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EDITORIAL

WHAT IS HAPPINESS? Happiness I have discovered is nearly always a rebound from hard work. Happiness loves to see men at work. She loves self-sacrifice. She will be found not in palaces, but lurking in corn fields and factories and hovering over littered desks. She crowns the unconscious head of the busy child. If you look up suddenly from hard work you will see her, but if you look too long she fades sorrowfully away.

MR. DAVIS ACCEPTS John W. Davis has accepted the nomination for the presidency on the Democratic ticket. Mr. Davis is an upstanding, clear headed, patriotic American citizen. His acceptance speech breathes an atmosphere of real nobility. If he should be elected president of the United States, we should have in the White House and at the head of the government a man of fine personal character, untainted patriotism and high political ideals. His acceptance speech is a fine example of forensic oratory. He evidently endeavored in it to give expression to his convictions honestly and fearlessly. A note of sincerity runs through the entire address. We are sure it will make a very favorable impression upon the American people.

THE PRESIDENT ACCEPTS Calvin Coolidge has accepted the nomination for the presidency given him by the republican party. His acceptance speech presents to the public his views on public questions. He does not equivocate on any important matter now before the people, or likely to become important during the next four years. He calls attention to the conditions which the government confronted when the present administration in 1921 came into power. A staggering debt, enormous public expenditures, huge taxes, five million men out of employment, railroads demoralized, a condition of wasteful extravagance and administrative chaos prevailing in every governmental department. All this, the president sets out, has been set at rights. The public debt has been greatly reduced, economy has been introduced into governmental expenditures, the railroads have been placed upon an efficient operating basis, taxes have been lowered, prosperity has been ushered in, peaceful relations with other nations established and the affairs of the government placed upon a sound and efficient basis. The president stresses the fact that the greatest asset of the nation is common sense. This address of his will impress the people with the fact that the present head of the government is well equipped with this essential and good government.

QUICK PUNISHMENT DUE The public has been much absorbed in reading the proceedings in Chicago pertaining to the Leopold-Loeb hearing.

As the case has proceeded the guilt of the parties who confessed the kidnapping and murder of the Franks boy seems all the more firmly established. There seems no doubt that the accused are guilty not alone of deliberate and willful murder but of the heinous crime of kidnapping as well.

There was no provocation to the slaying of the child and the only motive back of his seizure was to obtain ransom funds. Either offense is in and of itself sufficient proof that the perpetrators thereof are desperadoes of the first magnitude, yet there is a plea a-plenty for leniency in punishment.

Seldom if ever has such a brazen crime been committed and only occasionally has there been the effort to spare the offenders from the prescribed penalty. Meanwhile the public looks discouraged and suspicious.

Crimes such as Leopold and Loeb admit cannot be dealt with too quickly nor too severely. If hanging by the neck was ever justified, and most of believe such is the case, there is certainly no other disposition to be made of these two human perverses. The dual turn of their vicious ambitions make their case an exceptional occasion for summary punishment.

BONUS WITHOUT TAX When the soldiers' bonus was threatened the country was repeatedly warned that the bill would saddle an impossible burden on the backs of the people, and immediately the political glands in the Washington body politic were agitated into action. There were as many votes for the bonus as there were bids for the soldiers' vote. The legisla-

tion was passed, vetoed and passed over the will of the President. Now facing the inevitable Washington advises us that the bonus burden will be carried without any extra tax upon the people, that the cost will be met by taking up further slack in government wasteful expenditures. Probably it will work out that way. General Lord, director of the budget, has shown in two years how much can be accomplished along these lines. Recently addressing a body of business men he said: "We will spend this year \$2,000,000,000 less than we took out of the Treasury in 1921, the last year free from budget control. In three years we have cut the ordinary expenses of the government one-half."

This is a remarkable statement—a notable achievement. The saving of \$2,000,000,000 means the saving of half the gold coin and bullion in the United States. It embraces the entire savings of 12,500,000 depositors in the nation's savings banks for a period of twenty months. It covers the value of all the automobiles, motor trucks and motorcycles produced in the United States in the year 1922. It is in excess of all the dividends paid by all the railroads in the United States in five years. It figures up more than two and one-half times the value of the wheat crop for 1922.

