Shultz, Jacob and Abrm Charles and Ezra and Millard Shultz. Large funeral at River Corner Mennonite Church. \$74.50. Beautiful corpse. She was a good neighbor. At IOOF in eve. Very pleasant but very warm.

Friday, May 12

Partly clear. Ther: 88. Attending funeral of Mary Miller, wife of Peter, Marticville. Born May 18, 1836. Died May 9, 1911. Aged 74-11-21. Rev Geo Paul Beck. Text, 90 Psalm 10 and St. John 10-10. Bishop Herr made a few closing remarks. Bearers: Chas Coble, Chas Miller, Chas Bowman, Geo McFalls, Lewis Rineer and Harry Witmer. Very nice funeral at Clearfield M. E. Church. \$58.50. Folks very much pleased. A beautiful old lady. Warm all day and dusty, but more air than yesterday.

Saturday, May 13

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. At Millersville bank meeting p.m. and at IORM in eve. Not near so warm. Nice air going all day.

Sunday, May 14

Partly clear. At Sunday school and a short address afterward by Rev Shelley. We observed "Mother's Day" by wearing a white flower in honor of our mothers. This being the first held in the village, there was quite an interest manifested, a.m. At home p.m. and eve. Quite a change in the weather. Very much cooler. Therm down to 63 this eve at 8 o'clock.

Monday, May 15

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Wife went to funeral of Aunt Sue Nissley. Buried at Crossroad Church near Florin. She was 72-4-15. Text, Rev. 14-13 by Rev John Dick and the 90th Psalm was also read by another minister. Also some speaking in German. Her favorite hymn was sung: "My Heavenly Home

is Bright and Fair". Rec'd word of the death of Samuel Newgard's infant son at Henry Lefever's, Manor. Blanche took charge of body. Funeral Thursday. Very pleasant day.

Tuesday, May 16

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. H.L. Martin plowed our lot today. Very warm all day. Very nice shower of rain this eve. It is dry and very dusty.

Wednesday, May 17

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Blanche lined and trimmed casket, etc. Warm all day.

Thursday, May 18

Partly clear. At Lancaster till 2:30 p.m. J.W. Morrison, Martin Markley and myself went to Minqua to Scott Markley's to go shad fishing. Fished a while this eve. and then retired in a shanty along the bank of the Susquehanna. W.H. and Blanche attended the funeral of Henry L., infant son of Samuel and Lizzie Newgard. Born November 23, 1910. Died May 15, 1911. Aged 5 months and 21 days. Rev Levi Haverstick spoke from 2 Saml 12-23. Bearers: Elizabeth Frey, Emma Witmer, Edith and Bertha Eshleman. Large funeral. Buried at Letort. \$20.00. Very warm.

Friday, May 19

Partly clear. Ther: 95 to 104. At Minqua. Spent the night there with Scott Markley in his shanty. Started out this morning about 5 o'clock and fished for shad hard all of a.m. and caught nothing. Fished harder p.m. and caught 1 shad and 1 carp and J.W. Morrison did not get anything. River in bad condition. Too clear and low. Very warm all day.

Saturday, May 20

Partly clear. At Lancaster till noon. Working about home p.m. About home in eve. Called by phone to H.B. Thomas' to take charge of

the body of Mrs. Valentine Warfel. Died at 10:45 p.m. Blanche embalmed body and arranged funeral for Tuesday, 9 and 10 at River Corner. Quite warm all day.

Sunday, May 21

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. About home and at Thomas's looking after body p.m. At church in eve. Rev Shelley preached. Very warm all day.

Monday, May 22

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Blanche along in but home by noon. She trimmed coffin p.m. H.W. and I took coffin to home and put body in, ready for tomorrow. Body looks very nice. Hived a bee this morning before going to Lancaster. Very warm all day.

Tuesday, May 23

Partly clear. Attending funeral of Elizabeth Charles, wife of Valentine Warfel. Born October 15, 1829. Died May 19, 1911. Aged 81-7-4. Rev Jacob Thomas opened services. Bishop Abrm B. Herr. Text, Rev 14+12&13. Rev H.P. Hagner. Text, Philippians 1+21. Bearers: Henry Charles, Jacob Mellinger, Henry Hess, Henry S. Stehman. Large funeral at River Corner Mennonite Church. \$50.00. Very nice corpse. Very warm and dusty.

Wednesday, May 24

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very warm all day. Thunder storm in eve and a very good rain.

Thursday, May 25

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Blanche along in. Bought a Kodak today. Very pleasant day. Not nearly so warm. Had a fine rain last night and early this morning.

Friday, May 26

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Quite warm again partly all day.

Saturday, May 27

Partly clear. At Lancaster till noon. Went with Mr. Evans of Quarryville to see after horse to take place of Joe. H.W. and Blanche went to Willow Street and fetched the horse home and we will give him a trial for several days. Hope he will suit. To cost \$150.00. About home in eve. Bought tobacco plants of L.R. Reist second hand. \$10.00. Very beautiful day. Warm.

Sunday, May 28

Partly clear. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. About home p.m. and eve. Quite warm all day.

Monday, May 29

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very warm and remarkably dry weather.

Tuesday, May 30

Decoration Day. Not at Lancaster. Down on farm a.m. Helped to fill stable entry, etc., with clay. Landis Granger hauled it. Paid him \$2.75 for same. Very warm all day and very dry and dusty. Grass and wheat short. We would say rain needed very badly.

Wednesday, May 31

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Settled with H.W. Hess for month of May. Nice shower of rain a.m. A heavy thunder gust and rain about 5 p.m. A grand rain and very much needed.

Thursday, June 1

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Warm all day.

Friday, June 2

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Took a few cherries in to office this morning. Warm all day.

Saturday, June 3

Partly clear. At Lancaster till noon. Stopped

off at Millersville bank and then home. At IORM in eve. Quite warm all day. Nice shower of rain in eve.

Sunday, June 4

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. H.W. and I drove down on farm p.m. At Children's Day services at U. E. Church in eve. Large crowd present. Blanche and I presented the M. E. and the U. E. churches with hymn boards. Very beautiful day.

Monday, June 5

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Thunder gust this morning about 6 o'clock and a beautiful rain. Damp and much cooler all day.

Tuesday, June 6

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Drove in. Blanche along. Could stand overcoat for driving very nicely this morning. In fact, all day. Frederick Huffer died this morning at Lancaster. A former resident of this place. Damp all day. Light rain a.m. Heavy thunder gust and heavy rain. 2 showers last night.

Wednesday, June 7

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Damp and cool all day.

Thursday, June 8

At Lancaster all day. At IOOF in eve. Warmer.

Friday, June 9

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Stopped at Millersville to attend F. & A.M. 40th anniversary. Warm all day.

Saturday, June 10

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. At bank meeting, Millersville, p.m. At IORM in eve. Band held a festival this eve. on Graded school grounds. Very warm all day. Thunder gust in eve. Not much rain here.

Sunday, June 11

Partly clear. Ther: 94. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. At home p.m. and eve. A very warm day. Heat is so oppressive.

Monday, June 12

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Went in by stage. York Furnace Trolley out of commission on account of heavy thunder storm last night. Blew large oak tree over track and broke down all wires. Returned home by trolley this eve. Quite warm all day. Heavy rain last night and one this morning at 6 o'clock. A very good rain. Yesterday was the hottest day of the season and for some time past.

