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## TWO BIRDMEN LOSE LIVES

### WHEN THEIR PLANE STRIKES A ROCK ON MOUNTAIN SIDE.

#### The Men Were Killed by Having Their Heads Crushed.

Two United States birdmen, Lieutenant Kenyon H. Hegardt and Lieutenant H. W. Downing, were killed instantly when the plane carrying the two crashed into the mountain on Monday afternoon. The men had left Dayton, Ohio, and it is believed were on their way back when they became confused by reason of the low altitude in which they were flying and the fog.

The accident occurred in the South Mountains in the western part of Adams county. Residents of Gettysburg, although not seeing the machine, heard the sound of the motor as the plane passed near the town. The plane was seen by William F. Keener and Alice B. Keener, a brother and sister, who live in the house nearest the scene of the fatality and they were the first to reach the wrecked plane, the two men being dead when they arrived.

Flying at a low altitude the plane circled over the Keeners three times the men evidently trying to get their bearings in the slight fog which then prevailed. They headed west and in a few moments the brother and sister heard a crash. Believing that something had happened to the plane, although they did not see it fall, they followed in the direction the machine had taken from which the sound came. Traveling through the brush and up into the mountain they came upon the wreckage, a little more than a half mile from their home. When they arrived the two men were dead, the straps holding them were torn and one man seemed to have been thrown ahead of the wreck and the other to the side. One parachute was ready for use and the machine had struck a rock on the mountain side which tore the engine from the plane.

It was about a half hour after the Keeners found the wreck that any other persons arrived and then Dr. Ira Henderson was sent for and he in turn summoned Coroner Dr. E. A. Miller of Gettysburg. The two dead birdmen were carried from the scene on improvised stretchers made from the parachutes they carried.

The clock attached to the plane registered 2.15 when the wreck was cleared enough that it could be seen, indicating that this was the hour when the plane crashed to the ground. The plane was a DeHavilland type, No. 64,593, and was piloted by Lieutenant Downing when the accident occurred.

It was a complete wreck. A survey of the conditions about the wreck gave indications that the plane had gone through the tops of several tall trees before crashing into the rock. An indicator in the cockpit showed that the plane was traveling at a speed of 100 miles an hour at the time of the crash into the mountain.

By a ring on the finger of Lieutenant Hegardt he was identified as a graduate of West Point in the class of 1923, and Lieutenant Downing was a graduate the same year from the same institution.

Coroner Dr. Miller after examining the bodies stated that both officers suffered fractured skulls and that many bones in their bodies were broken. He declared death had been instantaneous for both fliers. The bodies were first moved to the undertaking establishment of H. L. Allison of Fairfield and then to Gettysburg.

Captain E. G. Reinartz, an air officer from Bolling Field, Washington, came to Gettysburg to take charge of the bodies and make an investigation of the accident. Under the plans as arranged by Captain Reinartz the body of Lieutenant H. W. Downing was sent to Palmyra, N. J. It was met in Harrisburg by Mrs. Downing, the widow and a small daughter, who accompanied it to the New Jersey town where burial was made.

The body of Lieutenant Kenyon H. Hegardt went with that of his companion on the ill-fated trip but at Harrisburg it was sent westward, first to Dayton, Ohio, from which place it will be accompanied by a military guard to the far western state of California, for burial in his home city of Los Angeles.

J. Frank Houck, of Heidlersburg, died at his home on Sunday afternoon after a lingering illness, aged 93 years. He was blind for about eight years and bedfast for practically six years. He was born near the town in which he lived. With his wife, who was Miss Hannah Fiddler, they lived in the same house in which they went to house-keeping after their marriage, nearly 70 years ago. He was a Republican in his political affairs, serving for quite a time as postmaster of Heidlersburg in connection with which he kept the general store, which he operated in the front of his house, during the Civil War, which gave him an excellent start in a financial way. He was well-to-do. At one time he was the owner of a number of fine farms in the county, which he disposed of when physically unable to properly care for them. For a number of years he was a Justice of the Peace, and also served as a school teacher. Passing through several severe spells of illness in the past years he gradually weakened and in the last few days of his last illness of about two weeks, lost consciousness until death relieved his sufferings. Beside his wife, he is survived by eight

