



Photo courtesy of Sharon Weatherholtz

Pupils of the Kipps School, northwest of New Market, pose outside the school sometime between 1900 and 1915. The only two known students are James Weatherholtz (seventh from right, back row) and Nell White (second from right on back row). Anyone who can identify students in this photo is asked to provide the information to The Free Press.

Pages from newspapers past

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Died. Mr. Erasmus Zirkle, New Market, Mar. 7. He was in the 71st

year of his age. Three daughters and two sons survive, one of his sons residing in Indiana, five of his children having preceded him in death, and his wife about ten years ago.

Petty Thievery. Monday night, some one broke the lock on the smoke house door belonging to Mr. Samuel D. Hupp on Smith Creek and took three nice hams and two shoulders (hanging up), and also a lot of beef, which was salted down in a tub.

Mar. 14, 1895

Married. Mar. 3d by Rev. H. Ditzler, Mr. Monroe F. Pennywitt and Miss Minnie Gertrude, eldest daughter of William C. and Annie Barton.

Died. Mrs. Sarah Rinker, near Jerome, Feb. 23, aged 72 years.

Polly Estep, wife of Isaac Estep Mar. 7, aged 52 years. She leaves a husband and three sons and two daughters.

St. Patrick's day will fall on Sunday March 17th this year. Those whose custom it is to plant potatoes and sow cabbage seed on this day, will be compelled to be either a day early or a day late, if they observe the Sabbath.

(Adv.) Notice. I will offer for sale for cash at Adam Barb's near Shenandoah Alum Springs, 27th day of March, the following property: Two copper stills, two worms, one still cap, ten empty barrels, 40 tubs, one apple mill, property of Adam Barb. To satisfy warrant in my hands, for collection in favor of the United States, M. M. Johnson, Dept. Col. Int. Rev.

County Court Proceedings. C. W. Boyce appointed and qualified as guardian of Jno. L., Bessie M. and Guy Boyce; Michael J. Good, gdn. For John M., Robert M. and David B. Good; Isajah Emswiler, gdn. for Varner H. and Charles Emswiler; George H. Snarr, gdn. For Julius, Albert and Ida Keller.

Mar. 21, 1895

Married. Near Orkney Springs by Rev. A. C. Boliek, Mr. Homer B. Funkhouser and Miss Anna H. Basye March 17.

Died. John Henry Kagey at his home near Quicksburg Mar. 17, aged 52 years. He married in 1874 Emma F. Foltz. Five sons and one daughter survive.

Mr. Jas. W. Smoot on the 15th inst. aged 68 years. He left a loving wife, one son and three daughters, three brothers, Messrs. David and Hampson Smoot of Shenandoah County and Dr. H. J. Smoot of Luray.

Mr. I. W. Sager Mar. 18th of chronic cystitis in Woodstock aged 72 years. He was born in Wardensville, went to Starke County, Ohio, as a young man, where he was married, went to Muscatine, Iowa until 1887. His wife having died, he moved back to Ohio, and married a second time. His health very poor, he returned to Woodstock. His remains were taken to Bristol, Trumbull County, Ohio, for interment.

Mar. 29, 1895

Roll of Honor. Fairmont School: Minnie Brill,

Minnie Hamman, Zelia Brill, Bertha Brill, Joy Whittington, Daisy Whittington, Homer Brill, Edgar Maphis, teacher.

(Adv.) For Sale. Some imported Dorset horn bucks, a flock of common sheep, a good Hampshire down buck, thorough bred Berkshire hog and artichokes. Howard Armstrong. Lantz's Mill.

Married. On the 26th of March on Liberty Street in Edinburg by Rev. H. Tallhelm, Mr. John C. Miler of near Woodstock and Miss Cora E. Mowry of near St. Luke.

At Carmel March 24th by Rev. J. L. Kibler, Mr. Philip W. Sheetz to Miss Martha A. O'Flaherty.

In Woodstock Mar. 24th by Rev. Mr. Bushong, Mr. Edward T. Barb and Miss Anna L. Baker of Mt. Olive.

Apr. 4, 1895

Marred. Mar. 31 at Conicville by Elder B. W. Neff, Miss Dora Good and Mr. Ezra F. Kagey.

Died. Mary Catharine Lewis March 30, aged 40 years. She leaves a husband and four children. The funeral was at Conicville.

Susanna Strawderman, March 29 near Liberty Furnace aged 63 years. She leaves a brother and two sisters.

Miss Elizabeth C. Tidler March 28 in New Market aged 70 years.

Isaac M. Lloyd Apr. 3 at Valley View Springs, aged about 29 years. His wife and one child together with his mother, three sisters and three brothers and one of his brothers residing in San Francisco, Calif.

Apr. 12, 1895

County Court Proceedings. Alonza F. Rinker was appointed and qualified as guardian for Albert, Cora Ellen, James E., Charles L., Lucy Jane and Samuel D. Rinker, orphans of Lydia Rinker dec'd.; H. A. Beeler, guardian of Charles M., Mary Bell, Walter and Viola Beeler, orphans of William Beeler, dec'd.

Roll of Honor. Liberty Furnace School. Julius Miller, Joseph & Willie Hottel, Ed. Hines, Thomas and George Vann, Meno Strawderman, Richard Miller, Earl Brumbaugh, Roy Bowers, James Funkhouser jr., Thomas and Paul Markley, Paul Strawderman, Minnie Coffman, Effie, Virgie and Blanche Funkhouser, Annie Strawderman, Effie & Daisy Sine, H. D. Nesselrodt, Staler Brumbaugh, Arthur Polk, Franklin Funkhouser, Ada Coffman, Jas. S. Hottel, teacher.

Died. Mr. Noah J. Burner, at one time the proprietor of the celebrated watering place, Seven Fountains, or as it was then called, Burner's White Sulphur Springs, at his home in Powell's Fort on Saturday of pneumonia, aged about 77 years. He wife was buried Apr. 15th aged 78 years.

Mrs. Mary Rinker, wife of Rev. Hy. St. John Rinker near Maurertown Apr. 7th. She was the mother of 14 children, 1 of whom is still living, three having died in infancy.

Mr. Amelia Catherine Coffelt Apr. 1st, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marshall of Woodstock, aged 43 years. She leaves a husband, children, mother and father.