Tuesday, June 13

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and I drove in. She came home at noon by trolley. Warm all day. Heavy rains (3 showers) at Lancaster. Very little here.

Wednesday, June 14

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Rec'd word about 9:30 that our neighbor, Joseph M. Kreider, died. He had been in bed about 32 weeks. Blanche took charge of body and H.W. helped. Arranged funeral for Saturday, 9 and 10. David Swope's mother-in-law, Mrs. Dissinger, died this morning at Lancaster. A very beautiful morning, but damp and much cooler during the day and this eve.

Thursday, June 15

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. No lodge meeting. Pleasant and cool.

Friday, June 16

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Blanche along by trolley. Conestoga lodge #334 IOOF presented Bro. Henry Will of Lancaster with a pair of gold candlesticks in honor of his 50th wedding anniversary. Very pleasant day.

Saturday, June 17

Partly clear. Attending funeral of our old neighbor, Jos M. Kreider. Born September 19, 1827. Died June 14, 1911. Aged 83-8-25. Rev Jacob Thomas spoke at house and Bishop Abrm B. Herr spoke at church. Text, St. John 5-24 & 25. Bearers: Jacob B. Harnish, Jacob M. Charles, Frank Warfel and Valentine K. Shenk. Buried at River Corner Mennonite cemetery. Rec'd cash for same. \$50.00. At IORM in eve. Very pleasant day. Commenced raining about 8:30 p.m.

Sunday, June 18

Partly cloudy. About home all day. At church in eve. Rained nearly all of after part of night and partly all of a.m. A great rain. How thankful we should be for these blessings. Quite cool. Much warmer p.m. and eve.

Monday, June 19

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very pleasant all day.

Tuesday, June 20

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. John Kreider of Mt. Nebo drowned yesterday p.m. below dam at McCall's Ferry trying to swim across channel. Quite warm all day.

Wednesday, June 21

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Horse and auto show at the fairgrounds today and tomorrow. Large crowds and the city is just full of machines. York, Harrisburg, etc., represented. A beautiful, ideal day.

Thursday, June 22

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. At the office a.m. Took in the horse show at fair grounds p.m. At home in eve. No meeting of IOOF. Very warm all day.

Friday, June 23

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very warm all day.

Saturday, June 24

Cloudy. At Lancaster a.m. and part of p.m. At home balance of day. At AOK of MC in eve. Quite warm all day.

Sunday, June 25

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. Rev Shelley here for dinner. H.W. and I drove down on farm in p.m. At M. E. Children's day services in eve. A large audience and good service. Very pleasant all day.

Monday, June 26

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Received a letter from sister Ellie of Arizona stating Mother's birthday would be Wednesday and enclosed \$1.00 to buy something for her. Wife and I expect to go down Wednesday. Warm all day.

Tuesday, June 27

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Got load of hay of J.B. Harnish this p.m. Very warm. Humidity very great. Very heavy thunderstorm at Lancaster and here this p.m. with heavy rain at Lancaster. Not near so heavy here and very little at Millersville. Very warm. Humidity very great.

Wednesday, June 28

Partly clear. Wife and I and Charles Kreider and wife went down to visit Mother, it being her 78th birthday anniversary. We spent a real pleasant time together. Sister Lizzie and her daughter Lizzie were there. Rec'd word in eve. of the death of Wm R. Good. Blanche and I went over. She embalmed body and arranged the funeral for Saturday morning at 9 and 10 at River Corner Church. Very warm day.



Thursday, June 29

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. At IOOF in eve. Very pleasant. Not near so warm.

Friday, June 30

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Paid H.W. Hess for month of June, \$22.36. Quite warm all day.

Saturday, July 1

Partly clear. Attending funeral of Wm R. Good. Born January 30, 1860. Died June 28, 1911. Aged 51-4-28. Rev Noah Hess. Text, Rom 6-23. Rev Jacob Thomas, 2 Kings 20-1. Bearers: John Z. Wade, A.L. Henry, F.H. Sickman, H.G. Good, Wm Shoff, Ray Aston. Buried at River Corner. Casket, \$90.00. Total, \$108.00. Was called out this morning to take charge of body of Alfred H. Gardner. I went down and took charge of body and arranged funeral for Tuesday morning and then went to River Corner Church to take charge of Wm R. Good's funeral. Quite warm all day.

Sunday, July 2

Clear. Ther: 98. At Sunday school a.m. About home p.m. and went down to look after body. Not very well pleased with results of fluid and warm room. At church in eve. Very warm all day.

Monday, July 3

Partly clear. Ther: 96. At Lancaster all day. Came home 1 hour early. Blanche phoned in stating that body was not in very good shape. Went down to Gardner's and worked about one hour at least and with fair results. It is very warm and poor ventilation. I fear there might be trouble. Has been a very warm day. Humidity is great.

Tuesday, July 4

Partly clear. Ther: 98. Attended funeral of Alfred H. Gardner. Born October 21, 1859. Died July 1, 1911. Aged 51-8-11. Rev H.P.

Hagner spoke from 1 Cor. 13-12. Rev Miles Miller made a few closing remarks. Bearers: B.H. Montgomery, A.R. Caldwell, John Z. Wade, Harry Wagner, Webster Eberhart, John Burkhart. Buried at Mt. Zion cemetery. Large funeral. \$50.00. Sheaf, \$1.00. Very warm. Humidity very great. I was almost overcome by the heat. Went along with Blanche to Frey's to look after body. Not in very good condition. Light rain last night.

Wednesday, July 5

Ther: 98. At Lancaster all day. Blanche was called to Chas Bender's to take charge of body of infant and arranged funeral for Friday, 10 a.m. Services at house only. Very, very warm.

Thursday, July 6

Clear. Ther: 100. Attending funeral of Elizabeth H. Frey. Born December 1, 1853. Died July 3, 1911. Aged 57-7-2. Rev Beck of Maryland spoke from 1 Cor 15-55. Rev H.P. Hagner made some very appropriate remarks. Buried at Creswell Evangelical cemetery. Large funeral. \$64.00, cash. Corpse in fairly good shape but the extreme heat.

Friday, July 7

Partly clear. Ther: 90. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and H.W. attended funeral of Paul B., infant son of Chas and Alice Bender. Born May 27, 1911. Died July 5, 1911. Aged 1 month and 7 days. Rev Martin Groff spoke from St. John 14-1. Services at house only. Buried at Letort Mennonite cemetery. 9 carriages. \$10.00. Very warm day. A very heavy thunder storm in eve. Also one in p.m. and both heavy rain. Very sharp lightning.

Saturday, July 8

Partly clear. Ther: 90. At Lancaster a.m. Went down to Harry Eberly's in p.m. Their barn was

struck by lightning last eve and burned with hay and some farm implements. Loss about \$3,000. No insurance. I feel very sorry for them. Sister Lizzie don't seem to worry at all and I am glad she looks at it that way. At IORM in eve. It was an unusual heavy thunder storm and several barns and houses were struck by lightning. Very warm all day.

Sunday, July 9

Partly clear. Ther: 93. At Sunday school and preaching by Rev Shelley a.m. About home p.m. and eve. Very warm all day.

Monday, July 10

Partly clear. Ther: 96. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and I drove in and came home together this eve. Sent check to Security Life for premium. Another very warm day.

Tuesday, July 11

Partly clear. Ther: 96. At Lancaster all day. Very warm all day. Therm 102 at City Hall, Lancaster, today.

Wednesday, July 12

Partly clear. Ther: 93. At Lancaster all day. Not quite so warm. Light rain last night.