children: W. S. Houck and Mrs. John Haverstick, of Heidlersburg; Mrs. J. S. Raffensperger, of Hanover; Mrs. Edward Sheaffer and Mrs. C. M. Stouffer, of York; Mrs. Curtis E. Diehl, of New Oxford; Harry Houck, of Gettysburg, and Mrs. Earl Spangler, of Harrisburg. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon by Rev. J. Harld Little, pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Heidlersburg, with interment in the Heidlersburg cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah Ellen Deardorff, widow of David G. Deardorff, died at her home in York, following a lingering illness, aged 71 years, 4 months and 10 days. She leaves three sons, Harvey G. Deardorff, of Pittman, N. J.; Kurvin C. Deardorff and Arthur E. Deardorff, of York. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. William Mummert, of East Berlin. She was the widow of David G. Deardorff, former corresponding secretary of the York County Agricultural Society and a former county treasurer. Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday at 2 o'clock by Rev. Dr. W. H. Traub, pastor of Christ Lutheran Church, York, and interment will be in Prospect Hill Cemetery, York.

Reuben E. Golden died at his residence near Heistand Station, York, R. D. 7. He had been ill for several years. Mr. Golden was in the 68th year of his age. He leaves his widow, Sarah E. Golden; three sons, James I. Golden, of York county; Roy A. Golden and Otis R. Golden, both of Oyen, Alberta County, Canada, and a daughter, Mrs. John Kessler, of York county; one brother, Harry N. Golden, of Hanover; and four sisters, Mrs. William Erb, of near Davidsburg; Mrs. Luther Gulden, of Hanover; Mrs. Charles Winebrenner, of Gettysburg, and Mrs. Iama Kressler, of York county.

Mrs. Ellen E. Bechtel, wife of Murray Bechtel, died at her home near Littlestown, aged 51 years, 5 months and 6 days. Her parents were Solomon Boose, deceased, and Mrs. Savannah Boose, of near Silver Run, Md. She leaves her husband, her mother, a daughter and two sons, as follows: Mrs. Mark Trostle and Clarence Bechtel, of near Littlestown, and Ralph Bechtel, at home; a sister, Mrs. Chas. Myers, of Silver Run, and two brothers, Harvey Boose, of New Oxford, and Alvin Boose, of Silver Run. She was a life-long member of St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run. Funeral was held on Sunday, with services at the house, by Rev. E. R. Hamme, with interment in the Union Cemetery, Silver Run.

Mrs. Kate E. Bender, of Hanover, died at the State Hospital in Harrisburg, aged 51 years, 7 months and 6 days. She was a daughter of the late Daniel and Louisa Weisensale March. She is survived by four brothers, as follows: Linnes March, of near Hanover; Charles March, of Midway; Rev. Daniel J. March, of Scotland, Pa.; Elmer C. March, of Los Angeles, California, and two sisters, Mrs. I. S. Miller, of Hanover, and Mrs. Laura Brady, of McSherrystown. The funeral was held Saturday with services at the Hanover United Brethren Church, by Rev. W. M. Beattie, with interment in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Hanover.

Mrs. Mary Ann Hoffman, widow of Daniel Hoffman, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles B. Hartman, West Middle street, last week, aged 87 years. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Speck and was born at Abbottstown. She married Daniel Hoffman in 1863, and moved to Arendtsville, where she resided until the death of her husband, in 1910, when she moved to the home of her daughter. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Charles Hartman, she is survived by two step-sisters, Mrs. H. B. Keener, of Gettysburg, R. D., and Mrs. Ellen D. Diehl, of York. She was a member of the Arendtsville church. Funeral services were held on Thursday morning of last week by Rev. Geo. B. Ely, assisted by Rev. D. T. Koser, with interment in Fairview Cemetery, Arendtsville.

Mrs. Ruth Louise Eagy, widow of the late John A. Eagy, died at her home in Huntingdon township, York Springs, R. D., Saturday afternoon of last week, aged 84 years. She was the last member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Martin, of Maryland. She leaves the following children: Mrs. John McCann, of Youngstown, Ohio; Mrs. Harry Ickes, of Weir, Texas; Mrs. Carrie Cuddy, at home, and Chas. H. Eagy, of York Springs. She was a life-long member of the Ground Oak Lutheran church. Funeral services were on Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Ira Trostel, with interment in Sunny-side Cemetery, York Springs.

