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EDITORIAL

Wealth doesn't prolong life. It just makes a week-end two days longer.

Hard times are those in which you finish paying for unnecessary things bought in good times.

It isn't impossible to make New York dry. They've already squeezed the water out of Wall Street.

A household device to tan the hide isn't a new idea. Dad's razor strap served the purpose in the old days.

There is no doubt that travel teaches shrewdness, but a man who can make enough money to travel is shrewd enough.

A GOOD WORD FOR BANDS

A band is a fine thing for a town to have. The dullest thing in the world is a procession of people marching without a band at the head making a lot of fuss even if the music isn't any better than the negro band from the country that has just come by. It adds pep to any outdoor gathering to hear the blare of horns and the beat of the drums, and will hold a crowd when nothing else will, except when people are waiting for dinner to be spread.

WHO GOT IT?

Federal authorities investigating the gigantic liquor ring which was recently broken up by a raid on its fortified headquarters in New Jersey say that the organization's account books show that \$30,000 a week was paid to bribe law enforcement officials.

That sum is so large that it almost passes belief. And we submit that nothing so important as finding out just what the crooks were collecting that money. Bribery is the blood of the illicit liquor trade. By all odds, let's see these crooked officials tripped up permanently.

SHOOTING RABBITS AT NIGHT

It has been reported that several young men have been shooting rabbits at night. One night last week they shot a bunny at a farmer's barn south of town at one A. M.

This is a big mistake for this reason. Only male rabbits sit out in fields, brush, and such places during the day. Females never sit out. Nature makes that provision. But at night these females come out to feed and if they are killed, the rabbit crop will soon be completely exhausted.

That's the reason it is unlawful to dig rabbits out of ground-hog holes, stone and rail piles, etc.

Surely these young men are not aware of what they were doing. Don't kill them at night. Be a good sport and get them legally.

STICK TO THE SHORT SKIRT

The fashion designers' struggle to encase American women in ankle length skirts once more is proceeding right merrily. Judging from our own observations, we would say that it isn't meeting with a whole world of success and somehow we're rather glad.

Whatever can be said about immodesty and to our notion there isn't a great deal that needs to be said in that connection, the plain fact remains that women took to short skirts primarily because they were infinitely more comfortable and convenient than the old styles. Now, simply to force women to buy more clothes, the dress manufacturers are trying to bring the long skirt back on a flood of propaganda.

We hope they won't succeed. The woman of America today has a fine chance to prove that the old story about her being a slave to fashion isn't true.

AMERICA'S FOREMOST HOLIDAY

Of all the holidays observed in America, none is so distinctly American as Thanksgiving.

It is a Legacy of the Pilgrims cherished because of the romance and traditions that surround it.

The origin of the day we now celebrate must be attributed to Governor Bradford of Plymouth.

After landing in 1620 the Pilgrims suffered many privations for a year until the seed they had planted grew in abundance in answer to their prayers. To celebrate their thankfulness they invited neighboring Indians to a Thanksgiving feast. The festival lasted

LANDISVILLE
 Former Class Mates Entertained by Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman
 Harold Witmer, of Elizabethtown, returned home, having spent the week with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Stauffer.
 Mrs. O. A. Rusto who has been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Garrecht, left Friday for her home in Wichita, Kansas.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Laust Hoffman, members of the class of '19 of L. H. S., entertained their class and friends at a lovely luncheon Wednesday evening. Those present were Madeline Stanley, Mr. Oliver Shenk and wife and son, of Millersville; Mr. Clair Whorrel and wife, of Rohrerstown; Mr. Henry Stehman and wife and children, of Manheim; Mrs. Earle Longenecker and husband, of Salunga; Mr. John Newcomer, of Mt. Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Garber of Donegal.