Perhaps if the people come to consider saving in terms they understand, they will also see the wisdom of keeping partisanship out of the economic problem so effectively met by the budget system.

LANC. JUNCTION

Amos Enteline and Family Entertained Many Guests on Sunday—Other Notes

Subscribe for the Mt. Joy Bulletin Clayton Stormfelt, of Camden, N. J., visited Jacob Weaver and family. Miss Florence H. Gross returned home from Atlantic City on Wednesday.

On Friday Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Fetter returned from a two weeks' stay at Mount Gretna.

Mrs. Jacob Seachrist, of Schaefferstown, is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Phares Miller.

Samuel Gockley, of East Petersburg, was the Sunday guest of his brother and family, LaRue Gockley.

On Monday, Mrs. A. E. Fry, of Vinomont, and daughter, Lillian, of Reading, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Fry.

On Thursday H. R. Snavely and daughters, Rosa, Ella and Helen, motored to Mount Gretna where they were the guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hollinger and daughter, Vera, of Los Angeles, California, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fry on Wednesday.

Jacob Ditzler and family spent the week-end with friends near Coatesville. They were accompanied home by their son, Leon, who was visiting at Buck Run, Chester county.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phares Miller: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Buffenmoyer, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. Henhley, of Mt. Airy, and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Seachrist, of Schaefferstown.

Rev. A. A. Hughes and family entertained the following on Sunday: Dr. and Mrs. F. V. Disbrow, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lutz and children, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaub, son, Milton, and daughters, Pauline and Florence, of near Brunnerville.

The following were guests of Amos Enteline and family: Mrs. Susan Gerfin, Miss Agnes Gerfin, Mrs. A. P. Zerphy, Miss Mary Andes, Mrs. I. W. Lupold and two sons, all of East Petersburg; Mrs. Samuel Fram, of Lancaster; and Mr. and Mrs. Russel Enteline, of near Kauffman's church.

CARE OF STRAWBERRY BED AFTER FRUIT IS GATHERED

It is advisable to set a new strawberry bed every spring, but in the small home garden, at least, it will often pay to continue the bed for a second and possibly a third season. The United States Department of Agriculture advises that if the bed is to be saved for another year any mulch and other refuse, such as weeds and straw manure that may have accumulated through the summer, should be raked off as soon as the crop is gathered. Then the older plants should be pulled out or removed with a hoe, leaving only enough of the younger ones to send out to make a new narrow or wide matted row, as desired. If the leaves on the plants left are spotted with disease, cut or mow them off and burn them.

A pound of nitrate of soda per square rod of ground scattered around the plants will start a vigorous growth. Put this fertilizer on when the plants are dry, for it will injure any damp parts of the plant it touches. Handled in this way a bed may be kept for several years, because the new plants of one year are saved for fruiting the next. Old beds may be cleaned up, as just mentioned, by hoeing or plowing the spaces between rows and leaving the youngest plants in the row.

Congress isn't such a bad institution. That is, when it is not in session.

RHEEMS

Miss Martha B. Shank, assistant o the postmaster, returned from a week's stay at Mount Gretna.

Mrs. Elmer R. Kraybill and daughter, Evelyn, spent one day at Lancaster purchasing supplies to complete decorating the Rheems General Store show windows.

John Thome, manager of the famous Hoffman farms in Donegal and Conoy townships, transacted business at the J. L. Heisey and Sons warehouse Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Kaylor, the famous cantaloupe growers of Mt. Joy township, spent last Sunday at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Enteline at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Butzer, Mr. and Mrs. Banks Petra attended the Butzer reunion held at Lititz last Saturday. There were nearly two hundred jolly Butzers in attendance.

Church of the Brethren held their regular morning service at Rheems last Sunday after Sunday School, with a fair attendance. Revs. Shearer, Kaylor and Brubaker were upon the bench.

