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This old postcard photo shows the intersection of U.S. Rts. 211 and 11 in the middle of New Market sometime during the late 1930s or early 1940s. The Lee Jackson Hotel at that time had an overhanging porch that has since been removed. After World War II it ceased to operate as a hotel and today is the site of an antique business.

# Pages from newspapers past

12/12/02

July 20, 1883

Died. After a short illness of internal cancer, Mrs. James Zirkle, nee Miss Artie Lutz, daughter of Alexander and Rebecca Lutz, died at her home July 18 near Rinkerton, aged about 41 years. She leaves a husband and six children, two daughters and four sons, the youngest, a son about three years old, and aged parents, sadly bereaved.

Simon E. Barb, son of Joseph E. and Caroline Barb, near Liberty Furnace, aged 7 years.

Near Woodstock on the 11<sup>th</sup> inst. Mrs. Sophia Burner in the 67<sup>th</sup> year of her age.

Married. On the 12<sup>th</sup> inst. near Lebanon Church by Rev. Wm. Rusmissele, Mr. C. P. Booker of Frederick County and Miss Helen F. Mowry of Shenandoah.

July 25, 1883

Married. On July 19 by Rev. Mr. Bushong, Mr. David R. Hollar and Miss Fannie F. McCoy.

Died. On June 28 in Corning, Clay County, Arkansas, Minnie May, daughter of Jacob G. and Eva Rinker, granddaughter of Rev. H. St. Jno. And Mary Rinker and Mrs. Leannah Kerlin, aged one year.

Fravel's spring is very popular these warm nights. A number of visitors enjoy the cool water of this spring which has been visited regularly every summer for almost a century.

Aug. 1, 1883

Died. Miss Belle Fravel, daughter of the late Geo. Fravel, last Tuesday night in the 49<sup>th</sup> year of her age.

Aug. 8, 1883

Married. In Hawkinstown Aug. 2 by Rev. J. W. Hicks, Mr. James F. Hepner and Miss Lora A. Sager.

Died. Mr. Samuel Hisey in Edinburg July 31, aged 61 years.

Aug. 15, 1883

Married. At Edinburg the 12<sup>th</sup> inst. by Rev. H. Tallhelm, Mr. James Summers and Miss Lydia Clinedinst.

Aug. 9 near Liberty Furnace by Rev. J. P. Stirewalt, Mr. John S. Dellinger and Miss Sarah E. Miller.

Items. Our Liberty Furnace correspondent furnishes us with the following: On last Friday night between 8 and 9 o'clock, the Chirstly Mumaw property, dwelling house near Cabin Hill burned down.

On last Saturday quite a commotion was caused in the congregation of St. Paul's Church near Liberty Furnace. Whilst Rev.

Paul Stirewalt was preaching a harvest sermon, by someone, standing in the doorway, calling out "Jacob R. Miller's house is on fire." The congregation immediately departed to the scene of the conflagration about a half mile distant. On their arrival, it was discovered that the dry house and bake oven were burned down, as well as part of the garden fence. After the fire, the congregation repaired to the church where the sermon that had already begun was finished.

Aug. 22, 1883

Items. Andrew J. Frank, Greely, Anderson County, Kansas, who left this county 36 years ago is visiting relative at Forestville, having been born, reared and married in this county.

Married. Aug. 9 near Cross Roads, by Rev. J. Paul Stirewalt, Mr. John W. Lindamood and Miss Ellenora Fry.

Died. Mr. Samuel Kibler on the 15<sup>th</sup> inst, aged 59 years.

Aug. 27, 1883

Married. Aug. 19 by Elder E. B. Shaver, Mr. Philip M. McIlwee to Miss Bertha A. Grover, the former of Frederick County.

Died. Near St Luke on the 20<sup>th</sup> inst. Joseph Howard, infant son of Mr. Harry Hottel, aged 7 months.

On Toms Brook on the 23d inst. Mrs. Margaret Longacre, aged 70 years. Mrs. L. was the daughter of Rev. Bernard Willey, a native of Switzerland.

Sept. 7, 1883

Died. Near Woodstock on the 20<sup>th</sup> of Aug., George W. Fansler in the 50<sup>th</sup> year of his age.

Sale of Craney Island. On Monday, Mr. C. Theis of New Market purchased of his father-in-law, Samuel Grim, Esq., the property known as Craney Island on Smith Creek, three miles south of New Market, consisting of a flouring and saw mill, dwelling house, and about two acres of land. Mr. Theis and family will move the last of October, but Mr. T. will continue his cabinet making business in New Market.

Sept. 14, 1883

Married. At the residence of Mr. Ephraim Fry near Shenandoah Alum Springs Sept. 7 by Rev. J. Paul Stirewalt, Mr. Fenton T. Fry and Miss Amanda J. Hansberger.

Died. Near St. Luke Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>, George W., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stults, aged 14 years.

Sept. 19, 1883

Died. Near Mt. Olive on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst. Mrs. Margaret Ann Hottel in the 72nd year of her age.

Near Edinburg Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> Mrs. Julia Ann Fry, wife of Ambrose Fry, aged 47 years.

Sept. 26, 1883.

Died. On the 22d inst. Baxter L. Campbell, infant son of Dr. J. L. Campbell, aged 8 months.

On Narrow Passage on the 17<sup>th</sup> inst. Mrs. Julia Marshall in the 89<sup>th</sup> year of her age.

After next Sunday, postage on letters will be two cents. As we have no Sunday mails, all letters written next Sunday will be forwarded at the reduced rate.

Mr. Jno. S. Hoshour commenced the brick work on Mr. B. Schmitt's new Drug Store and residence yesterday.

Oct. 3, 1883

Personals. Mr. Henry Wilkin, of Columbus, O., formerly of this county, accompanied by his son, visited his brother Mr. Israel Wilkin. Mr. Wilkin left this county 35 years ago.

Mr. Philip Hamman, an old citizen of this county, but now a resident of Ogle County, Illinois, is visiting friends. He left Shenandoah about 27 years ago.

A telegram announcing that Mr. Erasmus Fetzter, a policeman, formerly of Woodstock, was killed at La Porte, Indiana last Wednesday night.

The wife of Gabriel Gilkerson, colored, died at New Market on last Friday morning aged about 24 years. She was buried the same day at the Bird burying ground on Massanutten Mountain.

Oct. 10, 1883

Improvements. Work on the brick pavement to be made between the town well at the residence of L. M. Henkel and Emmanuel Church in New Market was commenced this week. The Messrs. Gorley are doing the work.

Married. On the 3d inst. at the residence of Mr. Robert Cahoon, by Rev. Mr. Bushong, Mr. P. L. Miller of Wardensville, W. Va., and Miss Alice Coffman of Woodstock.

On the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. by Rev. G. H. Martin, Mr. Wm. S. Brill and Miss Elizabeth Conner.

On the 22d inst. at Lebanon Church by Rev. Wm. Rusmissele, Miss Annie V. Cooper and Mr. John Kline, both of this county.

On the 2d inst. by Elder E. B. Shaver, Mr. Nathaniel Henkel of Frederick County to Miss Barbara Copp of Shenandoah.

On the same day by the same, George S. Gochenour to Miss Alice V. Shaver, both of this county.