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EDITORIAL

We really cannot understand just why some people think that other people ought to support them.

A fire prevention sign that we like reads: "An ounce of precaution is worth a ton of water."

The business man who says that system has never helped him has never followed the system.

The difference between bankers and farmers is that they have different ideas in regard to surpluses.

One thing in favor of cold weather: There is a decline in the number of fish stories that parade the nation.

As November approaches we might make up our minds to inaugurate a new safety first campaign in 1937.

You might begin to tell your hunting friends good-bye; one or two of them might be mistaken for a deer before the season is over.

STUDY FARM FIRE HAZARDS

In connection with the observance of National Fire Prevention Week recently, Secretary of Agriculture, Henry A. Wallace pointed out that the appalling loss of life and the high monetary loss reflect the need of better rural fire protection.

While the trend has been downward, the Secretary said, each year about 3,500 people lose their lives in farm fires and the property loss is estimated at about \$100,000,000 annually. In facing the problem farm people should recognize that because of inadequate fire fighting apparatus it is essential that fire hazards be studied and methods of fire prevention adopted.

NEWS AFTER THE ELECTION

The people in Mount Joy who are wondering what the newspapers will print after the election is over and the spotlight turns from political news, are not familiar with the fact that the great problem of the average editor is what not to print.

Always there is much more "news" than any newspaper can present to its readers. The business of the editor is to select and pass on. His judgment may be wonderful, or it may be rotten. Nevertheless, what his readers see depends upon his judgment as to what to eliminate.

After the election the press will turn back to the same things that occurred before. There will be no dearth of news. There has been no scarcity of news events other than election matters. Merely because of the popular interest in the recent election the majority of newspaper editors have elected to present political news to the exclusion of some other events, which, in normal times, would have received greater notice.

Fall is witnessing the expected upping of production in many industries.

Big element, as in the past, is motors. Car builders have their new models all set for the market—some of them may be out by the time this is read. Production schedules, according to Business Week, call for 1,000,000 units during the next quarter.

Steel recently touched a high for this year, continued upward.

The employment aspect likewise showed betterment. In manufacturing industries, total employment has at last reached the fall 1930 level, is above a year ago.

Prices continue their up-trend, but slowly. Bigger jump has been in food costs. Manufactured goods have changed little since summer.

As usual, the farmer is in the headlines. Both Roosevelt and Landon have cautiously endorsed crop insurance, both have pledged themselves to aid the farmer in other ways.

Security markets have been fairly steady, and it is not likely that any major developments will take place until after election. Investors and speculators are talking about "Roosevelt stocks" and "Landon stocks" and would give a great deal to know who will take the oath of office from the Chief Justice next January.

OVER-CONFIDENCE—THE MOTORIST'S SIN

If a 1925 model car and recent model were to start out on a drive, which would you think most likely to become involved in an accident?

Probably you will answer, "The old car, out-moded brakes, relatively inefficient steering and general inferiority."

You're wrong. According to the National Safety Council, 21.79 per cent of the cars now in service were built from 1925 to 1928, inclusive, and they are involved in less than 12 per cent of all accidents reported.

Only 15 per cent of the cars in service were built in 1935—yet these cars figured in almost 24 per cent of all accidents.

This apparent anomaly has an obvious explanation. Drivers of new cars are over-confident. They over-rate the safety factor of better brakes, bodies, steering, lights, etc. Because a car is in A-1 mechanical shape, and is more or less new, they take chances—until the tragic day of reckoning arrives.

This is not a boost for old cars—many of which should be barred from the highways, because of mechanical dangers caused by obsolescence and neglect—but it is a plea for a different attitude on the part of owners of our modern gasoline chariots. It is a sad commentary on these drivers that better cars mean a higher accident record.

Regard your car, new or old, as a potentially lethal machine. It can spread death and destruction when mismanaged. Don't commit the great driving sin of over-confidence—its end is likely to be the cemetery.