Mrs. Tillman Ebersole and daughter, Mrs. Martin Ebersole and four children, and Miss Lydia Sides, of Elizabethtown, spent one day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Groff, of this place.

Prof. Ira R. Kraybill, wife and family, from North Philadelphia, spent one day of their summer vacation at the homes of his brothers at this place. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer R. Kraybill and Mr. and Mrs. Peter R. Kraybill.

The Rheems schools opened bright and early Monday morning, August 25, with Miss Elsie Landis, of near Lancaster, in charge of the graded school, and Mrs. Robert Mason in charge of the grammar schools.

There is a large enrollment. Harry Bechtel, superintendent of the Rheems Sunday School, announced last Sunday that the school will hold their annual Children's Day on Sunday afternoon, September 21, at 2 o'clock, with a program including a number of prominent speakers.

The Paragon Nut and Fruit Company has contracted for their entire yield of apples for 1924 to be delivered to Lancaster merchants. Reliable apple growers estimate the entire yield in Lancaster and York counties to be six or seven thousand bushels with York county in the lead.

Joseph W. Kraybill celebrated his 86th birthday anniversary at the home of A. S. Bard last Sunday, August 24, by receiving congratulations, and smoking cigars presented by John and Hilda Kraybill. Miriam K. Bard, a granddaughter, presented a large cake for which he has a great appetite.

Franklin county farmers' tourists, in 73 automobiles, passed through this section on their way to Atlantic City. A number of them paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Peter R. Kraybill, ex-county farm agent at Rheems who spent several years successfully as farm agent of Franklin county, where he helped to establish many dairy farms.

While returning from Cleona camp, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Henry found the road blocked with an automobile and two motorcycles which had collided. Both motor cyclists were injured and were taken in the Henry car to the office of Dr. Simons for treatment. One of the men was later removed to St. Joseph's hospital in an unconscious condition.

The Kope Sweet Corn Evaporating factory, which is fully equipped to increase its capacity one hundred per cent over former years, will be put into operation about September 1st. The present outlook is encouraging for large yields from the two hundred acres raised by the leading farmers in East and West Donegal, Conoy and Mt. Joy Twps. Four tons per acre in 1923 was considered a fair yield at \$11 to \$14 per ton delivered to the factory.

Wallace Starter, aged 10 years, an adopted son of Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Shearer, of this place, met with a peculiar accident last Saturday while working with a pair of horses. Martin Shearer, who was working close to him, noticed nothing unusual with the horses but found the lad lying in an unconscious condition. He was removed to the home where the family physician claimed the lad was struck upon the head, affecting the skull, which may require an operation.

ELIZABETHTOWN

Council Opened Bid for Construction of Sewer System at a Special Meeting

E. S. Booth and wife of Florin, were bore visitors on Saturday.

J. D. Hadley and family spent Wednesday at Philadelphia visiting relatives.

Miss Erma Coble is spending the week with friends at Central Manor or camp.

A. B. Drace and family spent Sunday in Philadelphia visiting relatives.

Miss Katherine Risser was a week-end guest of James Miller and family at Lancaster.

Mrs. Harry Stauffer and son, of York, are spending several days with Mrs. Amanda Binkley.

Miss Della Shank of Harrisburg, was a week-end guest of her parents on College avenue.

Miss Irene Coverdale of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Hannah Lawry for several days.

Mrs. Frank Croman was a guest of Miss Bertha Landis, at her home, near Good's church, on Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Shank and daughters are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woodburn, on Hummelstown street.

Rev. E. I. Diehm and family of Youngstown, Ohio, are spending the week with Isaac Herzler and family on East High street.

Sixty-one residents of this borough, members of the Witmer clan, attended the reunion of that family held at Lititz on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Witmer, Mrs. Selma Boltz and Russel Witmer visited the Boy Scouts camp at Pine Grove Furnace on Sunday.

The Gleaner class of Christ Reformed Sunday school, taught by C. E. Palmer, held their annual out- ing at Keener's Park, north of town, on Wednesday afternoon. Forty members of the class were present.