Thursday, July 13

Partly clear. Ther: 90. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and I drove in. Blanche drove home at noon. At IOOF in eve. Quite warm all day.

Friday, July 14

Partly clear. Ther: 87. At Lancaster all day. Very beautiful day. Not near so warm. A nice air going party all day. Light rain in the morning.

Saturday, July 15

Partly clear. Ther: 85. At Safe Harbor. Sold bricks to H.M. Stauffer. At Shenk's Ferry and at farm p.m. After picnic in p.m. took school out to Fulton's orchard at 1:30, accompanied

by the band and spent a very pleasant afternoon and evening. Took supper in orchard. A success financially and socially. A fine day for picnic.

Sunday, July 16

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. Wife and I visited Conrad Hess and family (cousin) and spent a very pleasant p.m. Dr. Gable and wife of Lancaster, cousin John Warfel and wife and her son, wife and child, Jacob B. Hamish and wife, Mrs. Samuel Shenk and daughter, Martha, were there. At church in eve. Rev Shelley preached. A beautiful day.

Monday, July 17

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Very heavy rain here this morning about 7:45. Also about 9:15 and later in a.m. Quite warm all day.

Tuesday, July 18

Partly clear. Not at Lancaster today. Mr. Diller's Son, H.W. Hess, Lawrence Benedict and myself at Shenk's Ferry fishing. Took dinner with Mr. Gemmel at hotel. Fishing no good at all. Went to pond on farm and caught 10 bluegills and gave them to Mr. Diller. They were fine. Am very much pleased and a great many small fish there. Michael Fritz of Quarryville died this eve. Beautiful day.

Wednesday, July 19

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Received telephone message this eve. that Miss Wissler, a trained nurse who waited on Mrs. Ressel here in the village through a very severe spell of typhoid fever, is very sick at the General Hospital with the same. Am very sorry for her. We learned to love her while here in the village. Very pleasant day.

Thursday, July 20

At Lancaster all day. Wife and Mary drove down to W. Miller's, Safe Harbor. At IOOF in eve. Much warmer all day.

Friday, July 21

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Mrs. P.M. Bruner came this eve. Will spend a few days with us. Quite warm all day. Light rain in p.m.

Saturday, July 22

Partly clear. At Lancaster and at bank meeting, Millersville and home. At IORM in eve. Very pleasant day. Heavy rain last night, or rather, early this morning.

Sunday, July 23

Partly clear. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. Rev Shelley and family took dinner with us and spent part of p.m. It is reported that two men drowned near Star Rock. Very pleasant all day. Rather cool in eve.

Monday, July 24

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. John Z. Wade in to see me with regard to assessor Benj B. Beach intending to resign. I promised to be for him. Two fine showers of rain this morning. Quite warm during day. A heavy rain about 5:15 this eve and cooler.

Tuesday, July 25

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Deeded Mt. Zion Church to A.L. Henry for Blanche and rec'd \$490 for same and paid Henry Good judgement that was against it. She now has the cemetery part for sale yet. A beautiful day. Very fine. Quite cool. 61 in morning.

Wednesday, July 26

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very pleasant day. Quite warm.

Thursday, July 27

Partly clear. Ther: 61. At Lancaster all day. At IOOF in eve. Clair Good and David Bortzfield we're initiated into the mysteries of the order. Pleasant all day.

Friday, July 28

Partly clear. Ther: 57. At Lancaster all day. Henry Charles of West Willow, brother-in-law to A.S. Benedict, here in village (merchant). Very beautiful day.

Saturday, July 29

Partly clear. At Lancaster till 11:30 a.m. Expected to be home by 12:30 to go to the picnic near Amos Deitrich's but Pequea Trolley was out of service and did not get away from Millersville till nearly 3 p.m. and then walked to Slackwater where Blanche met me and we went from there to picnic. Had supper there and a royal good time. Returned at 8:00 p.m. and then went to IORM and paid in money for members. Also at AOK of MC. A beautiful day.

Sunday, July 30

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school a.m. At home p.m. and eve. Henry H. Charles buried this p.m. at New Danville Brick. Light rain a.m. Warm all day.

Monday, July 31

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Henry Martin here. Says he is going to stop farming in the spring. More bother ahead to get someone. Quite warm all day.

Tuesday, August 1

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. The tipstaves (bailiffs) at the court house drew their first pay today on the increase of salary. They get \$1,000 per year and work about 100 days all told. Another of the laws passed by our last legislature. Very much warmer and dusty.

Wednesday, August 2

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Rather busy in office. Warm all day.

Thursday, August 3

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. At IOOF in eve. Warm all day. Fine rain last night and this morning.

Friday, August 4

Cloudy. At undertaker's outing all day, wife and I went to Pequea by special trolley and then by train to Holtwood. We were conducted through the power plant there very kindly by Mr. Brown and Mr. Alexander (Harvey), formerly of this place. We then walked back to Mr. Quade's hotel at McCall's Ferry where we spent balance of the day and took dinner there. We were about 54 ladies and gentlemen. Damp and rainy partly all day.

Saturday, August 5

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster. Stopped off at Millersville bank. Met Owen Caldwell on trolley. Bid him the time, but he never recognized me. So I feel I have again tried to show friendship but was ignored. At AOK of MC in eve. Pleasant all day. Light rain about 1:30 p.m.

Sunday, August 6

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. At home balance of day and eve. Warm all day. Nice shower about 1 o'clock p.m.

Monday, August 7

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Drove in. Blanche along. County Committee met this p.m. Nothing special. Quite warm all day.

Tuesday, August 8

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Sent Grace Benedict a postal (it being her 12th birthday). Mr. Diller off on vacation. Warm all day.

Wednesday, August 9

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Warm all day.

Thursday, August 10

Partly clear. Ther: 92. At Lancaster all day. At IOOF in eve. Very warm and sultry.

Friday, August 11

Partly clear. Ther: 96 and 90 at 6 p.m. At Lancaster all day. Very warm all day. Heavy thunder storm in east and southeast this eve.

Saturday, August 12

Partly clear. Ther: 62 this morning. At Lancaster till noon. At home p.m. Cousin Jacob Warfel to spend p.m. and took supper with us. At IORM in eve. Had our annual supper. Rec'd letter from Charles this eve. All well. Not near so warm today.

Sunday, August 13

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school a.m. At home p.m. and preaching by Rev Shelley in eve. Pleasant for camp. Rather damp part of day. Light rain last night.

Monday, August 14

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy all day. A terrible incident occurred at Coatesville, Chester county, Pa. last night. A negro shot an officer there who died instantly. The negro fled but was captured after having tried to commit suicide and taken to the hospital there. A mob formed, took him out and deliberately burned him alive. Warm all day, especially in p.m.

Tuesday, August 15

Partly cloudy. At home all day. Cleaning sewer from house. A job that I have dreaded for some time. Very nice shower of rain in eve. Quite warm all day.

Wednesday, August 16

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Quite warm all day.

Thursday, August 17

Partly clear. Down on farm all day. Mr. Herr

trimmed the peaches and apples in large orchard. They are certainly looking fine. H.W. and I were working at fish pond, etc. Very warm all day. Light rain in p.m.

Friday, August 18

Partly cloudy. J.W. Morrison, A.S. Benedict and myself were at the Masonic Home grounds, Elizabethtown today. Spent several hours looking over the grounds, construction of buildings, etc. It will be a great home when finished. Took dinner at O.F. Bruner's, Lancaster, about 1:30 and spent some time in Lancaster about 6 p.m. Very much pleased with the trip. Very pleasant. Had real heavy rain this p.m. Much cooler in eve.