The Adult Bible class of Zion Lutheran church held a meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. L. M. Hoffman. After the devotion, which were in charge of the pastor, Rev. A. E. Cooper, refreshments were served to the following members: Rev. A. E. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Shenk, Mr. and Mrs. David Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heistand, Mrs. Andrew Eshleman, Mrs. Harvey Seip, Francis Seipe, Mrs. Warren Long and Ruth Long, Amelia Helman, Barton Sharp, Mrs. William King, Mrs. Kawn and Ruth Hoffman.
 Tuesday evening the Young Women's class of the Church of God Sunday School held a meeting at the home of Miss Madeline Stanley. Devotions were led by the president, Miss Stanley, and Mrs. Earl Donley gave the responsive reading. Mrs. Earl Stauffer read several poems by Anne Joanston Flint. A short business session was held which was followed by the refreshments served to the following: Mrs. Minnie Wagner Mrs. Helen Wagner (guests), of Lancaster, Mrs. Earle Donley, of Lancaster, Mrs. John Bender, Salunga; Mrs. John Trayer, Mrs. Earle Stauffer, Miss Elizabeth Lane, and Rev. and Mrs. H. S. Hershey, and Mrs. Charles Stanley.
 Tuesday evening the women's Bible class met at the home of Mrs. Wallace Miller, the president, Mrs. F. Horst had charge of the devotion. A short business session was held, and was followed by refreshments which were served by the hostess, Mrs. Miller. The following were present: Mrs. Walter Shewer, Mrs. Harry Lump, Mrs. P. H. Meckley, Mrs. Francis Bickel, Mrs. Harry Dattisman, Mrs. Enos Rohrer, Mrs. Harry Summy, Mrs. Ira Hess, Edith Heiserman, Mrs. Elmer McElhenny, Mrs. John Stehman, Mrs. Clarence Swisher, Alice Hershey, Mrs. John Musser, Mrs. William Mease, Mrs. Wallace Minnich, Clay Miller (guests), Edith Nissley, Ada Malchorn, Mrs. Harry Miller, Mrs. Charles Baker, Mrs. Harry Greiner and Mrs. Wallace Miller, Mrs. Frank Horst.

ELIZABETHTOWN

The project of building a comfort station has been temporarily abandoned here.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion held their regular monthly meeting Monday night.

The First National bank here is installing an after-hour safe for the convenience of its customers.

The Elizabethtown Friendship Fire company No. 1, will present a benefit play "Blowing Bubbles" Thursday evening and Friday night, December 5 and 6 in the Moose Theatre.

Elizabethtown Lodge No. 128 of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will confer the first degree upon a class of candidates tonight under the direction of Degree master, Edgar S. Rutt. A drill team and degree organization of nearly 100 members will assist.

Paul Belsor, of East High street, was making a turn on West Chocolate Avenue, Hershey, when another car operated by S. Z. Weaver, of Swatara, collided with the Belsor car, Weaver's car overturned. The drivers received bruises. Belsor was arrested for reckless driving and agreed to pay the damages.

Helen Stephen, four, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Stephen, 222 S. Spruce St., Elizabethtown, suffered slight lacerations of the face and bruises of the body when struck by an automobile near her home Thursday. The accident occurred when Helen darted directly in the path of a car driven by John Arndt.

In order that a public sale, festival, supper, musical or any like event be a success, it must be thoroughly advertised. Try the Bulletin.

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nearly a week, and included entertainment in the form of athletic exhibitions of prowess.

For many years thereafter the Pilgrims celebrated a certain day of the year as Thanksgiving Day no particular day of the year was set aside, however.

October 3, 1789, Washington issued a proclamation appointing Thursday, November 26, 1789, as a day of general thanksgiving.

In 1846, Lincoln issued a proclamation to the effect that the last Thursday in November should be observed as Thanksgiving Day. This has since always been observed.