Contractor Joseph Risser, received the contract for the erection of the temporary school building which will be completed and ready for occupancy by October. The proposed building will be 74x63 feet in size and will be equipped with all modern conveniences and will be large enough to accommodate four schools.

At the regular meeting of council on Tuesday evening a request R. Kraybill and Mr. and Mrs. Peter R. Kraybill, to have that portion of North Market street graded. The 25, with Miss Elsie Landis, of near Lancaster, in charge of the graded school, and Mrs. Robert Mason in charge of the grammar schools. It was also decided to have additional fire plugs placed on North Market and North Poplar streets.

Boro Council met in special session on Friday evening when bids were opened for the construction of the Sanitary Sewer system, disposal of plant and trunk lines. Representatives of a number of contracting firms were present in addition to Borough Solicitor Appel and the supervising engineer. Eight bids were received, several bidding on portions of the work only. The bids will be tabulated and contracts awarded at a special meeting which was held on Monday evening.

SPORTING HILL

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Degler Entertain Many Guests—Other Happenings

Subscribe for the Mt. Joy Bulletin Harold Degler spent from Friday to Sunday at Lancaster.

Miss Betty Nissley spent several days at Manheim with her sister, Miss Anna Nissley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Felker, of Mount Joy, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Horst.

Miss Kathryn Jane Rohrer, of Naumanstown, spent last Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rohrer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Degler and son, Robert, spent Sunday at Lancaster in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schmidt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Garman and daughter, Margaret, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Garman, near Mastersonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Derstler and family spent last week-end in the home of Isaiah Manning and Clayton Derstler in Manor township.

Mrs. D. S. Miller returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Degler, after spending several weeks at Lancaster visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Phares Strickler and daughter, Mary, and son, Amos, spent last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Strickler and family, at Salunga.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lenk and daughters, Virginia and Elizabeth, of Philadelphia, spent last week in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reinhard Hodecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Sensenich, daughter, Bertha, and Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Sensenich and family, of Kissel Hill, spent last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rohrer and family.

Mr. Charles Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zimmerman and daughters, Margaret and Mary Jane, all of Lancaster, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gantz, of Manheim, spent last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Zimmerman.

The following guests were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Degler and family last Saturday: Rev. and Mrs. Harry Mullen and children, Mary Thelma and Harry Jr., of Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Claire Ginger and children, Betty and J. Clair, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shank and daughter, Mary Kathryn, and Miss Emma Degler, all of Lancaster.

Ed. J. Myers and family spent Sunday at Mount Gretna.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Wolf and family spent the week end with friends at Northampton.

The Salunga gun club held their picnic at Hostetters park along the Chiques Creek on Saturday.

Rev. Rufus Bucher, of Mechanics Grove, having revival at Peter-

burg church of the Brethren, fensberger and son, Cletus, spent Monday afternoon at Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kendig, of Lancaster, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Kendig on Sunday.

Miss Catharine Myers spent a day at Manheim with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Greiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Eby with Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Mumma visited their aunt, Mrs. Annie Good and on, Reuben and family near Good's church on Sunday afternoon, calling on the Elmer Roland family near Rheems on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brubaker and son, John Franklin of Lititz, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Nolt and son, Charles of Silver Spring, with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Baer spent the week end at their camp near Mount Alto; Mr. and Mrs. Abner Risser and sons spent Sunday at the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Raffensberger entertained the following guests on Sunday: Mrs. Bowser and son, Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Will Royer, of Manheim, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hammond, of Lancaster, Mr. Ira Frank, of Ephrata, Mr. Ira Risser and son, Ross, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Staley and Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Hess Herr Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Herr, of Salunga.

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Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hamilton and family spent Sunday in Lancaster with her sister, Mrs. William Wiker.

A chicken corn soup supper will be held on A. B. Kreider's lawn on Thursday evening, Aug. 28th from 5 to 10 P. M. for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Herr and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Raffensberger and son, Cletus, spent Thursday at Hershey.

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