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**EDITORIAL**

**A Lesson For Us**  
The time will come when Mount Joy will want to install a sewer system and it may be well for our Boro officials or any one interested to keep their eyes on Elizabethtown, Council in our sister boro is now struggling with the preliminary work. Recently they opened bids and rejected all of them. At a recent adjourned meeting they "fired" the supervising engineers. Now they propose starting all over again.

**Can't Be Too Good**  
Some very excellent fire fighting machinery is being developed in the boroughs and towns of Lancaster County. There is perhaps no organization that makes its usefulness felt more than a local fire company. Just as the physician is received with open arms when the family is sick, so when our properties take fire we feel the comfort of the protecting hands of our local fire ladders.

May the Bulletin suggest that we the citizens, support these organizations more whole-heartedly. It is an economic investment. Every dollar given to a fire company makes for safety and protection of our homes. Insurance companies have long advocated the best possible fire protection apparatus in every community. Let us remember one thing, don't be too quick to criticize adversely the noble work of our local fire ladders. They are serving voluntarily and deserve praise—plus.

**Haphazard Tax Reform (?)**  
If the United States Senate or the President by use of the veto does not bring order out of the chaotic Federal tax bill now being thrown together in the house of representatives, the country has little to look forward to in the way of relief from burdens, the natural aftermath of the war.

Responsible leadership appears to have disappeared almost entirely in both parties, and the results so far do not lend confidence to an adjustment of the wide differences between the Mellon and the Garner plans, if the latter can be so designated. Neither will be recognizable in the measure that is being placed together in haphazard fashion.  
Henry Ford hits the nail on the head when he says:  
Any administration or any set of legislators that advocates high taxes ought to be run out of office, because they are really advocating high cost of living.

**Mother's Day**  
Sunday, May 11, was set aside as a day devoted to mothers of the world over. May is the month of flowers and hope, and it seems this is analogous to the never failing faith, love and hope of all mothers.

More words are too feeble to adequately express the depths of the all-encompassing love of a mother. A man may break every law of man and God, he may become as a pariah among his fellows; but, if he have a mother living, he has one refuge to which he can always go, sure of a loving welcome. It may be that, through years of disappointment, his conduct has graven lines of sorrow on that beloved face, lacerted a thousand times that trusting, hopeful heart, but unworthy as he may have become, even such a man as this can return to Mother with the certainty that she will have for him the same tender solicitation and love that marked her care in his infancy.

In the following lines Kipling has penned a tribute to mothers which aptly expressed the boundlessness of mother love:  
If I were damned of body and soul  
mother's love would make me whole.  
I were drowned in the deepest sea,  
mother's tears would reach down to me.  
Possibly it is one of the tragedies of the world that the praises of other are too often unheralded and unsung. The outstanding qualities of motherhood are self-denial, self-effacement. You will not find the great mothers of the world who disgrace and motherhood by platform demands for women's rights. You will not find them arranging for birth control, and, as themselves, elect to dictate to fortunate women the proper rear children. The great mothers of the world, thank God, mothers that we all remember, and loving and kind, who kissed our children, who smoothed out for us the troubles of impatient youth, who sent us out into the world

equipped to succeed, if we would only apply the patient and loving training that had been ours every step of the way.  
The thought of mother can not long leave any man or woman, and no particular Mother's Day is necessary to keep green in our memories all that Mother has meant to us. It's just the thought of a graceful tribute, that on this one certain day in May the whole country in unison should pay particular homage to Mother.

It's mighty fine in this day to wear a red flower expressive of the warm love of living mothers, and a white one in loving memory of the purity and goodness of the mothers who have passed on; but it seems to me that the real tribute should go further than this, and that the greatest possible tribute anyone can pay to Mother is to try each day with all his or her might to somewhat approximate the kind of man or woman Mother hoped and prayed and labored so hard for us to become.

**Boosting**  
Boosting is the cheapest commodity on the market. And yet it does more actual good for the individual and the community than the expenditure of thousands of dollars.