Saturday, August 19

Partly clear. Ther: 59. Working about home a.m. At U.E. Sunday school picnic held at their church p.m. and eve. At IORM in eve. Mrs. O.F. Bruner and her niece came here this eve. Will stay overnight.

Sunday, August 20

Partly clear. Ther: 57. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. Rev H.S. Shelley and I went to Millersville in p.m. to attend a meeting of Sunday workers. Arranged for a local Convention of Manor, Conestoga Twp., and Washington Borough sometime in September. The various committees for the occasion were appointed. It fell to my lot to make the appointments being district president for the last 3 years. At home in eve. Mrs. Bruner and niece left for home this eve. Very pleasant day, but quite cool.

Monday, August 21

Partly clear. Ther: 55 at 6 a.m. At Lancaster all day. Busy all day. Very pleasant all day, but cool air.

Tuesday, August 22

Partly clear. Ther: 57. At Lancaster all day.

Busy at judgment and mortgage books. Getting them ready for assessors. Very pleasant day.

Wednesday, August 23

Partly cloudy. Ther: 57. At Lancaster all day. Busy at my books. N. Franklin Hall told us at the office this a.m. that he has decided to be a candidate for County Controller at the coming primary. I do hope he will be elected. I feel sure it would be the right man in the right place. Success to Mr. Hall, our present Solicitor for the county. Warm all day. Much warmer this eve. Light shower of rain this eve.

Thursday, August 24

Partly cloudy. At home a.m. At River Corner Mennonite Church attending Sunday school convention p.m. Had several very good addresses. A party from the state veterinary department, Harrisburg, arrived in the village and took charge of things, posting up bills and notices with regard to mad dogs. Quite warm all day. Light rain morning and evening.

Friday, August 25

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy at my books. Thieves broke into Mrs. Sue J. Keen's last eve. while she was at church and had a lot of her silverware in a sack, ready to leave, but was disturbed by her coming home and escaped. No clue. Warm all day. Rain last night and a nice shower this eve.

Saturday, August 26

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. Came home by 3 p.m. At IORM in eve. but no meeting. Warm all day. Light rain a.m. and p.m.

Sunday, August 27

Cloudy. At Sunday school a.m. At home p.m. At church in eve. A grand rain part of last night and all of a.m. Warm all day.

Monday, August 28

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy at books. Very warm all day. Fine shower here this p.m. Cooler in eve.

Tuesday, August 29

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Rained nearly all last night. Rained nearly all day. Quite a wet spell and raining this eve. Very much cooler.

Wednesday, August 30

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy at books. Rained partly all of last night. Very damp all day and raining good part of day, especially p.m. and eve. and quite cool.

Thursday, August 31

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy at books. Rained partly all night and partly all day. Rained quite heavy this p.m. Creeks and river high. Papers state that 8 & 23/100 inches of rain fell since it began to 8 a.m. today. More than has fallen in the same time for 29 years. Quite a record. Cool all day.

Friday, September 1

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy at books. Heavy rain last night. Quite a change in the weather. The first sunshine for several days. Warmer. River very high.

Saturday, September 2

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. At home and at M. E. Sunday school picnic p.m. At home in eve. Very pleasant day. Rather cool.

Sunday, September 3

Clear. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. Rev Shelley took dinner with us and spent part of p.m. At home p.m. and eve. Mr. Eshleman (John) here in eve. A beautiful day.

Monday, September 4

Partly clear. Ther: 54. At home mowing lawn, etc., a.m. Drove down on farm. They finished

thrashing this noon. Got over 200 bus wheat. Public schools opened today. Paid J.W. Morrison for phosphate, \$23.80. Paid A.D. Herr for attending to orchard for 1911, \$21.00. Quite cool this morning but much warmer today. Beautiful weather.

Tuesday, September 5

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Jacob McAllister of Elizabethtown, formerly of Pequea Twp., died yesterday, p.m. Cool and damp all day.

Wednesday, September 6

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy at books. Quite warm all day.

Thursday, September 7

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and I drove in Register's return of votes. Very busy all day. Had three heavy showers of rain in p.m. and strange to say, when we came home there was scarcely a drop fell here at home, but shortly after 6 o'clock p.m. we had a very heavy rain. One of the heaviest, I think, for years. The lightning struck a large locust in front of the election room near the hotel and shattered it. Sun very warm a.m. Some cooler p.m.

Friday, September 8

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. Warm rain a.m.

Saturday, September 9

Cloudy. At Lancaster at office till 3:30 p.m. Kept open on account of filing petition for nomination of county offices. An unusual number were filed. At IORM in eve. No meeting. Warm rain morning and p.m.

Sunday, September 10

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. At home p.m. and church in eve. Andrew Good and wife and Mary Bruner here for dinner and Miss Herneiser, a friend of Mary Bruner's was

here, p.m. Quite warm all day and damp and clammy.

Monday, September 11

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy at books and general office work. Heavy rain this morning. Quite warm all day.

Tuesday, September 12

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Finished assessors today. Quite warm and cool in eve.

Wednesday, September 13

Partly clear. Ther: 53. At Lancaster all day. Busy all day. Cooler and quite pleasant.

Thursday, September 14

Partly clear. Ther: 42. Drove to Lancaster this morning. Blanche along. Wore overcoat, then not more than comfortable. Farmers very busy cutting tobacco. Frost scare. Very much colder and reported light frost in low areas.

Friday, September 15

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Heavy rain a.m. and partly clear p.m. Quite a lot of tobacco cut this p.m. and some places more than could be handled and laying on piles this morning that was cut yesterday.

Saturday, September 16

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster till noon. At Millersville bank and home by 5 p.m. Rec'd message by phone at 6 p.m. to come to Central Manor to take charge of the body of Mrs. Paules. Blanche and I went up. She embalmed body and arranged funeral for Tuesday at 1:30 at Central Manor Church of God. Returned home about 11 o'clock. Some of tobacco cut on Thursday only taken away this p.m. Rather warm all day. Light rain in morning.

Sunday, September 17

Clear. At Sunday school and preaching by Rev Shelley a.m. Blanche and wife drove up to Central Manor. Blanche to look after body and wife for pleasure drive. Mrs. Jane Alexander, Mrs. J.R. Yentzer and Miss Beckie Kendig spent part of p.m. here at home in eve. Mr. Ryan of Lancaster city stopped in a few minutes. Very pleasant day.

Monday, September 18

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Harry took roughbox to cemetery and stools to house, a.m. Quite warm all day.

Tuesday, September 19

Attending funeral of Annie S. Paules. Born April 13, 1863. Died September 16, 1911. Aged 48-5-3. Rev Howard W. Cover of Columbia spoke from Genesis 3+6. One of the best sermons I have heard. Bearers: John, Benj, Cyrus and Geo Lutz, cousins. Buried in Shenk's graveyard near the Central Manor Church of God. All day funeral and a very nice one. \$55.00. Quite warm all day.

Wednesday, September 20

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. B.F. Hookey, county committee man called a meeting for this eve .to decide when to hold our township primary, but there was no turnout and the matter was deferred. Very pleasant day. Grand day for cutting tobacco.

