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**EDITORIAL**

About two weeks ago a man who predicted a record rainfall for April would have been classed as a goose-bone prophet.

A Philadelphia girl hiccupped for 16 hours. If a man were to do this most everybody would think that he had had the most glorious soiree of his life.

Since census enumerators have completed their work the dust of ten years has been brushed from many a family Bible. Wouldn't it be a good thing to have census taken every year?

The coal mines are more dangerous than the seas, in addition to the fact that the miner lives in the ground like a mole while the sailor lives in the open with wind and sun and stars.

Even a Judge or two are trying to get an honest jury to try grafters in Pittsburgh, and if they cannot succeed there is no place in Pennsylvania that cannot be searched by bribers.

A high ideal is like a good tool. Its value depends on putting it to use. A tool that lies around and is never used, rusts and in time loses the very qualities that made it of value. A high ideal shut away in some closet of the mind, instead of being exercised in daily life, is little better than rubbish.

There are some girls and boys who have formed the habit of having a good time. Wherever they go they expect to enjoy themselves, and it is very seldom that they are disappointed. And there are other girls and boys who have fallen into such a habit of being discontented that wherever they are placed, they find some thing to find fault with. Which of these habits would you rather form?

Not every young lady may be obliged to make her own living, but none can escape the obligation of making a life. Queen Victoria had all her daughters taught domestic duties and the children of the Emperor of Germany are skilled the same way. Parents who neglect to train their children in lines of useful labor make a great mistake. Some of the saddest spectacles of men and women are those who have put all their trust in riches and whom misfortune separates from their wealth. They are more helpless than children and often see no way out of their dilemma except suicide.

Manheim has annexed 100 or so acres of land from Rapho township to the Borough and swells its population by something over one hundred persons. Elizabethtown has taken in adjacent territory and boasted of its greatness thereby. If other boroughs advance their material interests by annexation why should not Mount Joy? To the west is Florin, a village that should naturally be a part of Mt. Joy as a man's arm is part of his person, and yet it belongs only to itself. Then again there are plots of ground very thickly populated to the north of the borough that lie in the township but should be a part of our town and even west of town there is a very creditable settlement that should be part of Mount Joy. Let us court and wed the coy maidens and our town will eventually be the second borough in the county.

Moved to Elizabethtown  
Joseph B. Gantz, of this place, moved into the Sheaffer property opposite Rider's hardware store, in Elizabethtown, last week. Mr. Gantz is an experienced plumber and asks the public for a share of his patronage. He also has the agency for several popular heating systems.

**Reading's Beer Record**  
During April, 1909, Reading drank 17,667 barrels of beer; but April of this year beats all records, for the thirsty ones consumed 22,600 barrels, or 2,825,000 quarts, meaning an average of 28 quarts for every one of the 100,000 population—men, women and even children.

**A Census Incident**  
Census Enumerator Amos Root, of this place, reports that a colored girl was so badly frightened at his appearance that she laid in the cellar until he was gone.

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**BIG CIRCUS AT LANCASTER.**  
Forepaugh and Sells Bros. to Exhibit Here Thursday, May 20.

The Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Big United Shows will on Thursday, May 20th, give two performances in Lancaster.

Not since the beginning of time has an amusement enterprise so tremendous in size been organized as this one. Its magnitude is almost beyond belief. It comes this year after an absence of several seasons with a complete new equipment from start to finish. It cost the management \$2,200,000. Every corner of the earth has been searched by the foreign agents of the show for novelties. The result is a performance brim full of sensational acts, the largest and the only complete zoo in America and a three-mile parade. This parade is a veritable world's fair and a panoramic history of the earth from the days before the flood up to the last tick of the clock.

This great circus is fifty years old. It has always stood at the top among all the amusement enterprises of the world. This year it returns bigger, better and more attractive than ever. On its list of performers there are 250 names. These great stars have been gathered from European arenas. Among them are the three Tybell sisters, who present a "Human Butterfly" aerial spectacle which electrified all Europe last winter; Karl Handley and his company of German acrobats; Paul Alvarez, of Spain, the greatest head balancer on earth; the Avalons from England, the best of all high-wire artists; Capt. Webb and his two troupes of trained seals; Nellie Welsh of Australia, the only woman double somersault equestrian in the world; Ada Bell Edwards, the world's strongest woman, and the wonderful Alvo family of aerialists from Italy. The greatest trained animal act in all history is presented by six-one horses. They appear at one time in one ring. There are also the fifteen best educated elephants on earth. They perform in company with three companies of trained dogs.

In the menagerie there are 750 wild animals. Scarcely a one of them has ever been seen in this country before. The menagerie alone represents an expenditure of a million dollars in money. When it comes to the street parade a description is impossible. The great free pageant must be seen to be appreciated. It is natural to expect this circus, above all others, to present the best open-air spectacle. Never in its splendid history has it displayed such extravagance as it shows this year.

The organization now numbers 1,000 employees and has 600 horses. It travels on a train over a mile in length. This train is divided into several sections. When under canvas the show covers ten acres of ground. Its many tents and the grounds are lighted with 4,000 incandescent lamps and are lights. The circus carries its own lighting plant. The greatest holiday of a lifetime is near at hand. Without a doubt many from this place and vicinity will see the newly organized Adam Forepaugh and Sells Bros. shows.