HAPPENINGS
— of —
LONG AGO

20 Years Ago

Mrs. Arthur Brown received the prize at Chandler's Store this week, receiving a gold locket and a silver berry spoon.

A display of fall coats and suits will be given in the parlor of the Exchange Hotel, by a Tailoring Co., of Baltimore.

Mr. John Peifer of Salunga is the champion raiser of perfect ears of corn. They are of the Johnson County White variety.

Mr. E. H. Zercher will have sale of nursery stock at the market house. This kind of sale is something new in this section.

Brandt and Stehman will buy back your empty flour sacks at half a cent each.

The Citizens Band had the spirit of Hallowe'en, when they appeared in costumes of the season and proved very entertaining for the entire town.

An apple sale will be held at the Old P. R. R. depot opposite Brandt and Stehman's Mill.

Many citizens of the community have adopted a new rule to overcome the high cost of living, the solution is easy, just do a little more work to raise a little more pin money.

The townspeople of Milton Grove, depend upon its army of cats to handle the rats that come up from the creamery.

The Artesian well at the Rheims Rotary has been condemned by the State Board of Health.

Mr. Jacob G. Wolgemuth of Flicker Creek, bought a fine bay colt from D. H. Blough. He's a dandy. The "Hello Girls" of the Bell Telephone Company enjoyed a straw ride to Marietta.

Rev. Frank G. Bossert will give a lecture on Yellowstone National Park

Fourteen farmers in this section have advertised no trespassing on their land during the hunting season.

Heisey Bros. have a force of masons building a wall over their 120 horse power boiler.

LANDISVILLE

Nineteen Boy Scouts Are Now Enrolled In Troop Here

Nineteen boys are enrolled in the Landisville Boy Scout troop, according to the registration report filed at Scout headquarters Wednesday. The troop will be awarded the President Roosevelt seal for improved registration. Eight troops in the county have received this award this year, Scout officials said, and several others will win the seal before the end of the year. The seal is given to all troops who show an increased membership on their registration, a general advancement in the rank of the troop members and a prompt registration.

The Landisville troop is sponsored by the Landisville Civic association, Dr. Wesley Gadd, president. Dr. Gadd also is chairman of the committee which is composed of Dr. J. T. Herr, Dr. A. P. Stover, J. Harry Grube, Prof. J. K. Traylor and Harry Greiner. Arthur is scoutmaster and S. E. Minnich is assistant scoutmaster.

The Young Women's Bible class of the Church of God Sunday school was entertained at the home of Mrs. John Greider, Tuesday. The treasurer, Mrs. Luther Gingrich reported that the class gave \$100 toward the repair work that was done recently in the church and Sunday school.

John R. Godshalk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Godshalk, of Landisville, and a member of the freshman class at Penn State College, is one of forty six freshmen to win exemption from freshman composition, through proficiency in grammar, spelling, vocabulary, punctuation, and composition writing.

Those exempt are allowed to enroll in a journalism or English literature course.

Godshalk was graduated from Franklin and Marshall Academy, where he was a member of the soccer team and had the highest scholastic rating in his class last year.

The Landisville Parent Teachers' association met Thursday evening in the High school auditorium with

East Donegal

Miss Mary Albright is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Conner at New Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baker of Dayton, Ohio, called on Mrs. Fanny E. Gish. Mr. and Mrs. Baker are visiting their son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Hershey at Lititz.

The following young people from the Church of the Brethren, of which Mrs. Gish is a member sang for her on a recent Sunday.

Misses Orpha Eshleman, Grace Wittke, Mary Dyer, Verdella Belle Longenecker, Dorothy Longenecker, Mildred Longenecker and Messrs. Isaac Earhart, John Kraybill, Jr., Robert Eshleman, David E. Shelly, Walter E. Shank, LeRoy E. Shelly, William Longenecker, Sr., Billy Longenecker, Jr. and Rev. and Mrs. John Eshlerhan and Samuel Longenecker.