Thursday, September 21

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster. Went to Millersville at 2:30 to attend the local Sunday school convention of Manor, Conestoga Twps., and Washington Borough. Had a great meeting in p.m. The addresses were so inspiring. Blanche and I took lunch in basement of the Reformed Church that she had brought along. We stayed for evening services which were also very good. Also, the

singing was very good. H.W. brought us home from car. Very pleasant a.m. and part of p.m. Began raining about 3:30 which affected the attendance some.

Friday, September 22

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Was sorry to hear of the death of my old friend Dr. I.M. Witmer, formerly of this place, who died about noon today. We are again reminded that we have no abiding place here, but that we seek one to come. We pray that he may have made his peace and calling and election sure with Thee. Very pleasant day. Rather cool.

Saturday, September 23

Partly clear. At Lancaster partly all day. Was called out early this morning to come to Edw Peaco's to take charge of the body of their infant son, Edward Franklin Scott Peaco. Washed and embalmed body and arranged funeral for Monday. Very tired this eve. Did not go to lodge. Ruth Bennett came out with me, will stay till Monday. Warm all day.

Sunday, September 24

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. About home p.m. At church in eve. Rev Shelley preached a very good sermon this eve. Down at Peaco's this eve looking after body. Quite warm all day.

Monday, September 25

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very busy. Wife and I went to the funeral of our friend Dr. I.M. Witmer at his late home, 116 S. Ann St., city. Looked very natural. The officers and clerks at the court house contributed \$10.30 to me for flowers for him. The least we could do for him and show our esteem. Funeral of Peaco's child. Very warm all day.

Tuesday, September 26

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Finished up with our election (primary) papers today and

shipped them out. Swope at fair p.m. Very large attendance. Very pleasant day.

Wednesday, September 27

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster. Wife along. Mr. Aiken and I went out to the fair. A very fine display of fruit and also other things. Wife was out, too. She stayed in at Berta Fox all night. I returned home by trolley at usual hour. Quite cool all day. Quite a shower in p.m.

Thursday, September 28

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Alone in office p.m. Rest of office force at fair. Ideal weather and an immense crowd. Thousands there. At IOOF in eve. Beautiful day.

Friday, September 29

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Hard weather on fair. Raining a.m. Very heavy rain p.m. and quite warm.

Saturday, September 30

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. Attending county primary here p.m. 117 votes polled. 112 Republican, 2 Keystone, 3 Democrat. I am very pleased with the result, though a small turnout. Judge of the Orphans' Court: Eugene G. Smith, 112. District Attorney: John M. Groff, 112, Edw M. Gilbert, 2+2. Prothonotary: L.K. Leslie, 110, Wm C. White side, 2+2. County Controller: N. Franklin Hall, 112, Wm J. Eberly, 2+2. Sheriff: Milton Eby, 104, Tobias H. Greider, 3, Christian N. Mumma, 3, John K. Wissler, 2, James K. Shirk, 2. Register of Wills, B. Frank Musser, 110, Abrm L. Lehman, 2+1. County Treasurer: Harry C. Schlock, 109, Martin S. Bowman, 2+2. Clerk of Quarter Sessions: John F. Weaver, 107, Hiram P. Fry, 2+2. Coroner: E.R. Miller, 107, Harry M. Suttzback, 2+2. County Commissioners: Samuel W. Diller, 106, Martin L. Greider, 12, John R. Shirk, 95, C.S. Winger, 3, Bucher Z. Miller, 3, Schnetman



Shute, 2. County Surveyor: Alfred Wood, 111. Prison Keeper: J. Carson Obetz, 99, Jacob W. Weaver, 11, Doner, 2+2. Directors of the Poor: Abram S. Brubaker, 110, Michael K. Christ, 110, M.P. Whitaker, 109, S. Shaeffer Worst, 110, McCloud, 2+2, Trewetz, 2+2. Prison inspectors: Thomas H. Erb, 109, Daniel Heilman, 105, George G. Lindsay, 106, Alexander K. Morrison, 105, Kendig, 2+2, Walker, 2+2. Very nice day, but very much cooler. Fear of frost.

Sunday, October 1

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school and preaching by Rev Shelley. We had the pleasure and surprise to the most of the school and members of the church this morning when we opened the singing using the new organ that Blanche had place by her efforts in raising the funds entirely outside of the village except one festival held by her and my Sunday school class. Wife and I spent p.m. at Jacob Z. Miller's very pleasantly. Much cooler and rain p.m. and eve. Cloudy last night or I think we would have frost.

Monday, October 2

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and I drove in, she coming home at noon. Very busy in office receiving primary returns. John Z. Wade was appointed assessor of township through my recommending him. Was sworn in today. B.F. Hookey was an applicant. Light rain a.m. and cool all day.

Tuesday, October 3

Partly clear. Ther: 43. At Lancaster all day. Very busy. Colder and damp.

Wednesday, October 4

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Very busy. Quite cool a.m. Much warmer p.m. and eve.

Thursday, October 5

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Was called

to Willow Street by phone to take charge of the body of Abrm R. Burkholder. Harry and I went over and embalmed body and arranged funeral for Sunday at 9 at house and 10:30 at Millersville Mennonite Church. At IOOF in eve. D.D.G.M. Henry Rice was present. Pleasant all day.

Friday, October 6

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche over looking after body, p.m. Cool. Ideal fall day.

Saturday, October 7

At Lancaster a.m. Went to Willow Street and put body of Abrm R. Burkholder in coffin and everything for funeral tomorrow morning. H.W. brought things over, p.m. At IORM in eve. Al L. Henry and I audited the accounts. No meeting. Was no quorum. Pleasant day.

Sunday, October 8

Clear. Ther: 35. Rec'd word early this morning of the death of Benj Morton at end of New Danville Pike. Went out and took charge of body. Blanche embalmed body and arranged funeral for Wednesday, 9 and 10 at Marticville. I then went and attended funeral of Abrm R. Burkholder. Born 3-15-30. Died 10-4-11. Aged 81-6-19. Rev Noah Hess spoke at house. Jacob Thomas, Rev 21-6. Daniel Gish, Job 3-23. Bearers: Harry and Chas Lefever, Martin and Ralph Dombach (grandchildren). Buried at Millersville Mennonite Church. Very large. \$55.00, cash. Beautiful day. Cold. First heavy frost.

Monday, October 9

Clear. Drove to Lancaster. Blanche along. She returned home noon. I was there all day. Frost. A beautiful day. Cool all day.

Tuesday, October 10

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. At church in eve. Rev Whitmore preached a very able

sermon. Pleasant all day. Warmer than yesterday.

Wednesday, October 11

Partly cloudy. Attending funeral of Benj Morton, blacksmith. Born April 7, 1843. Died October 8, 1911. Aged 68-6-1. Rev Noah Hess spoke at house. Rev Thos Rollerts of M. E. Church. Text, 2 Cor, part of 5th chapter. Rev H.S. Shelley of Reformed. Text, St. John 11-10. Bearers: John Dorwart, Chas Waller, John Huffer, Christ Nixdorf, Daniel H. Heitshue, H.R. Fulton, esq. of post 84 G.A.R. of which he was a member. Buried at M. E. Church, Marticville. \$100.00, cash. Large funeral at church in eve. Rev Geo R. Beck of Millersville spoke. Rain last night and part of a.m. Pleasant p.m. and eve.

Thursday, October 12

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy. Chestnuts are very plentiful. Some of our village folks gathered as much as a bushel and over each. Just picking up under trees in Andrew Good's woods. We have never known them to bear so many. Very beautiful day.