Some people are natural born boosters. Others have to cultivate the art. But whatever it takes, it is certainly worth the effort.  
But boosting doesn't consist simply of talk. The real booster has also to be a "doer". Your booster is the fellow who is back of the civic program. He is the man who attends mass meetings, reads this paper and otherwise keeps himself informed on what is going on. The booster is slow to criticize. There are plenty of things with which he is not in hearty accord. But he takes the time and pains to equip himself with the facts before he starts talking.

The booster knows there are two sides to every question. And he knows the other fellow may be right at least part of the time. For that reason he tries to get the mass perspective on any question which concerns others besides himself. He is forever asking himself the question: Will this thing react for the general good of the most?

The smallest individual in the community is the man who, for various reasons is forced to live on in a place about which he hasn't one good thing to say. The fellow who is forever making disparaging comments about his town and neighbors is not a very valuable citizen, any way one looks at it.

**Northwest Rapho**

The poultry yards seemed to be well stocked with supply for next year.  
The voice of the tractor is heard in the field and on repairing the highway.  
Miss Beulah Geib is spending the past week in the family of Rufus Wenger.

Mrs. Mattie Werner spent the past week in the family of Raymond Sharpe, near Milton Grove.  
The dandelion is seen in every meadow, along the brook and on every back yard and lawn.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hollinger spent the past week in the family of R. N. Good, of near Elizabethtown.  
Mr. Henry Ulrich and Christ Koehler and family, of near Mannheim made a call in the family of C. G. Hollinger on Saturday.

Rev. J. R. Timmel, of Elgin, Ill., held services in the Mt. Hope Church of the Brethren Thursday evening and on Friday evening at the Chiques church.  
The following guests spent Sunday in the home of C. G. Hollinger: Mrs. Aaron Hollinger and family, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Hollinger and daughter Dorothy; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Koser and family, Mr. and Mrs. David S. Hollinger and daughter Elizabeth, Ruth Hollinger, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Greiner, Susan Shaeffer and Mary Geib.

**MAYTOWN**

The Maytown Fire Company is in a flourishing condition and in the near future are going to purchase additional fire apparatus.  
A large tree in front of the Maytown Garment factory, in Centre Square, has been taken down in order to give more light in the building. The tree is believed to be nearly a century old, and has been standing before the building was erected.

The class day exercises of the Maytown High School will be held on Monday evening, May 26, in Maytown band hall, beginning at 8 o'clock. The commencement exercises will be held the evening following. There are seven in the graduating class. The alumni banquet and meeting will be held the latter part of that week.

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On Pennsylvania farms there were 136,942 turkeys in 1910. Ten years later the total dropped to 87,404.

**CALLED TELEPHONE OPERATORS "CENTRAL"**

Term Originated When First Switchboards Were Invented.

The term "central" as applied to the telephone central office and sometimes to the operators has a significance which few realize.

Due to the fact that every telephone line is a separate pair of wires connected to a switchboard, it is necessary that the switchboard in each community be at the "central" point in the town.  
This point is sometimes called the "wire center." It is the place where all of the wires of all of the subscribers are brought together, and real estate values are comparatively high at that point.

In the case of manufacturing concerns, the principal factor considered is transportation facilities. Thus factories are on the outskirts of towns. Gas and electric light plants are usually located a considerable distance from the center of the community. This is feasible because the product of these concerns is piped or wired into the town and then many customers can be supplied from one pipe line or one circuit. Telephone companies, on the contrary, are compelled to place their buildings in the very heart of the community. Because of this fact telephone buildings cannot be of the "factory" variety, but must be constructed architecturally so that they will conform to the surroundings. Thus, buildings constructed by the telephone company are good looking and a credit to the community.  
They must be more strongly built than the ordinary building so that they can carry the very heavy equipment which is placed in them. With the present-day construction costs, new buildings required to meet the needs of the people for additional telephones are a considerable item in the telephone company's budget.

**LONDON TO TEST COIN-BOX BOOTH TELEPHONE PLAN**

Britishers to Experiment With System Long in Use in United States.