**MARIETTA'S COMMENCEMENT**  
Very Appropriate Exercises Held in Central Hall in That Borough

The commencement exercises of the class of 1910, Marietta high school, were held Thursday evening in Central Hall, that borough. The decorations consisted of palms and potted plants and the class motto, "Non Sibi, Sed Omnibus," was prominently displayed. The members of the graduating class follow: Ella L. Burkholder, Ruth Grady, Anna L. Maze, Anna E. Paules, Iola Ramsey, Mary H. Reich, Addie R. Rich, James E. O'Conner, Henry A. Wisman and George H. Zuch.

Following was the programme observed: March, West Point Cadet, Engleman), Krodel Bros. orchestra; invocation, Rev. R. W. Illingworth; overture, Latona, (Franz Mahl), orchestra; salutatory oration, "Greater Than Wealth," Anna Louise Maze, oration, "Feats of the Air," James Edward O'Conner; class essay, "Empress Josephine," Ann Elizabeth Paul; music, Tempo Bolero, Spanish Gaiety, (Eno), orchestra; oration, "Halley's Comet," George Hamilton Zuch; piano solo, Valse Caprice, (Newland), Addie Rebecca Rich; recitation, "John W. Jones," Ella Louise Burkholder; music, Summer Fancies, high school chorus; oration, "The Mono-rail Car," Henry Adam Wisman; recitation, "Young Lochinvar," (Sir Walter Scott), Ruth Grady; selection, A Trip to Japan, (Klehn), orchestra; class history and prophecy, Iola Ramsey; valedictory oration, "Non Sibi, Sed Omnibus," Mary Helen Reich; march, Colonial Assembly, (Krodel), orchestra; presentation of diplomas, George R. Mable; address to graduates, Dr. N. C. Schaeffer; State superintendent of public instruction; benediction, Rev. M. Loucks.

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**FIRE PROTECTION IN COUNTRY**  
Traction Company Offers Free Transportation of Apparatus.

A letter offering assistance in securing fire protection has been mailed to the Chief Burgesses of the various boroughs in Lancaster county, by C. Edgar Titzel, manager of the Conestoga Traction Company. To the following towns along the company's lines the company makes the same offer, but owing to their not being incorporated, do not know whom to address, and therefore make the offer through this paper: Mechanicsburg, Roomstown, Willow Street, Lampeter Neffsville, Kissel Hill, Petersburg, Mechanicsville, Bareville, Blue Ball, Millersville, Refton, New Providence, Rohrerstown, Salunga, Paradise, Leaman Place, Kinzer, Gap, Pomeroy, Lenover, Sondersburg, Vintage, Weaverland, Akron, Brownstown, Fruitville, Camargo, Florin.

The letter sent by Mr. Titzel is as follows:  
Dear Sir:—  
Quite a number of times during the past year we have been called upon to transport fire fighting apparatus from this city to various points along our lines. In every instance we found that we did not have a truck large enough to mount any of the apparatus owned by the Lancaster City Fire Department, and were therefore unable to render any assistance.

We desire to suggest that it would be a good thing for the various towns in Lancaster county along our lines to unite in buying a truck and chemical engine, to be mounted on said truck so that in case of emergency we could couple it to one of our cars and take it to any point along our lines. An outfit of this kind could be purchased for about \$1,500; and if a number of towns contributed toward same, the cost to each one would be very small. We would agree to store, and to deliver to any point along our lines in case of emergency, said apparatus free of charge, if you think well of this matter, which is suggested solely for the purpose of conserving life and property in many of our smaller communities, please advise us, and if enough towns take an interest in the proposition it might be well to have a meeting of those interested.

If your borough is already equipped with fire fighting apparatus you may not be interested in this communication.  
Yours very truly,  
C. EDGAR TITZEL,  
Manager.

**SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATIONS**  
County Superintendent Brecht Has Made Arrangement of Dates

The following schedule has been announced for the examination of teachers for 1910 by County Superintendent Brecht:

- For Primary Teachers Only—June 1, all districts, Y. M. C. A., Lancaster.
- For applicants who have never taught (permit to enter required)—May 5, 6, 9, 11, 12, 17, 19, 23, 26, June 2, Lancaster.
- For Applicants of all provisional grades—May 8, East and West Conoco, Denver; May 20, Conestoga, Martie and Manor, Conestoga; May 25 Sadsbury, Paradise and Bart, Christiansa; May 27, Salsbury and Leacock, White Horse; May 31, Eden, Drumore, Little Britain and Fulton, Quarryville; June 3, Conoy, Donnegal and Mount Joy, Elizabethtown; June 6, Earl, Caernarvon and Upper Leacock, New Holland; June 7, Ephrata, Clay and West Earl, Ephrata, June 9, East Earl and Brecknock, Terre Hill; June 10, Warwick, Mannheim and Elizabethtown, Lititz.

The examinations begin 9 a. m., and all of them are open to the public. The rules and regulations are the same as heretofore.

**A DOCTOR'S Prescription For PIMPLES**

To remove pimples, blackheads, blotches and all forms of skin eruptions, is, according to a well known physician, a very easy matter; he says that many are afflicted with some one of the above ailments and are subject to a great deal of embarrassment on account of the unsightly appearance which they present, and recommends the following simple harmless and inexpensive treatment: Go to your druggist and get this prescription filled: Clearola, half ounce Ether, one ounce, Alcohol, seven ounces, mix shake well and apply to the parts affected night and morning, allowing it to remain on the skin at least ten minutes, then wipe off the powder from the skin. Use a soft cloth or sponge in applying the mixture and in from ten days to two weeks your face will be as smooth and clear as a marriage bell. Get the pure Clearola, which is only put up in one-half ounce packages. Ask to see it.

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