Friday, October 13

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Cool all day.

Saturday, October 14

Partly clear. At Lancaster a.m. At home and at primary in p.m. from 3 to 7 p.m. 221 votes polled. Judge: Jacob B. Herr, 107. Albert Warfel, 111. Inspector: Elam Herr, 94, Martin Smith, 125. Assessor: Walter Ressel, 136, John Z. Wade, 84. Constable: C.C. Urban, 188. School Director for 6 years: John Burkhart. For 4 years: A.S. Benedict, 199, H.H. Warfel, 189. For 2 years: H.G. Good, 98, F.H. Sickman, 134, H.M. Stauffer, 175. Supervisor: A.R. Caldwell, 110, Franklin Warfel, 164. Auditor: Grant H. Gardner, 196. Cool all day, but pleasant all day.

Sunday, October 15

Cloudy. At Sunday school and Holy Communion a.m. Went to Henry Eyerstock's to attend an affair of his sons, Jacob and Mike. Had a very nice, sociable time. Quite a few people were present. Wife was along. Cool and damp. Quite a rain in p.m. and very foggy and cool in eve.

Monday, October 16

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Very busy. Primary returns coming in from townships. Moderating. Beautiful in p.m.

Tuesday, October 17

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. I was very much pleased today when I was presented with a cane with the Masonic emblem on it which belonged to my old friend Dr. I.M. Witmer, formerly of this place. I appreciate it very much and shall keep as a memento of the many pleasant moments and years spent together. Pleasant but very threatening for rain.

Wednesday, October 18

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Warmer and damp. Light rain.

Thursday, October 19

Cloudy. Down on farm all day working in orchard and closing gutters. H.W. Hess helped. Damp and cool all day. Rain in eve.

Friday, October 20

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. Damp all day. Light rain in eve.

Saturday, October 21

Cloudy. At Lancaster a.m. At Directors meeting, Millersville, p.m. About home in eve. Rented the farm to John Groff, Jr., now living on Elmer E. Hess farm, Run Valley. Damp and rain partly all day.

*Missing pages for October 22 and October 23*

Tuesday, October 24

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Beautiful day. Getting cooler.

Wednesday, October 25

Clear. Ther: 37. At Lancaster all day. Cool all day and heavy frost.

Thursday, October 26

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Cool all day. Heavy frost.

Friday, October 27

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy getting ballots ready for printers and proof reading. H.W. took sweet potatoes to O.F. Bruner a.m. Cooler and feels like snow.

Saturday, October 28

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Worked till 3:45 p.m. H.W. came in with team for casket from Harrisburg. Got home 8:30 p.m. and then went out to Amos Graver's and spent a short time. The girls had a surprise for him. Rec'd word about 8 a.m. to come to Levi Mann's. She, Mrs. Mann, died very suddenly and unexpectedly of heart failure. Blanche went up and took charge of body and arranged funeral for Tuesday morning. Very pleasant day but cool.

Sunday, October 29

Partly clear. Went to Mann's to look after body. H.W. along, a.m. About home p.m. and eve. Beautiful day but real cold in morning.

Monday, October 30

Partly clear. At Lancaster till 3:00. Went to Millersville bank and E.L. Hertzler, Fred Doestler and myself looked over the bank's accounts and found them in a very satisfactory condition. I put \$20.00 on

interest for Paul Eshleman Zercher, having added \$1.00 to make the above amount. Very heavy frost. Beautiful day.

Tuesday, October 31

Partly cloudy. Attending funeral of Annie M. Mann. Born July 9, 1840. Died October 28, 1911. Aged 71-3-19. Rev Hagner spoke from St. John 11-35. A very able sermon. Bearers: Graybill and Henry Mann, Franklin Hershey, Harvey Lehman. At Creswell U.E. Church. \$80.50. Very large funeral and family very much pleased and a very nice corpse. Very much like rain but pleasant all day.

Wednesday, November 1

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy getting ballot ready to send out. Light rain last night. Much cooler this eve.

Thursday, November 2

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very busy with ballots, etc. At IOOF in eve. but no meeting. A.M. Charles here with a party in view of starting a casket factory here in our village. Quite stormy and very much cooler.

Friday, November 3

Partly cloudy. Ther: 30. Attending funeral of Adaline F., wife of Silas S. Herr. Born December 1, 1852. Died October 30, 1911. Aged 58-11-10. Rev Hagner spoke. Text, Ecclesiastes 9-5. Bearers: 4 nephews, Frederick Doestler, Daniel M. Witmer, George and Fred Murray. Leroy Mayer and Forry Frey. Body was shipped from Peach Bottom to Creswell where I met the folks and held services at Creswell U. E. Church. Interned in adjoining cemetery. Coldest day of the season. Ice nearly 1/4 inch thick and cold all day.

Saturday, November 4

At Lancaster all day. Came home about 5 p.m. and was very much surprised to hear of the

sudden death of one of our neighbors, Mrs. David H. Hess. She was out on the porch this noon. This is again reminding us of the great uncertainty of life. Went over and took charge of body and embalmed it. No arrangements for funeral yet. Quite cool and damp all day. Raw air.

Sunday, November 5

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. At home p.m. At church in eve. Esther Root, Laura Hubley, Blanche Shue, Katie Mann, friends of Blanche, spent the day with us. Very pleasant day.

Monday, November 6

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Rather busy day before election. Blanche over looking after body. Raining partly all day. Heavy rain in eve. and moderating.

Tuesday, November 7

Partly cloudy. At the election partly all day. 157 votes polled. John Rush ran independent for constable against Christ C. Urban, the regular nominee, but was defeated 32 to 105 and justly so. I am very much pleased with the result here and in general. I was asked by W.W. Griest to make a few votes for F.P.D. Miller, democratic candidate for Co. Commissioner and succeeded in getting 38 votes for him by the help of a few of my friends and am glad today he was elected. Put body in coffin this eve. Cool and damp partly all day.

Wednesday, November 8

Partly cloudy. Attending funeral of Catherine, wife of David H. Hess (across the way). Born January 17, 1842. Died November 4, 1911. Aged 69-9-17. Rev Jacob Thomas spoke at house and opened the services at church. Bishop Abrm B. Herr spoke from St. Matt 24-44. Bearers: 6 nephews, Aaron and Jacob Harnish, Abrm, Jonas, Henry and Christian

Hess. Buried at River Corner Church. Coffin, \$50.00. Shroud, \$5.00. Large funeral and a very nice corpse. Cold, raw air all day.

Thursday, November 9

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Very busy. Blanche along in by trolley. Had a letter from Charles this eve. stating they had a fair snow in Somerset Co. where he is working On Nov. 3rd, one year ago on the same date we had snow here. Damp and cool all day. Light sleet and a few flakes of snow this morning.

Friday, November 10

At Lancaster all day. Rec'd word in eve. of the death of Ann Elisa Smith, known as Granny Smith, of this place. Died with her daughter, Mrs. Chas Miller, Marticville. Went over and brought body over to her old home, which was her request from where the funeral will be held Monday morning. Rather cool all day.

Saturday, November 11

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster till noon. About home lining casket, etc. At IORM in eve. Pleasant all day.

Sunday, November 12

Partly cloudy. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. At home p.m. and eve. Rev Shelley and family here for dinner and spent part of p.m. Damp and heavy in p.m. and eve. Getting colder.