Coin-box telephones with slots for nickels, dimes and quarters have long been a commonplace feature of American telephone service. In England, however, they are only just being introduced into general use, and are regarded as a great novelty.

"Within the next few weeks," says a recent article in the London Daily Telegraph, "there will be installed in London an automatic telephone call-box which will take both copper and silver coins, and will enable telephone users to converse over far greater distances than has hitherto been possible without the necessity of going to a public call office." The Telegraph adds, that, "should the experiment prove a success, it is intended to extend the use of the multi-coin-box at unattended call offices to permit the passing of long distance trunk calls and telegrams."

These are not the only convenient features of telephone service which Americans have enjoyed for years, but which have not been offered by the Postoffice telephone system of Great Britain; and there are more telephones in operation today in New York city alone than there are in the entire Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

**Telephoning in France.**  
Telephone subscribers in France must guard against becoming angry and criticizing the telephone operators if they do not want to have service discontinued for two days, according to a decree issued by the Ministry of Posts and Telegraphs.



Combining the Far East with the West. Most of America's large Chinese business houses have Chinese telephone operators.

**Will Hold Exams**  
An open competitive examination under the rules of the U. S. Civil Service Commission for the position of postoffice clerk, village delivery service at Mount Joy will be held on Saturday, May 24, commencing at 9 A. M. Applications for this examination can be obtained from Mr. Calvin R. Kramer at the local office.

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**RHEEMS**

Mr. John Stehman, of Mount Joy spent last Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry K. Landis, in this place.

Mrs. H. G. Thompson spent Wednesday at the home of her mother at Atglen.

A. S. Bard and wife spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bard, at Bethlehem.

Carpenters and painters are renovating the residences of Mrs. Susan Wolgemuth along the State Highway at Rheems.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Risser, conveyancer and surveyor of Lawn transacted business at the Greider Poultry farm at Rheems Wednesday.

Zerphrey Brothers, the Mount Joy township painters, are applying a coat of paint to the interior and exterior of the Church of the Brethren, at Rheems.

Mr. and Mrs. Elam Stauffer, of near Erisman's Church, spent last Tuesday morning with her grandfather, Joseph W. Kraybill, the oldest citizen of Rheems.

Russel K. Bard, Senior student at Elizabethtown, is spending the week end at State College as guest of his sister, Miriam, who is a Junior member of the 1923 and 1924 class.

The Penn Lime and Stone Company received a massive rolling screen for their stone crushing plant, which will require a temporary shut down to place it ready for operation.

Church of the Brethren opened a series of evening meetings at Greener church Sunday, May 18, to continue for ten days or two weeks, conducted by Rev. Ziegler from an adjoining district.

Church of the Brethren of the West Green Tree District will hold their spring time Love Feast at the Green Tree church May 29 and 30. A large number of visiting ministers will be present from York and Dauphin Counties.

The members of the Garden Spot Poultry Association report quite a lot of success in raising chicks thus far for 1924. They have large flocks of well matured stock to select from for the coming fall Poultry exhibitions.

Daniel Erb, a Donegal township farmer who feeds steers and cows to maintain the fertility of his farm where he farms 18 acres annually with great success. The Brunswick Co., of New York, contracted for his 19 Canadian steers stabled at an average of 684 lbs. to stand until June 1.