SPORTING HILL
 Miss Helen Bires spent the week with Miss Sarah Smith, of Lebanon. Miss Verna Shenk spent Sunday with Miss Esther Shenk, of Neffsville. Miss Pauline Earhart was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Earhart, of Marietta during the week.
 Miss Erma Earhart was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Earhart, of Mt. Joy, during the week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shreiner, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Shank and daughters, Anna and Mabel, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Watson, of Lancaster.
 Mr. and Mrs. Amos Witman and son, Robert, Miss Daisy Shearer, Lea V. Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. Phares Strickler were entertained by Abram Rhodes, of Quarryville, on Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Rolandis Gibble entertained at dinner on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Phares Gibble, Mrs. Stanley Gibble and daughter, Gladys, of Hershey; Mr. and Mrs. William Gibble, Mrs. Annie Gibble and Roy Zellers, of this village.
 The following guests were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Abram Earhart on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Earhart and children, Isaac and Sadie, Rev. A. E. Cooper, refreshments were served to the following members: Rev. A. E. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Shenk, Mr. and Mrs. David Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman, Mrs. and Mrs. Albert Heistand, Mrs. Andrew Eshleman, Mrs. Harvey Seip, Francis Seipe, Mrs. Warren Long and Ruth Long, Amelia Helman, Barton Sharp, Mrs. William King, Mrs. Kawn and Ruth Hoffman.
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EAST PETERSBURG
 A band concert was given in the school auditorium on Friday evening, by the Manheim band. On Saturday evening, the first spelling bee of the season was held in the school auditorium under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Zion Lutheran church.
 The following men attended the Welfare meeting at the Odd Fellows Hall, at Lancaster: S. P. Gingrich, captain; A. Bair Dietrich, Daniel B. Graybill, W. M. Ernst, S. B. Sheetz, Victor Swarr and W. O. Cake.
 The Parent-Teachers' association held their regular monthly meeting in the school auditorium, on Thursday evening. Prof. Gingrich of the Neffsville school was the speaker. Other interesting items were on the program.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gochenauer entertained at the "Gray Stones" Tea House, in honor of Mrs. Salinda Herr, who celebrated her seventy-eighth birthday anniversary. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gochenauer, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gochenauer, Mrs. Salinda Herr, Harry G. Herr, Misses Anna and Bertha Gochenauer.

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Samuel Haldeman and daughters, Edna and Elsie, of Naumanstown; Mr. and Mrs. Phares Becker and children, Harry, Arthur and Anna Grace, of Old Line; Mr. and Mrs. John K. Earhart and children, Stanley and Ethel Adele, Miss Betty Hackman and Woodrow Dunmover, of near Hossler's; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brehm and children, Robert, Arlene, Ruth and Mary, of near Manheim.

The following guests were entertained at dinner on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Henry: Mr. and Mrs.

MARIETTA
 Mrs. Henry S. Rich Entertains Group of Friends at Prospect Place
 Ducks on the river were quite plentiful the past week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph O. Hipple announce the birth of a daughter. Miss Margaret Dwyer is home on a vacation. She will soon leave on a trip to Cuba.
 George Ensminger has accepted a position as clerk in the McCloskey drug store, taking the place of Charles Haas, who resigned.
 The date of the Rummage sale to be held at the Community House has been changed to Saturday, December 7 afternoon and evening.
 Union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Lutheran church. Rev. James B. Musser, pastor of the Lutheran church, will preach the sermon. John Stahl, of Lancaster, formerly of Marietta was knocked down and hurt when he was run down by a boy riding a bicycle on Market street. He was cut and bruised and suffered a deep laceration on his lip.
 Witness Tree Chapter, D. A. R. which met at the community house, under direction of the regent, Mrs. Mary E. McCloskey, held a benefit card party and fifty dollars was reported as being realized.
 Mrs. Bertha Shaul, seventy-two, fell down the stair-steps in her home at 504 East Market street. She was seriously injured. Her family of three daughters, Mrs. Tom Loucks, Marietta, Mrs. Sam Gibbel of Billmeyer, and Mrs. Albert Schindelecker of Bainbridge, were called to her bedside.
 Postmaster John H. Miller, of the Marietta post-office, entertained the members of his office force to an oyster dinner at the Maunton Inn. The guests were: Mr. David E. Brandt, Mr. Charles M. Crouse, Mr. Charles M. Brenner, Mr. John Seigle, Mr. William K. Abel, Mr. Charles A. Resch, Mr.

