



## This Week in Lancaster Farming

75 YEARS AGO. Sep., 1883.

Erection of buildings at night by electric light is becoming quite popular

The past August has been quite cool

A new two cent stamp will have the profile of Washington.

Rev William Latta, a Presby-

terian divine, of Waynesburg, Chester County, died on Wednesday, Sept. 8, at Philadelphia, aged 74 years

Daniel Haverstick, Jr., has sold his 120 acre farm, near Quarryville, to Frederick Netz, for \$9,000.

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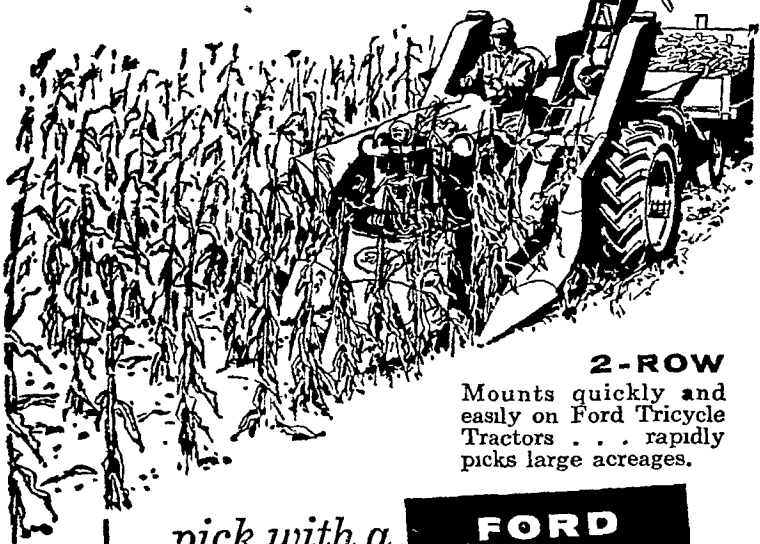
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The largest stalks of corn ever seen in the vicinity of Christiana are growing on the farm of Dr. Bailey, near Moun Vernon, farmed by Ganor Johnson. They measure 14 feet in height.

R S McClure has gone to Baltimore to bring home a drove of Virginia cattle, which Dr. Martin, of Georgetown, has purchased.

The Treasury officials are puzzled over the appearance of a new counterfeit five-dollar gold piece. It is said to be the best counterfeit ever made and is worth about \$4.53.

A turtle having the date 1710 cut on its under shell was brought into the Christiana Ledger office by Pres. Hannum. It is possible though that some person put the figures upon it to deceive.

The Citizens Band of Oxford, Chester Co., contemplate an excursion to Atlantic City.

President Arther and party are vacationing at Yellowstone Park

Bartville items inform: G. Truman has started a creamery; N. B. Ferguson intends to start a creamery this fall.

Sweet Tomato Pickle (very

good) Seven pounds of rip tomatoes peeled and sliced; three and one-half pounds of sugar, one ounce of cinnamon and mace, mixed, one ounce cloves, one quart of vinegar. Mix all together and stew for one hour.

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William D Mullen, of Delaware City owns a clock that strikes but once a year.

The J H. Loughead, Christiana Market Car, leaves every Thursday for Phila., with farm products — butter — eggs — poultry — etc.

50 YEARS AGO. SEPT. 1908

The new Mount Joy, Florin and Elizabethtown trolley line is practically completed and will be open for travel in September. This is an important addition of seven and one-half miles to Lancaster's already large network of trolley lines.

Taking it on an average all over the lower end of the county, tobacco, this year will be a big crop.

Phares Evans of the Buck, claims that some of his stalks are so thick that the tobacco clippers will not begin to reach around them, so he used an axe to cut most of his tobacco.

Admiral Dewey arrived at Newport on the Dolphin, last Saturday, after being stormbound three days

Wakeman Wesley of Elim, has been visiting the farmers in the Oak Shade vicinity, inspecting the herds of cows, place where milked, the milk cans, also the milkers

There were 1422 deaths from

accidents and 6140 injured in various industries in this state during 1907, according to the report of the Bureau of Industrial Statistics

Two large bay horses, harness, and a couple of blankets were stolen last Friday night, Sept. 1st, from the barn of Jacob Eaby, near Springville, Salisbury Township, and a carriage was stolen from a neighbor of Mr. Eaby. So far the thief has made good his escape not a trace of him having been left behind.

The itinerary of William Jennings Bryan's tour of East has been announced. The late included Sept. 15, at Wilmington, Delaware.

25 YEARS AGO. SEPT. 1953

There will be a meeting of the Wheat Growers of Bart and Sadsbury townships to be held in the Christiana High School building on Sept 15th, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. At this meeting there will be elected a director of the Lancaster County Wheat Growers Association, also two local community committees. All farmers are requested to bring their contracts with them.

Carl N. Meyers, soloist, and John H. Leachey, accompanist, of Parkesburg, are heard on the air several times each week through the Harrisburg and Lancaster radio stations.

Lancaster County's first home owned Post Office was opened to the public for the first time Sept. 23. A beautiful one-story brick and tile building, with the most modern equipment; it is the culmination of years of effort. Approved by the Federal postal authorities, it replaces an antiquated post office formerly located in a store building which long ago became too small for the needs of the community.

It is owned by a group of Paradise citizens who have a ten year lease from the Federal Government. In addition to Mr. Lichty, the postmaster, there are four (Continued on page thirteen)

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