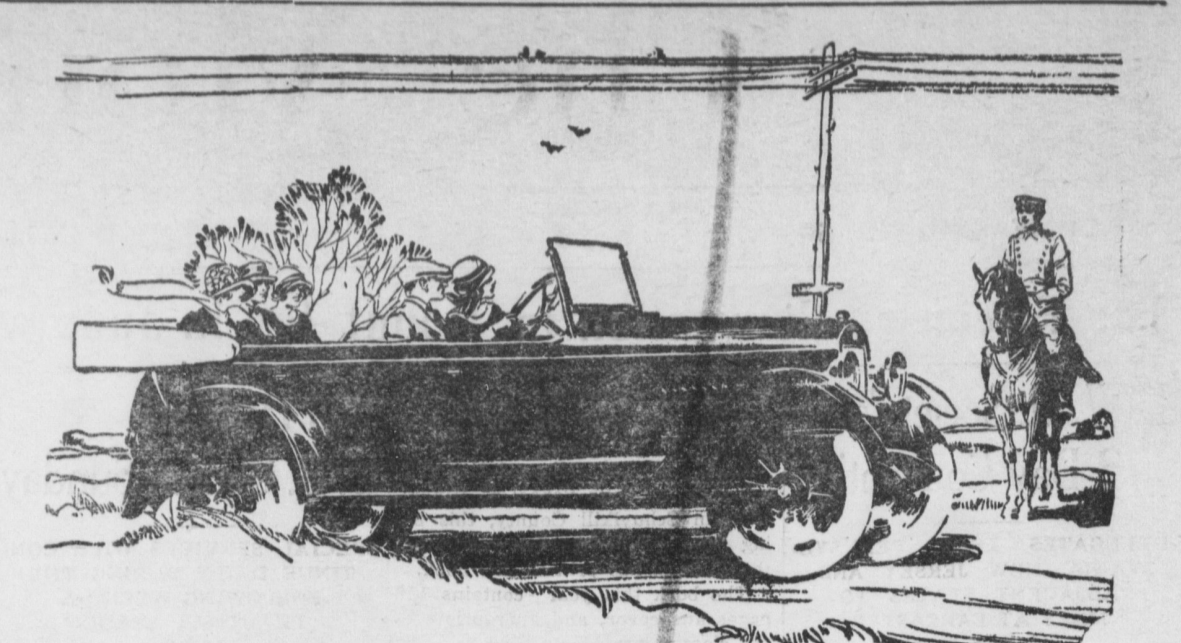
The manager of the seven Cameron Donegal farms received a number of car loads of hydrating lime in addition to the four hundred tons of stone meal for their tobacco and corn ground. Corn planting is being greatly delayed by the frequent showers during the past week, making it impossible to do any work in the fields.

The Rheems Fire and Improvement Association held their monthly meeting at the office of H. K. Landis last Monday evening with A. B. Heisey, President, in the chair. After the regular routine of business was transacted, Peter R. Kraybill and A. B. Heisey presented the 20 light system with full explanation for the illuminating of the Rheems streets. It was decided to circulate a petition among the citizens to determine the future procedure of street lighting to be brought up at the next meeting June 12th.

A package birthday surprise party was held in honor of Miss Susan Heisey at her home at Rheems last Monday evening it being her 60th birthday. The following relatives were present: Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Breneman and son Roy, Anna Burkholder, Mr. and Mrs. Abram G. Beneman and son Chester, Miss Alice Hershey, Mrs. A. M. Breneman, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Heisey and son William and daughter Mary, A. Paul Roarman, Arthur B. Heisey and brothers Winfield and Jacob and Fanny Ruth Heisey. The gifts were too numerous to mention coming from California, Washington, D. C., New York and New Jersey.

D. K. Espenshade, P. R. R. track foreman and force of seven laborers made a narrow escape from being struck by flying brake shoes, large pieces of iron, car springs, loose wheels and ballast hung from a train due Rheems 9:43 A. M. running a mile a minute. While the train was approaching on the straight line they noticed the flying debris and ran to safety. Attracting the engineer's attention who promptly applied the brakes bringing the train to stand still one-fourth of a mile east of Rheems they discovered the rear truck and wheels to the tender of the engine broken in many pieces. With the wheels off the rails damaged many rail to such an extent that it required new rails. The rear end of the train was taken through passing siding by an end engine sent from Lancaster. After a short delay the Columbia wrecking force re-tracked the engine and opened up for traffic about 12 o'clock.

An old time birthday surprise was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riederof, near Rheems in honor of Mr. Riederof who has attained the age of 39. Over one hundred persons were in the yard ready to rush in the door when he opened to see who had knocked at the door. The following persons were present to enjoy the usual festivities and games up to a late hour: Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Derr, son Walter;



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