Mrs. Sarah A. C. Plank, widow of John Edward Plank, after being an invalid for the past seven years, died at her home on Carlisle street Wednesday of last week. During the battle the family lived near Pitzer's school house and a hospital was established near her home, where she helped in nursing the wounded and dying soldiers. Mrs. Plank was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Rinehart, and born near Frizzellburg, Maryland. In 1850, she was married to Mr. Plank, and in 1900, the couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mrs. Plank leaves 82 direct descendants. They are: five daughters, Mrs. Mary Bushman, of Gettysburg; Mrs. Vincent Bushman, of Hanover; Mrs. H. Foster Beard, of Gettysburg; Mrs. Emory H. Plank, of Cumberland township; Mrs. Roy Plank, of Freedom township; two sons, J. Jeremiah Plank, of Gettys-

burg, and David L. Plank, of Cumberland township; one sister, Mrs. James Zacharias, of Baltimore; thirty grandchildren and forty-four great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held on last Friday afternoon by Rev. Earl J. Bowman, pastor of St. James Lutheran church, with interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

Walter E. Tipton, native of Gettysburg, died in Spokane, Washington, on October 30th, aged 50 years. Mr. Tipton, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Tipton, succumbed to a stroke of apoplexy. He left Gettysburg in 1896, serving in the Spanish-American War in 1898. He was a member of Troop E, 3rd Cavalry, and was in the fighting at Santiago. After the war he went to Spokane, where he had successfully conducted an office laundry service. He is survived by his widow and the following brothers and sisters: William H. Tipton, Jr., Robert E. Tipton and Norman E. Tipton, all of Gettysburg; Mrs. Blanche Estelle Cahoon, of Los Angeles, California; Miss Mae E. Tipton, of New Orleans, and Ralph E. Tipton, of Wyoming, Pennsylvania. The body was brought here and interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

John McKenrick, of Ringgold, Maryland, a native of Buchanan Valley, died on Wednesday of last week, aged 63 years. The funeral services were held in St. Andrew's Catholic church, in Waynesboro, by Rev. Father J. O'Callahan, with interment at Ringgold. Mr. McKenrick is survived by his widow and four children: Mrs. Frank Barnhart, of Waynesboro; Mrs. John Delauter, of Taneytown, and Bernard and Miss Rebecca McKenrick, of Waynesboro. One brother, David McKenrick, of Buchanan Valley, and one sister, Virginia, of Florida, also survive.

Charles E. Dome died suddenly at his home in Arendtsville, on Sunday afternoon, from the effects of a stroke, aged 54 years. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Dome, and was born and raised at Arendtsville. For the past fifteen years he had been spending his winters in Florida. He was a member of the Arendtsville Reformed church. He leaves one sister, Miss Cordelia S. Dome, at home; a brother, J. Frank Dome, of Atlantic City, and a niece, Miss Alice L. Dome, at home.

Mrs. Agnes Catherine Philipps, widow of the late William Philipps, died at her home in Germany township, near Littlestown, on Tuesday evening, aged 78 years, 7 months and 8 days. She was a daughter of the late Joseph and Lydia Witherow. Her husband preceded her in death thirty years ago. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Chester Selby, of near Taneytown; Mrs. Horace Schue, of near Littlestown; Miss Amelia Philipps, of Hanover; Joseph Philipps, of near Littlestown. The following brothers and sisters also survive: William Witherow, of Washington; John Witherow, of Colorado; Washington Witherow, of Taneytown; Mrs. William Harner, of near Harney; Miss Sarah Witherow, of near Harney; Mrs. Harry Hays, of Indiana, and Mrs. Fleming Hoffman, of near Harney. The funeral was held on Friday, with brief services at Bart's Church, near Littlestown, by Rev. Earl Redding, and interment in Mt. Carmel Cemetery, Littlestown.

### "THE VELVET HAMMER."

Lawrence E. Oyler

The Legion post of Gettysburg is named for Albert Lentz and manned by men who figured in some violent events. Its offices are further tests of fortitude of soul, the same as listening to guns while camping in a hole, and Lawrence Oyler, having filled preliminary pits, has occupied the dugout where the post commander sits.