Monday, November 13

Partly cloudy. Ther: 18. Attending funeral of Ann Eliza Smith, widow of John. Born August 16, 1830. Died November 10, 1911. Aged 81-2-14. Rev Thos Roberts spoke from Ecclesiastes 7-1 and Rev H.S. Shelley from Zacharia 14-7. Bearers: 6 grandsons. Chas R., Harry C. and Arnold Smith, Jacob Good, Harry Eckman and Roy Bechtold. Large funeral at M. E. Church, Conestoga Centre. \$50.00. Corpse fine. Went to Lancaster.

Swope going on vacation tonight. Very great change in the weather. Fully 30 degrees colder than yesterday. Stormy.

Tuesday, November 14

Cloudy. Ther: 22. At Lancaster all day. Have charge of office. Swope on his vacation. Cold and damp all day.

Wednesday, November 15

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Cold a.m. Moderating p.m. and eve. Light snow and sleet last night.

Thursday, November 16

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Very large attendance at institute. (Court room #1 filled to overflowing). At IOOF in eve. Henry Martin from farm and his son Charles here this eve. He had a shot in his leg. Shot by his father in gunning for rabbits. Nothing serious. Cold all day.

Friday, November 17

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Cool, damp day. Moderating in eve.

Saturday, November 18

Partly clear. At Lancaster. At office a.m. At bank meeting p.m. At home in eve. Cold all day.

Sunday, November 19

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. Wife and Blanche went over to Mrs. Wm R. Good's in p.m. I spent p.m. at home. At church in eve. Cold, raw air all day.

Monday, November 20

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Quite busy today. Frederick Wise was found dead last eve. on road from his home to Colemanville church. Wife and I and Harry W. Hess down at J.R. Yentzer's this eve. Their 50th wedding

anniversary. Self and family presented them with a gold plated clock and Harry 1 dozen silver teaspoons. They were very much pleased. We wish them God's blessings. Cold. Moderating during day.

Tuesday, November 21

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Sister and Harry here to spend the day. Am sorry I could not be home. Had a short talk with them in eve. Rec'd word by phone of the death of Mrs. John May near Kauffman's Machine Shop, Manor Twp. Blanche and Harry went up. Today wife is 52 years old. We are married 31 years today. How time flies and how thankful we should be for the great blessings we enjoy. Cold, raw wind all day.

Wednesday, November 22

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Rec'd word by phone this morning of the unexpected death of Philip Kling's wife near Boehm's Church. Blanche and H.W. went out and embalmed body and arranged funeral for Saturday morning. Cold, raw air morning. Fair during day.

Thursday, November 23

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Drove in. H.W. went in after casket. Cold, raw, damp air.

Friday, November 24

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche and H.W. attended funeral of Martha, wife of John S. May. Born August 2, 1834. Died November 21, 1911. Aged 77-3-19. Bearers: Ephram Kauffman, Abrm Goss. Rev Moseman spoke at house and opened at church. Rev Martin Groff spoke from Job 14-14. Services and internment at Green Hill U. B. Church, Safe Harbor. \$80.75 cash. Very unpleasant out. Raining nearly all day and much colder in eve.

Saturday, November 25

Partly cloudy. Attending funeral of Elizabeth, wife of Philip Kling. Born August 22, 1837. Died November 24, 1911. Aged 74-2-28. Rev Harnish spoke at house and Rev Divine of Boehm's opened the services at church (Boehm's) and Rev W. L. Lindsay. Text, St. John 12-36. Bearers: Benj Stettler, Harry Immel, Christ Breneman, Abrm, John and Aldus Goss. Large funeral. Buried at Byerland by the side of her first husband. Casket, \$75.00. Blanket, \$3.50. Shroud, \$5.00. Came home from cemetery. Working about balance of day. At IORM in eve. Cold and stormy partly all day.

Sunday, November 26

Partly clear. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. About home p.m. and eve. A delightful day.

Monday, November 27

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy at my books. A very beautiful day a.m. Damper, p.m.

Tuesday, November 28

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Cool and damp. Raining last night and rain in p.m.

Wednesday, November 29

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Cool all day. Colder in eve.

Thursday, November 30

Partly clear. About home a.m. Drove down on farm and went to see Fritz Muehler with regard to taking him to the almshouse for the winter. He is in a very pitiable condition. Found him in bed without a spark of fire in the house and scarcely anything to eat. He told me he would go with me next week but no one else, p.m. At home in eve. Another Thanksgiving Day has passed. Cold, raw air all day. Very heavy frost this morning.

Friday, December 1

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy. Assessors making returns. Wife and Blanche drove to Lancaster. Rather cool but beautiful day.

Saturday, December 2

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster a.m. At bank meeting p.m. At home in eve. Rec'd word of the death of Henry Bleacher of Safe Harbor. Blanche and H.W. went down and took charge of body and arranged funeral for Tuesday morning 11:30 and 1:30 at River Corner Mennonite Church. Cold, raw air all day.

Sunday, December 3

Cloudy. At Sunday school and down at Bleacher's looking after body a.m.

Monday, December 4

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy with assessments. This was the first real winter day. Commenced snowing in earnest about 9 o'clock for several hours. Ground covered with light covering. Cold all day.

Tuesday, December 5

Clear. At Lancaster all day. H.W. and Blanche attended funeral of Henry Bleacher. Born January 5, 1835. Died December 2, 1911. Aged 76-10-27. Rev Roberts spoke at house. Rev Jacob Thomas at church. Bearers: Benj and Leonard Boatman, Wm Bleacher, Harry Aston, Danl M. Witmer, Amos Fisher. Very small funeral at River Corner Church. Casket, 65.00. Blanket, \$3.50. Shroud, \$5.00. Total, \$73.50. Cold all day. Moderating some.

Wednesday, December 6

Clear. Went down to Fritz Muehler's this morning, intending to take him to County Hospital, but sorry the old man was too ill so will defer the matter for the present. Returned home and was called to Millersville by phone to

take charge of the body of Mrs. John Stillinger who died very unexpectedly of heart failure. Blanche and I went over and took charge of body and arranged funeral for Friday p.m. at Lancaster, p.m. Very beautiful day.

Thursday, December 7

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Attended a supper in the eve. at Wheatland Hotel given by Mr. L.R. Reist, the retiring Republican county commissioner. It was certainly a fine affair. The following were present. L.R. Reist, James W. Aikin, Aaron B. Landis, Jacob Seldomridge, Frank Musser, Dr. J.F. Dunlap, David Swope, A.J. Zercher, C.M. Reiling, Chas Strickler, Enos E. Mower, Jacob R. Groff, Saml W. Diller, Chas F. Hager, esq., M.G. Shaffer, esq., N. Franklin Hall, esq., H.C. Schlock, John Reist. Very Beautiful day.

Friday, December 8

Clear. Attending funeral of Barbara Ann, wife of John Stillinger, Millersville. Born September 4, 1847. Died December 6, 1911. Aged 64-3-2. Rev Dr. Hufford of Reading spoke from Hebrew 4-9+11. Bearers: G.B. Felty, R.B. Baker, Noah Shuman, Benj Myers. Buried at Mennonite cemetery Millersville. Beautiful corpse and family very much pleased. Rec'd word of death of Susan Burkhart. Blanche and I took charge of body. A beautiful day. Remarkable weather for this time of year.

Saturday, December 9

Cloudy. At Lancaster a.m. At Millersville, Dr. Reeder's for certificate, etc., and home p.m. About home in eve. Very pleasant day but rather damp.