Miss Mary E. Shank spent several days at Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Britton's at Hershey. They all attended the Great Waltz concert, directed by Hassard Short.

Mr. Emory Loomis moved his family from the Miss Stibgen property to a tenant house of Mrs. Alice M. Shank.

Mrs. Lillian Meyneke attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Kathryn Meyneke at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sheibley, visited their son at Mercersburg, last Sunday.

Mrs. Moses Kauffman had her tonsils removed by Dr. Lefever at Lancaster.

A son was born on Monday, October 19, to Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Knoebel. The son's name is David Hoffman Knoebel.

Mrs. Whitmore of Greensburg, has returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dehoff.

Mrs. Elizabeth Loucks had a misfortune, that of breaking her arm while visiting her niece, Mrs. Younkin at Tyrone. Mrs. Loucks was confined to the hospital for a week and is recovering at the home of her niece.

Mr. William Z. Hoffman entertained the following at a recent dinner party: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goddard of Maplewood, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Seed of New York.

The Lutheran choir held a Hallowe'en party in the fire engine house Tuesday evening.

The Reformed church held their Hallowe'en party Friday evening in the Sunday School room.

The Reformed church Sunday School is conducting a concert called Climbing Pike's Peak.

about seventy members present.

Mrs. Austin Fellenbaum, of Lancaster, was guest speaker and used as her subject "Character Building in the Home."

Mrs. A. Leed, of Lititz, sang several vocal solos. She was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Lester Haines.

Miss Esther Miller, teacher of the third grade, received the pennant for the month as there were twelve parents who have children in that grade present.

Mrs. Jesse Snavey, Mrs. Eli Mumma, Mrs. Wesley Gadd served on the hospitality committee.

Miss Evelyn Heiserman, supervisor of music in local schools, led the group singing and Miss Esther Miller accompanied on the piano.

President John Herr presided. The next meeting will be held at 7:45 p. m. November 19, in the school auditorium.

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University of Pennsylvania, will speak before the high school principals. C. Valentine Kirby, director of art, education in the State Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg, will address the meeting of art supervisors and teachers of art education.

Dr. Helen A. Field, assistant professor of Education at the University of Pennsylvania, will address the primary teachers of grades one, two and three. Miss Anna A. Rapp, supervisor of the intermediate grades of the Reading public schools will speak to the teachers of the intermediate grades, four, five and six.

Miss Mary E. Gillespie, director of the Conservatory of Music at Lebanon Valley College, will address the music supervisors and teachers of music. Prof. S. P. McComey, professor of English at Millersville State Teachers' College, will be the speaker for the High school English teachers. Prof. A. C. Baugher, dean and professor of Chemistry at Elizabethtown College, will speak before the Science teachers' group. J. F. Hartranft, professor of social studies at the Lancaster Boys' High school, will speak to the Social Studies teachers, and Ray Y. Grube, mathematics instructor at the Boys' High school, will address the mathematics group.

Dr. Mylin will preside aided by the assistant superintendents, D. W. Geist and R. L. Eshelman. Miss Mildred M. Schopf, of the Ephrata High school, will serve as secretary. Music will be in charge of Prof. Harry B. Baughey, supervisor of music in Manheim township, with Miss C. Elsie Forrest, as accompanist.

Devotional exercises on Thursday will be conducted by Rev. A. P. Wenger, principal of East Coalico township High school, and on Friday by Mervin W. Brandt, principal of the Mt. Joy Boro elementary schools.

Found It Profitable

For not producing logs nineteen persons received New Deal government checks in excess of \$10,000 each, and one concern got \$150,000, and it was not engaged in farming at all.

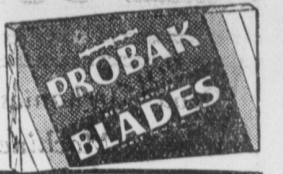


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