His talents as musician are of sizable display. The drum's the only instrument with which he gets away, but he's a virtuoso on that excellent device for freeing one's emotions from their robes of snow and ice. Far better trill with steady skill a single rolling note than make large flocks of misfit squawks with saxophone or throat!

He operates a lintoype with touch serene and true, and prints e t a o i n s h r d l u. He used to be a baseball card and sometimes unmoires now when major clubs collide to teach the minor players how. He sees in life a practical and valuable stunt and keeps good nature fortified with firm and friendly front.—Harrisburg Evening News.

### Official Congressman Vote.

J. W. Culp of Gettysburg, and W. H. Wierman of York, the official return judges of Adams and York counties, have officially computed the votes for Congressman as follows:

Adams county—Franklin Menges, Republican, 3,798; Samuel F. Glattfelter, Democrat, 4,132; George E. Smith, Socialist, 28; Franklin Menges, Prohibition, 660.

York county—Franklin Menges, Republican, 15,983; Samuel F. Glattfelter, Democrat, 15,268; George E. Smith, Socialist, 165; Franklin Menges, Prohibition, 702.

The total vote, Republican and Prohibition, for Menges was 20,485. His majority was 5,052.

Samuel F. Glattfelter carried Adams county by a plurality over Menges of 292, but lost York county by 5,509 votes.

## RED CROSS MEMBERSHIP

### CANVASS OF ANNUAL MEMBERS NOW GOING ON.

#### The Good That Is Being Done in the County Shown By Help to a Soldier's Family.

Thomas Grant was born in Adams County. An obedient and industrious boy, he attended school until it was necessary for him to go to work. He became a laborer in a quarry where his strong hand and clear head enabled him to manipulate a steam drill on a ledge fifty feet high. In 1917 he married a fine girl whom he had known since their childhood, and soon after enlisted and went overseas.

Much of what happened there he never remembered. A hideous noise from which there was no escape, the sight of mangled bodies, physical anguish, mental confusion—these are his recollections. The Sergeant of his company recalled events more distinctly. He said:

"Fire of heavy artillery caught us in a box barrage, some of us severely injured, blood penetrating through ears, eyes, nose, and mouth. Ground covered with yellow as yolk of eggs, soon learned that it was mustard gas. First aid impossible until fire ceased, then first aid of very little use. Eleven of us more or less insane. No help could be obtained. Returned to front line and did our best until relieved seven days later. Thomas Grant left behind in serious condition."

In 1919 Thomas returned. He could no longer stand on a ledge and manipulate a steam drill. He could not do the simplest work in the quarry. He moved to a little farm, but the loneliness terrified him. Presently he ceased to be able to sleep, and he saw before him constantly bleeding and mangled bodies. He could not be persuaded that he was at home with those who loved him, he believed that he was lying under giant cannon, waiting the command to charge. One day he advised his wife to keep out of his way for fear that he might mistake her for the enemy and do her harm. A few more weeks and it was necessary to place him where he could not harm himself or others.

Up until this time he had been unwilling to apply for aid because he "did not wish to do anything against the government." He left behind a wife and three little children. They were without funds and application of Mrs. Grant for aid was refused. In despair she made her situation known to the Red Cross.

At once the Secretary of the Adams County Chapter visited the family, provided aid, made it possible for Mrs. Grant to visit her husband, and eventually, after two years of correspondence and interviews, succeeded in convincing the government that Thomas's breakdown was due to his experience at the front. An allowance was granted which will enable Mrs. Grant to bring up her children.

This is one cast out of many. The Red Cross is a human being with a tender heart and inexhaustible patience. The Adams County Red Cross serves soldier and civilian.

THE FUNDS OF THE ADAMS RED CROSS ARE LOW. JOIN THE RED CROSS. IT COSTS ONLY \$1.00.

### Red Cross Proclamation.

Whereas, the Tenth Annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross will be conducted from Armistice Day, November 11th, to Thanksgiving, November 25th; and

Whereas, the above period is the time set aside during which all Americans everywhere will be invited to enroll or to renew their membership in the organization; and

Whereas, the American Red Cross offers the medium by which the more fortunate may serve and assist the afflicted in times of catastrophe, such as the recent hurricane in Florida; and

Whereas, the Red Cross by reason of its capacity to serve, its activity in helping to solve the problems of public health, and its interest in all humanitarian projects, deserves the support and unselfish loyalty of all the people.