Sunday, December 10

Partly clear. At Sunday school and preaching a.m. Blanche and I over at Hess's looking after body. Rec'd word to come to Slackwater. Body of man found in Miller's

woods opposite the dam break. Body was that of an old peddler known as Elick McCann. Brought body here. Will hold for identification by relatives, if any. At home in eve. Very beautiful day.

Monday, December 11

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy all day on tax list. Beautiful weather.

Tuesday, December 12

Partly clear. Attending funeral of Susan Burkhart. Born 4-17-1831. Died 12-8-1911. Aged 80-8-9. Rev Len Weaver spoke from Revelations 6-4. Bearers: Wm and Frank Burkhart and Milton and Charles Hess, grandsons. Services at David H. Hess home, Rock Hill. Interment (only) at New Danville Reformed Mennonite cemetery. \$56.00. A very nice funeral and folks very much pleased, a.m. Went down on farm p.m. Have Lettie whitewashing trees in orchard. Had Henry to draw a few water courses. Paid him for same. Remarkable weather. Uncomfortably warm at noon.

Wednesday, December 13

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. H.W. buried small child, stillborn, for Warfel, Manor, (Son of B. Frank Warfel), at Green Hill Church. \$3.50. Damp a.m. Much cooler p.m. and eve.

Thursday, December 14

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Blanche along. H.W. took body of John McCann to county morgue, he not being claimed by relatives or friends. Seems too for no one to claim it. Bought typewriter of Miss Daily today for Blanche to work on. Damp all day. Sleet and rain at noon and eve. and colder.

Friday, December 15

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Very damp and raining. Not cold.

Saturday, December 16

Cloudy. At Lancaster, Millersville bank and home. Bought typewriter, or rather brought it along out and paid for it today. \$40.00, cash. Damp and rain last night and partly all day.

Sunday, December 17

Partly clear. At Sunday school a.m. At home p.m. and at preaching by Rev Shelley in eve. Mr. Yentzer told Blanche to be organist from now on at church service and that he would lead the singing only. Am very glad that he will continue on singing with us. Cold, raw air all day.

Monday, December 18

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy in office. Blanche along in. Cold, raw air all day.

Tuesday, December 19

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Busy with assessors books. Wife along in. Cold, raw air, but fine winter weather.

Wednesday, December 20

Clear. At Lancaster all day. Beautiful day. Very heavy frost and cold in morning.

Thursday, December 21

At Lancaster all day. At church in eve. and practicing for Christmas.

Friday, December 22

At Lancaster all day. Was surprised to see Charles walk into the office about 4:15 p.m. Was certainly glad to see him. Had not been home for two years. He, Clara and Paul came out with me on the trolley. They are all looking fine. Gave Diller, Reich, Hall, Aikin, and Swope Christmas presents. Rec'd Christmas presents from Mr. Diller. Fine box of kerchiefs. Mr. Aikin, napkin ring, Mr. a Swope, tie and kerchief. Cloudy and raining and very damp all day. Roads very muddy.

Saturday, December 23

Partly clear. At Lancaster all day. In office till noon and spent p.m. with Charles and the folks about town. Rec'd Christmas presents from Mr. N. Frank Hall, 1/2 dozen handkerchiefs. Mr. L.R. Reich, 1 pound box of very fine candy. At IORM in the eve. Cold, raw air all day.

Sunday, December 24

At Sunday school and preaching a.m. and treated school 2 oranges and 1/2 pound good candy. At home p.m. At M. E. Church attending Christmas services, wife and I in eve. Snowing from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. but melting. Cloudy and cooler.

Monday, December 25

Partly clear. About home all day. Chas, Clara and Paul took dinner with us. Spent the day very pleasantly. Had our Christmas services at the church this eve. A large attendance. Services used "Message of the Star" by Hallmark Co. Pleasant all day. Roads quite muddy.

Tuesday, December 26

Cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Harry W. Hess and Christ C. Urban had my team and took Fritz Muehler to the county alms house. I had made arrangements some time ago to have him taken in, but he was ill. I am glad the old man is there. He will be so much more comfortable. Hope he will like it. Mr. Diller, County Commissioner, proposed that I go home one hour earlier, 3:30, while the days are so short. (Very kind, I am sure). Very damp and rainy all day. Not cold.

Wednesday, December 27

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Busy all day. Delivered roughbox over to the Reformed Mennonite cemetery this p.m. for Burkhardt's family. Rec'd word by phone to meet funeral (of Mrs. McGowen of



Harrisburg) at Hildebrand hotel on Saturday, 1 p.m. Damp partly all day. Very much colder and stormy in eve.

Thursday, December 28

At Lancaster all day. Busy all day. Butchered 2 hogs. Weighed 476 pounds. Cost \$30.00 in feed and the shoats when bought. Colder and very stormy.

Friday, December 29

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster all day. Very busy. Cold all day.

Saturday, December 30

Partly cloudy. At Lancaster a.m. Attending funeral of Mrs. John McGowen of Harrisburg. Met funeral at Pa. station, Lancaster. Then by trolley to Hildebrand Hotel, Willow Street. Then by hearse to Boehm's. Mary, in her 66th year. Rev B.H. Hart of Harrisburg, Rev Jos Genserver of Lancaster, & Rev Devine of Boehm's spoke very appropriately. Bearers: Isaac Hackman, Harry Immel, B.H. Goss, B.F. Stettler. \$10.00 cash. At home in eve. Cold all day. Not as stormy. Looks very much for snow.

Sunday, December 31

Cloudy. At Sunday school. Had election of officers. A.J. Zercher, Supt. A.M. Charles, Asst. Supt. Elizabeth Charles, Secy. H.W. Hess, Treas. I appointed Raymond Charles, Maris Smith and Walter Good. Also a committee to open the birthday box and count money, Blanche B. Zercher, Mrs. A.M. Charles, Mrs. Sue J. Keene, a.m. At home p.m. and at church in eve. Clara and Paul started for Sand Patch. Will leave Lancaster at 10:25 this eve. We are sorry to see them go. Very damp all day and sloppy. Snowed last night and rained this morning.

## 1911

Another year has come to a close and many are the blessings that we have enjoyed. We have been blessed with health and have had many pleasant memories in the past year and also those to feel sad about that we have so often come short of doing our Christian duties, but by God's help I mean to live still closer to Him.

## Memoranda

March 17

Settled with Eli S. Richardson to date. Balance due on property, \$114.00.

May 10

Joe (horse) died this eve about 8 o'clock. Sent him down to Al Kendig's (vet surg.) this morning and he worked with him all day, but no remedy. May 11, went down early this morning and held a postmortem. He had a knot in small intestines and stomach burst. Gave him a decent burial west of Kendig's barn in field. He was a faithful horse. Served me over 10 years. Drove him over the whole county 5 years ago when I was mercantile appraiser. He was a remarkable horse. A special favorite with us, especially Blanche, who could drive him anywhere. He seemed to be especially careful when she drove alone. His place will be hard to fill. He was about 23 or more years old.

B.F. Zercher's Tobacco Crop

1814 lbs. wrappers @ 10 cents,	\$181.40
334 lbs. filler @ 3 cents,	10.02
	\$191.42
Our Share.	\$95.71

H.L. Martin's Tobacco Crop

6526 lbs. wrappers @ 10 cents	\$652.60
1743 lbs. filler @ 3 cents	52.26
	\$704.86
Our Share.	\$352.43
Total:	\$448.14