SALUNGA
 Union Thanksgiving Services Will Be Held in The Methodist Church Thursday Morning
 The Union Thanksgiving services of the three local churches will be held in the Lutheran church here Thanksgiving morning. The pastor of the Church of God will preach the sermon.
 The Sewing club met at the home of Mrs. John Greider, Thursday evening. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. John Bender, Mrs. P. B. Stehman of Salunga, and Misses Myrtle Baker and Alice Ornsdorf of Lancaster; Ruth Hoffman and Mrs. John Trayer and Mrs. Frank Daugherty.
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MAYTOWN
 Sylvania Literary Held Its First Meeting Friday Night With Good Program
 Union Thanksgiving services will be held in Reformed church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Bair, of the Church of God, will deliver the sermon.
 The first meeting of the Sylvania Literary society was held Friday in the Maytown high auditorium. Program consisted of singing sketches, recitations and dialogues.

John Goodling, Mr. George F. Zuch, Mr. Ellsworth E. Brandt.

Both banks here will mail Christmas checks to members this week. The fund this year will exceed \$25,000. Caught in the belt on a machine in her father's shoe repairing shop, Thelma Shank, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shank, was bruised on the head and body.
 Mrs. Henry S. Rich, of Prospect Place, entertained a group of friends at a supper and bridge. The color scheme of the decorations was orange and yellow and was carried out by a profusion of marigolds and chrysanthemums. The guests were Miss Mary F. Stibgen Miss Albie Grove, Mrs. T. E. Ingram, Miss Joe Buchanan, Miss Reba Haldeman, Miss George Schaffner, Miss Annie Musselman, Mrs. Ellen Montgomery, Miss Miriam Erisman and Mrs. Eli Hoffman. Prizes were won by Miss Annie Musselman, Mrs. Eli Hoffman and Miss Emily Schaffner.

LANC. JUNCTION

Miss Martha Weaver spent the week at Reading with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Frey and Miss Kathryn Berger.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Walburn and family entertained on Sunday at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kilgus and family, of East Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Carr, of Lancaster; Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus White, of Lancaster Junction; and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shenk and their daughter, Joanna, of Penryn.

NEWTOWN

There will be a shooting match in town Thanksgiving Day. Everybody come.

Mr. Abner Weaver left today for Franklin County where he will hunt small game the balance of the week. He will also hunt deer there next week.

KINDERHOOK

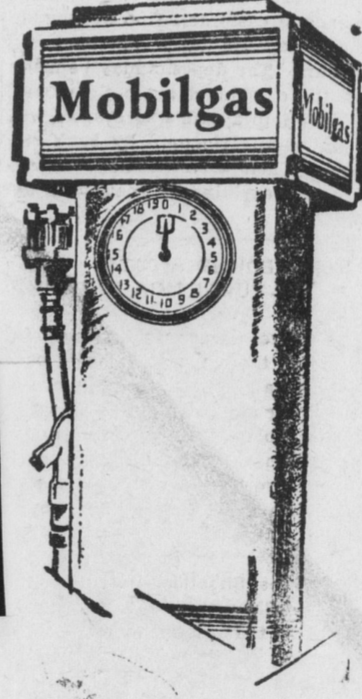
Rev. George Kerr, a returned missionary from China was the speaker at the service in the Kinderhook church. The service was a Thankoffering celebration, under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society.

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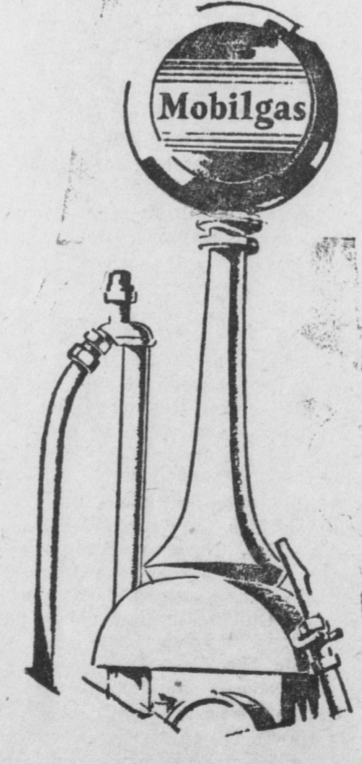
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