Now, therefore, I, Gifford Pinchot, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do call upon the people to respond wholeheartedly to the Tenth Annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross, and to suggest that special stress be laid upon the work of this great organization in all our places of worship and at public gatherings to the end that it may continue its work for humanity without stint or handicap.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the Commonwealth at Harrisburg, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and of the Commonwealth the one hundred and fifty-first.

By the Governor: (Signed) Gifford Pinchot, Governor.

### Barn Burned.

The barn on farm of J. Heppler near Biglerville, burned to ground on Tuesday. The livestock were saved. The hay and wheat in barn was destroyed.

—Dr. and Mrs. H. F. C. Heagy, of Cochransville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. G. Heagy, Steinwehr avenue.

## COUNTY INSTITUTE NEXT WEEK

### With Fine Program of Instructors and Entertainments.

Monday, Nov. 15, 9 A. M. Enrollment in office of County Superintendent.

Monday, 1.30 P. M. Devotional Exercises—Dr. A. E. Wagner.

Music Drill—Prof. Taylor. Address—Prof. R. C. Shaw. Address—The Teacher in a Crisis—Dr. Harrap.

Tuesday, Nov. 16, 9 A. M. Devotional Exercises—Rev. J. Harold Little.

Music Drill—Prof. Taylor. Address—Mastering a Poem—Dr. Harrap.

Sectional Meetings 10-12. Tuesday, 1.30 P. M. Music Drill—Prof. Taylor.

Address—Some Qualities of Merit Possessed by All Superior Teachers—Miss Simpson.

Music Drill. Address—Orators and Oratory—Dr. Harrap.

Tuesday evening the American Entertainers, a company composed of widely varied talents, of two young ladies, Corinne Jessop and Luella Feiertag, present an entertainment of unusual excellence. The program is made up of songs, interpretative readings and instrumental numbers of real merit, cleverly arranged and staged. Costumed song numbers and musical readings, quaint, picturesque and highly entertaining, are especially attractive features.

Wednesday, Nov. 17, 9 A. M. Devotional Exercises—Rev. L. K. Young.

Music Drill—Prof. Taylor. Address—The Element Novelty—Dr. Harrap.

Sectional Meetings 10-12. Wednesday 1.30 P. M. Music Drill—Prof. Taylor.

Address—Reading for Appreciation and Enjoyment—Miss Simpson. Address—Life's Electives.

Music Drill. Address—The Chief Aim and the Greatest Need—Dr. Van Ormer.

Wednesday evening Taylor and Keylar do the entertaining. In order to crowd in the many good things, the program moves along with great rapidity. Mr. Herbert A. Taylor is the Magician, the Juggler and the Ventriloquist, capable of giving a full evening program alone in any of these three branches. He also does the comedy clown characterizations, the paper tearing and the rag pictures. Mr. W. C. Keylar is a tenor soloist of considerable vocal attainment. He features his vocal work, imitations of musical instruments, gives pianologues and does character songs in Scotch, Irish and Negro dialect in costume.

Thursday, Nov. 18, 9 A. M. Devotional Exercises—Rev. Chas. F. Catherman.

Music Drill—Prof. Taylor. Address—Heuristic Teaching — Dr. Van Ormer.

Sectional Meetings 10-12. Thursday, 1.30 P. M. Music Drill—Prof. Taylor.

Address—Factors in Moral Education—Dr. Harrap.

Music Drill—Prof. Taylor. Address—A Significant Bit of Pedagogy from H. G. Wells—Dr. Van Ormer.

Thursday evening promises to be a rare musical treat. The Fusons believe in and interpret American music. In scores of American cities every season there appear window cards and lithographs announcing a concert of songs and duets by Ethel Wright, contralto, and Ton Fuson, tenor, "America's foremost exponents of the Art of Duet Singing." Some people look, then go and secure tickets. Others probably say to themselves "another song recital." These last, unfortunately are unable to visualize what lies behind the pictures of the artistic looking couple on the placards. If they could they would know that here is a combination of two colorful personalities, and two limpid voices together with a program of the world's best music which probably cannot be duplicated to-day, and certainly not in this country.

Friday, Nov. 19, 9 A. M. Devotional Exercises—Rev. F. L. Stine.

Music Drill—Prof. Taylor. Business Session.

