



Pupils of the Edinburg School, including grade school and high school, pose outside the building on the hill at the north end of town in the weeks before the final session ended in 1933. They were the last students to attend school there before the new school was opened at the site of the present building on Stony Creek Boulevard. The old school was torn down three years after it was closed. The building was built in 1876 using funds collected in a lottery. Alvin Lutz, principal when the building was vacated as a school, became principal of the new school. Among the teachers at this school were Bragg Moyer, Alma Stoneburner, Mary Shipe, Ella Miller and Mattie Hollingsworth. High school teachers were Nellie Nevitt, Josephine Hutchinson, William I. Zirkle, O.B. Michael, O.J. Ziegler and Lutz.

Pages from newspapers past

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Roll of Honor. Pugh's Run: Genie Artz, Aden, Agnes, Lucy and Mary Fravel, Esta Painter, Fannie and Annie Priest, Katie Wright, Minnie Reedy, Molly Copp, Delia Myers, Wade Wright, Hubert and Homer Artz, Willie and Frank Priest, Charles Funk, Oscar Hottel, Clarence Rinker, Jos. Ritenour, Locke Wright.

Mt. Jackson School: Lafayette Jordan, John Hall, Willie R. Downey, Arthur Ray, Willie Grove, Russell Frith, Frank Minnick, Willie Ritenour, Johnnie Rosenberger, Charles Rosenberger, Minnie Ruby, Nannie Ritenour, Maggie Stoneburner, George Romack, Sylvester Branham, George Ward, Charles Ward, Eugene Stoneburner, Fanny Jewell, Nannie Thorpe.

Mt. Air School: Lucy A. Barr, George Miller, Daisy Ryman, Nell Lamberson, Allie Hoover, Lucy Feller, Ada Fravel, Ed. Jones, Wm. Hoover, Chas. Fravel, Frank, George, John and Harry Wilkin, George W. and Levi Windle, William Stultz, Jos. Hottel, Otis Hoover, Otis, Dolph, Hugh and Bernie Feller, Samuel Beam and Hugh Coffman.

Feb. 9, 1893

Died. At New Market Feb. 4, William E. Shomo, aged 86 years 8 months and 17 days. He married Miss Elizabeth Susan Tidlow in 1831. He was the father of nine children.

At New Market Philander Booton Moffett, aged 75 years.

At New Market, Andrew Jackson Holtzman, aged 73 years Feb. 6.

Mary McInturff, wife of Solomon McInturff of Powell's Fort Feb. 3, aged 80 years.

Mrs. Samuel Beydler, daughter of Mr. James W. Smoot dropped dead shortly after breakfast on Tuesday morning at St. Luke.

Miss Edna C. McInturff, daughter of Mr. Manoah McInturff on Saturday at the residence of her uncle, Mr. Geo. W. Clem near Hawkinstown where she was visiting, from a malignant attack of diphtheria.

Rebecca Burner, aunt of Silas and Jacob

Hoover, living near Willow Grove, at the home of Jacob Hoover Feb. 2, aged 78 years.

Married. Feb. 5th by Elder S. A. Shaver near Maurertown, Mr. William H. Barr and Miss Annie L. Yew.

Feb. 16, 1893

Married. At the home of Mr. Andy Bushong in Middletown, Henry County, Ind., Feb. 5 by Rev. J. N. Stirewalt, Mr. Philip Neese of Henry County, and Miss Laura A. Bushong of Shenandoah County.

On Feb. 9 at the widow Nellie Miller's, mother of the bride near Jerome, Mr. Charlie Ryan, and Miss Cora A. Miller.

Died. Mr. Moses Kipps, west of New Market Feb. 16 in the 86th year of his age. Mr. Kipps was born and reared in the house his father built fully 100 years ago until he moved into a new house some 75 yards from the "old home" with his nephew, Mr. Wm. Olinger and family. He was unmarried.

Feb. 23, 1893

Died. Ella, the 7 year old daughter of Mrs. Bettie Brown, colored, at her home in New Market last Friday night.

Joseph Lonas was born June 22, 1806 and died near Mt. Clifton Feb. 10, 1893, aged 86 years 7 months and 18 days. He was the father of 12 children.

Mrs. Barbara B. Hoover, widow of the late Samuel R. Hoover, Feb. 19, aged 70 years of cancer, and Miss Julia A., her daughter, of paralysis Feb. 19 near New Market. They were both buried in one grave in the Strickler graveyard.

March 2, 1893

Mr. John Flemings sold his house and lot on Smith Creek several miles northeast of New Market not long since to Mr. Samuel Olinger for \$275.00 cash. He and his family left this week of Xenia, Ohio, where they expect to reside.

Honor Roll Union Forge Graded School: Ernest Coffman, Philip Clem, Oscar Coffelt, Phillip Hutchison, Arthur and Otis Holler, Willie Lantz, Reuben, Ezra and Sam Sibert, Rose Bowers, Laura and Sada Coffman, Mary and Daisy Coffelt, Vallie and Pearl

Holler, Mary and Mattie Sibert, Ina Miller, Blanche and Ada Fravel, Ogden Miller. Alice V. Coffelt, teacher.

March 9, 1893

Conicville. Some friend writes us that "the post office known as Jacob's Church, Shenandoah County, Va., was changed to Cabin Hill, in the year 1812, and this name was changed to Conicville in Feb. 1893." Well, Jacob's Church was good enough "for the fathers"; Cabin Hill "for the sons"; but why Conicville? A writer humorously says "we will have to submit, but the public must not write it Cronicville nor Colicville - the line must be drawn somewhere, but Conicville, whoever or whatever he, she, or it may be."

Henry Moton, a colored toll-gate keeper in the gap on the Massanutten Mountain, has caught since the first of January, 13 foxes, four red and nine grey. He caught them all in a bear trap, catching two red foxes in one night.

Died. Ada Bell, daughter of Perry J. and Beulah Brill of Zepp, aged 8 months.

Mrs. Mildred Orndorff near Mt. Airy schoolhouse Feb. 22, aged 67 years.

Claude Allen, little son of Joseph Painter of Willow Grove March 2, aged one.

Mrs. Caroline Grabill, widow of the late Ephraim Grabill and mother of Capt. Jno. H. Grabill in Woodstock Friday, aged 81.

William Shuff at his residence at Edith Feb. 25th, aged 85 years. He was married to Margaret Glenn in 1832 who survives, 11 children were born.

March 16, 1893

Belgrade Items. Mr. Henry Weaver is, we are glad to say, able to be in his store again, after a severe spell of sickness. J. F. Lonas has purchased a new stock of goods. Mr. J. B. Lonas, the undertaker, has purchased a new hearse. Messrs. Jacob A. Hepner, C. Estep and will Estep are working in West Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fry are in West Virginia visiting relatives. They get plenty home-made sugar.

Married. At Woodstock March 9 by Rev. Mr. Bushong, Mr. Frederick L. Dellinger and Miss Clara A. Halterman.