Address—A Valuable Lesson from Mark Twain—Dr. Van Ormer.

Music Drill—Prof. Taylor. Address—The Challenge of a Handicap—Dr. Harrap.

## PERSONAL POINTS OF VIEW

### COMINGS AND GOINGS INTO AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

#### Special And Other Individual Happenings And Live Local Items Of Interest.

—Mrs. Ada Little, East Middle St., spent this week with friends in Harrisburg.

—Miss Grace Moyer, a student at the Women's Medical College, Philadelphia, spent the week-end at the Barbehenn home, North Stratton St.

—Mrs. Nicholas Redding and Mrs. F. R. Smiley spent several days this week in Shamokin, where they attended the celebration held in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the ordination of Rev. Wm. F. Boyle, formerly of Gettysburg. On this occasion Fr. Boyle was presented with a purse of \$2500 to be used for a trip abroad during the coming summer.

—Mrs. Mae Jarboe, of Lock Haven, is visiting the Misses Miller, at their home on North Stratton street.

—Miss Metta Mitchell, Y. W. C. A. Secretary, Lincoln avenue, with Miss Helen Cunningham, of Fairfield, attended the L. W. C. A. Conference in Washington this week.

—Miss Louise Brinkerhoff has returned to Philadelphia after spending a month at her home on Baltimore street and at the Eckenrode cottage at Piney Mountain.

—Miss DeVeto, who is attending the Women's Medical College in Philadelphia, and Dr. Hester, of Dixmont, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Codori, York street.

—Mrs. Paul Singmaster has returned to her home in Williamsport after spending several weeks with Mrs. J. A. Singmaster, Seminary Ridge.

—Miss Anne Gilliland, Carlisle street, spent several days this week as the guest of Miss Margaret Bream, in Philadelphia.

—Mrs. W. C. Storrick, Lincoln avenue, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Burgess, at Crafton, Pa., and Miss Anna Brinkerhoff, at East Liverpool, Ohio.

—Mrs. H. C. Alleman has returned from Philadelphia, where she attended the annual convention of the Pennsylvania League of Women Voters, held at the Bellevue-Stratford.

### New High School Dedicated.

The new High School building was formally dedicated Friday evening with the following program:

Invocation—Rev. Earl J. Bowman.

Singing—America.

Serving the Community—I. L. Taylor.

Girls' Glee Club: a. In Autumn, Beethoven; b. Wanderers Nachtlied, Rubenstein.

Address—Rev. Dr. H. D. Hoover, Gettysburg Theological Seminary.

Girls' Glee Club: a. Berceuse, Godard; b. Legend of the Mascots, Audran.

Orchestra.

### An Excellent Show.

The Gettysburg Dramatic Club on Wednesday evening presented "The Goose Hangs High" for the benefit of Gettysburg Fire Company. The show was directed and staged by Dr. Richard A. Arms of the college faculty, and Fred G. Pfeffer.

The cast of characters was made up of Wm. G. Weaver, Marie Codori, John W. Ostrom, Oliver Heil, Melva Heiges, Mary Ramer, Lily Dougherty, Wilbert Neely, Marsby Little, Mrs. H. P. Belknap, Fred G. Pfeffer, Ellen Tipton and E. G. Hessenbrielle. There was not a poor part in the entire show but it was excellent from start to finish. Gettysburg needs no outside help, getting a commission, to pull off a good show.

### Court Notes.

November court this week was marked by the trial of four cases, three in the criminal court and the other on the civil list.

Com. vs. Bertha Cullison, charged with violation of the liquor laws, sale of liquor to Thad Flemming and the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. This defendant last year was acquitted by a jury of the illegal possession of liquor.

Com. vs. Paul Ginter, was found guilty of illegal possession and selling liquor.

Com. vs. P. Malone, was acquitted of the charge of larceny. The civil case tried, Charles Hull vs. Harry E. Bowers, upon third trial resulted in verdict for plaintiff of \$274 damages.

### Five Recent Burglaries.

The store and post office at Guernsey conducted by Z. J. Peters, the S. G. Bigham hardware store, and R. C. Walters' restaurant, and Blaine G. Walters' garage, Biglerville, and the Gettysburg Department Store, Gettysburg, were recently burglarized, the missing goods being firearms, shells and auto supplies. The thieves are believed to be traveling by auto.